



Dorothy V. Wolfe

July 18, 1914 - April 16, 2016

Dorothy V. Wolfe, 101, passed away April 16,, 2016 at Fairhaven Community where she had resided the past three years. The eldest of seven children, she was born in Seneca County July 18, 1914, to the late Harley J. and Virginia Holmes Wolf. A lifelong learner, Dorothy graduated from Bloomville High School at the age of 15, then earned her bachelor's degree in education from Bowling Green State University.

She began her nearly 40 year career in education at the Salem Township School. She left teaching for three years during Word War II to work for the War Department in Dayton. After the war she relocated to Dearborn, Michigan, where she earned her Master's degree and taught English for more than 30 years. A world traveler, Dorothy also taught English classes aboard a “floating university.”

Active in several educational and civic organizations, Dorothy was well-known for chairing Dearborn's United Nations Day celebrations. She was also dedicated to the American Association of University Women and the Museum Guild of Dearborn.

Dorothy is survived by one sister, Edith Loverich of Valparaiso, IN and a sister-in-law, Alice Wolf of Carey, plus a host of nieces, nephews and grandnieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, four sisters: Ellen

Comte, Marie Bush, Ruth Bardon and Emadel Cole and a brother Nelson Wolf.

Pastors Brian Arnold and Howard Huston will lead a celebration of Dorothy's unique life at noon on Thursday, April 21, 2016 at the Bringman Clark Funeral Home. Calling hours will be held from 10:00 a.m. until the time of the service. Burial will take place at Oak Hill Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Dorothy's memory to the Museum Guild of Dearborn, P.O. Box 2725, Dearborn, MI 48124.

To extend a condolence or share a memory visit www.BringmanClark.com

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery 1

13489 County Highway 119
Upper Sandusky, OH 43351

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 21. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Bringman-Clark Funeral Home
226 E. Wyandot Avenue
Upper Sandusky, OH 43351
(419) 294-2328
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Service

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Tribute Wall

LH

“ *Linda Jeanne Hagan lit a candle in memory of Dorothy V. Wolfe*



Linda Jeanne Hagan - April 03, 2021 at 02:03 AM

CD

“ *You greatly impacted the lives of many a 9th grade boy by sharing your special way of engaging us in poetry and literature. We will always remember you.*

I thoroughly enjoyed last talking to you in September, 2010 at my 50th Reunion.

I've donated to the Museum Guild of Dearborn in your memory.

*Claude Dillard
Dearborn High 1960*

Claude Dillard - April 23, 2016 at 11:05 AM

JC

“ *John Childers & Shannon Campau purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Dorothy V. Wolfe.*



John Childers & Shannon Campau - April 20, 2016 at 02:19 PM

JS

“ *Memories of Miss Wolfe from Dearborn High School and 9th grade English...*

That was the era when poetry memorization was all the rage. I delighted in hearing my fellow students spouting, "How do I love thee? Let me count the ways."

Many years later I visited with Dorothy at the Book and Author Luncheons in Livonia.

How we love you, Dorothy. Thanks for all the wonderful memories.

Judith Caille Stone student in 1956.

Judith Caille Stone - April 20, 2016 at 11:37 AM

LT

“ *My condolences to Miss Wolfe's family. I was a student of hers in the early seventies at Dearborn High School. She was my teacher for Mythology and also for the Bible as Literature. She was always a fun teacher. And I adored her earrings! She touched many lives. Wishing you peace. Linda Guth Trout*

Linda Guth Trout - April 19, 2016 at 12:49 PM

LD

“ *My time with Dorothy was short compared to her long life. Dorothy could write tributes to people that would convey their importance. I am not that qualified. I only know we became great friends and I feel it has made me a better person. You will be missed. Anyone who would like more information about Dorothy Wolfe's life can visit the Dearborn Historical Museum archives in Michigan. There is a file on her because she was a pillar in our community!*

Laura Dudgeon - April 19, 2016 at 08:10 AM

PJ

“ *A great, wonderful friend.*
Pat Judson

Pat Judson - April 18, 2016 at 08:13 PM


GP

“ *Dorothy was my english teacher at Dearborn High School. Fond memories of punctuation. :)*
Dr. Gail Pietrzyk

Gail Pietrzyk - April 18, 2016 at 08:11 PM

KP

“ *Dorothy was one of my English teachers at Dearborn High School in Dearborn, Michigan. She taught Bible Literature. She was so passionate about her chosen profession and even more so of her students. I have frequently and fondly talked about Ms. Wolfe and remember her with great respect and appreciation. Rest well Dorothy, your legacy will carry on...*



Karen (Schultz) Piotrowski
Canton, Michigan

Karen (Schultz) Piotrowski - April 18, 2016 at 08:09 PM