



Margaret J. Lenhart

January 7, 1927 - January 2, 2020

ADRIAN—Margaret Jean Lenhart, age 92, beloved mother of Jillienne (Julie Ann) Bowers and John Hazlehurst, died Thursday, January 2, 2020, at the University of Michigan Hospital in Ann Arbor. Margaret was born January 7, 1927, in West Bromwich, England, the daughter of the late Bert and Ann (Veitch) Mallin.

Margaret lived her early life in Great Britain, where she attended Malvern Hall, a private girls school earning her Associate's Degree. After school, she was employed at Marshall and Snelgrove Clothing. Upon marrying Ronald John Hazlehurst, she moved to Canada in 1953, coming to the United States in 1956, and finally settling in California. She worked as a supervisor for AETNA Insurance Company as well as serving as managers at Imperial and FHP. Margaret moved to Adrian, Michigan in 1993 to be closer to her daughter, Jillienne and her family. She worked for her son-in-law, Bryan at B.R. Bowers and Company well into her 80's. Margaret was a supporter of the arts, attending many concerts, particularly concerts with the Toledo Symphony Orchestra where her daughter works. Margaret was a faithful member of Gloria Dei Lutheran Church in Long Beach, CA, and later, the First United Methodist Church, in Adrian, where she sang in the choirs. She also was a member of the Red Hat Society. A highlight in Margaret's life was becoming a U.S. citizen when she was 75 years old.

Survivors include a daughter, Jillienne (Bryan) Bowers of Adrian; a son, John Hazlehurst of Crystal Beach, TX; five grandchildren, Marissa, Meghan,

Christopher, Colin, and Charles; and three great-grandchildren, Tayden, Olivia, and Nora.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husbands, Ronald, Victor Stern and Jacque Lenhart; a son, Peter Hazlehurst; and her sister, Dorothy List. Per Margaret's wishes, cremation will take place. A memorial service will be held at a later date.

Memorial contributions in Margaret's memory may be made to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, the Lenawee Humane Society or the Toledo Symphony Orchestra. Online condolences and memories may be shared at www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAR 14. 1:45 PM (ET)

First United Methodist Church
1245 West Maple Avenue
Adrian, MI

Tribute Wall



“ *Margaret J. Lenhart*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



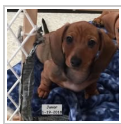
“ *Margaret Lenhart was a beautiful soul and a beautiful lady. She was caring and compassionate and always had a kind word to say. What I cherish most about Margaret is how she always reached out to ask questions. Perhaps that sounds silly, but we often just pass our neighbors quickly, not really concerning ourselves with what's going on in their lives; We say the cursory, "How are you(s)?" but don't often wait for the response with much interest. Margaret asked more. And she listened more. That's what made Margaret special to me. Although I miss knowing she is with us at Scott Cove I am filled with joy knowing she is with the Lord. I'm looking forward to seeing her again.*

Cynthia Valentine - March 29, 2020 at 11:27 AM



“ *Dear Jillienne, what fond memories I have of your warm and cheerful mum, she was so receptive of everyone and always had a kind word to share. I know that she will be deeply missed on this side of heaven but we will wait expectantly to see her smile again in the place where joy is forever. Hugs and comfort to you and your family, dear friend.*

Christi Dupree - January 06, 2020 at 03:50 PM



Dear Christi, my mum adored you and thought you were a tower of strength. Thank you for your kind words. I will wait expectantly to see her beautiful smile again.

Jillienne Bowers - January 08, 2020 at 08:07 AM

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“ Dear Jillienne and family,
Your Mom was such a kind and warm person. I so enjoyed speaking with her when she would come pick up the boys after school. She always had a wonderful smile and gentle demeanor.
May our Lord comfort you and your family at this difficult time.

Love to you,
Clarice Rink

Clarice Rink - January 05, 2020 at 01:17 PM



Thank you so much, Clarice. She was instrumental in helping us raise our three boys. Christopher, Colin, and Charles.

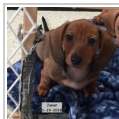
Jillienne Bowers - January 08, 2020 at 08:04 AM

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“ My thoughts and prayers go out to Jillienne and family.
Margaret was a very special friend. I cherished her friendship and will always have a special place in my heart.
I enjoyed working with Margaret for 7 years.
also our lunches that we had after she retired.
God Bless.

Diana Diver

Diana Diver - January 05, 2020 at 10:35 AM



These were some of her favorite years working with you, Diana. Thank you for being her friend. She anticipated her meetings with you.

Jillienne Bowers - January 08, 2020 at 08:09 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Margaret J. Lenhart.*



January 04, 2020 at 02:07 PM



“ *Dear Jillienne and family, I am sorry for your loss. She lived a long time and I know she was loved. I'm praying for comfort and peace for you all.*

Sue Fuss - January 04, 2020 at 12:04 PM



Thank you, Sue. Yes, she lived a long time and I anticipate seeing her again in God's time.

Jillienne Bowers - January 08, 2020 at 08:10 AM