



Elizabeth C. Maffett

December 27, 1935 - January 4, 2023

Elizabeth C. Maffett, 87, passed away on Wednesday, January 4, 2023 at Chambersburg Hospital. She was born December 27, 1935 in Lewistown, PA , the daughter of the late William and Cathryn Schwinger.

She was a long time member of First Lutheran Church where she was very active with the Quilting Club, Meals on Wheels, meals for funerals, delivering to shut-ins and the Women's Circle.

Liz started her education at West Chester University and later went back to school when her children got older, earning her Bachelors Degree in Education from Shippensburg State College. She then taught first grade at Greenvillage Elementary in Chambersburg for 25 years.

She enjoyed traveling. She made many trips with the Retired Teachers Association and another highlight was spending New Year's Eve of 2000 in Switzerland with her husband and family. She loved working in her vegetable and flower gardens and was grateful for the friendship and assistance of her neighbors and friends.

Elizabeth is survived by two sons: Richard F. Maffett, Jr. (Barbara) of Mechanicsburg, William L. Maffett (Kelly) of Venice, FL; grandchildren: Richard Ivor (Nicole), Timothy (Lydia), Andrew (Beth), Alex (Brielle), Alexis, Payton, four great grandchildren, a sister, Maryanne Zahn and a brother-in-law, Donald Heimbaugh.

In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by her husband, Richard F. Maffett, Sr. (2018) and a brother William Schwinger.

As per Liz's wishes, there will be no services.

Memorial donations may be made to: First Lutheran Evangelical Church, 43
W. Washington Street, Chambersburg, PA. 17201

Online condolences may be expressed at sellersfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

JB

“ I miss Liz, the "Grandma Liz" to our kids, our neighbor who welcomed us warmly to our neighborhood when we had just moved. She always wore a beautiful smile, with her eyes looking tenderly at us. She would always have a very encouraging word. We made sure to put up our outdoor Christmas decorations as she had expressed she enjoyed looking at them at night. Her faith in God gives me the assurance where she is now. We love you, Liz! Praying for her bereaved family's peace and comfort.

JOCELYN BARRETT - January 09, 2023 at 10:24 PM



“ The loss of my dear friend brings back a lifetime of memories. Because our parents were both from the old country, we shared holidays, weekends, language, food, culture and music. After retirement, we kept in touch with yearly phone calls which mainly were about the “yesterdays” we spent together. I'll be lost without you, dear Elise.

Freda Richard - January 09, 2023 at 10:46 AM

MO

“ Rick, Bill and families, I'm so sorry about your mom's passing. I remember your mom for always having a kind word and smile every time I'd see her. I will miss bumping into her on “the hill”. Please know all of you are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Peace and blessings! Mary Margaret

Mary M Osterman - January 09, 2023 at 10:24 AM

SH

“ So sorry to hear of Liz passing. We attended church with her and she was a wonderful lady. Always smiling, cheerful and just an overall wonderful person. Keeping you all in thoughts and prayers for comfort.

Sharon Hammond - January 08, 2023 at 07:47 PM

DP

“ Dear Rick and Bill,

So sorry and saddened for the passing of your mother "Liz". She was always very cheerful, smiling, friendly and helping with many activities and events at First Lutheran. Cherish the fond memories; she will be "Greatly Missed, but Never be Forgotten"!

Dalton E. and Julie Paul

Dalton E. Paul - January 08, 2023 at 01:05 PM

PP

“ So sorry for your loss Rick & Bill. Many fond memories of your mom. She was such a sweet person, always had a beautiful smile & was a classy lady. She will be missed.

Greg & Patti Plasterer

Patti Plasterer - January 07, 2023 at 11:23 PM

KM

“ Rick and Bill. Condolences to you and your families. Very sorry for your loss.

Kimberly Barkdoll Mandel - January 06, 2023 at 11:08 PM

RR

“ *Boys and Family,*

So sorry to learn of mom passing, We always enjoyed speaking with your mom and dad when we would cross paths, Usually at the grocery store. Ha ! Ha !.

Please tell stories and laugh. What a Great Lady.

Blessings,

Rod & Theresa Reichard

Rodney Reichard - January 06, 2023 at 01:05 PM