



## Elizabeth A. Vaughn

November 6, 1932 - August 25, 2020

ELIZABETH A. (ROMIG) VAUGHN, age 87, of Columbus, Ohio passed to eternal life on August 25, 2020. Elizabeth is lovingly remembered by her children Kurt (Tami) Vaughn, Cheryl (Paul) Whatley, Joel (Beth) Vaughn, James Vaughn, and Mary (John) Gween, grandchildren Kurt Nicholas Vaughn, Stephen, Michael (Jessica), and Carrie Whatley, Rebecca (Konner) Barr, Alyssa and Christopher Gween, great-grandchildren Emilee Jo Vaughn and Thomas and David Whatley, her sister and brother-in-law Sara and John Hunter, and many nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her husband, Richard, of nearly 61 years, her parents Truman and Ruth (Hallowell) Romig, and her brother John Romig. Elizabeth was born November 6, 1932 on a farm just west of Carey, Ohio. She graduated as valedictorian from Carey High School in 1950 and went on to earn a degree in Medical Technology from Capital University in 1954. On December 19 of that same year, she married Richard Vaughn of Defiance, Ohio and they settled in Columbus, Ohio where they raised their family. She was a long-time member of Ascension Lutheran Church in Columbus and, through the years, served with Capital University Women's Alumnae Chapter (CUAC), the Women's Auxiliary of the Franklin County Ohio Society of Professional Engineers, and the COSI Women's Association. She was also a member of The McCoy Pottery Collector's Society. Her hobby of collecting these Ohio-made potteries expanded into other antiques and collectibles and eventually led to the creation of an antique business which she owned and operated for many

years. Funeral Services will be held at 10am on Monday, August 31st at Ascension Lutheran Church, 1479 Morse Rd., Columbus, OH. Family will receive friends Sunday, August 30th from 2 – 5 pm, at RUTHERFORD-CORBIN FUNERAL HOME, 515 High St., Worthington, OH. 43085 and also at the church one hour prior to the service. Burial will be in Union Cemetery in Columbus. Memorial donations may be sent to Ascension Lutheran Church or Capital University.

# Cemetery Details

## Union Cemetery

3349 Olentangy River Road  
Columbus, OH 43202  
(614) 267-5471

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

**AUG 30.** 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Rutherford-Corbin Funeral Home  
515 High Street  
Worthington, OH 43085  
(614) 885-4006  
info@rutherfordfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com/>

## Service

**AUG 31.** 10:00 AM (ET)

Ascension Lutheran Church  
1479 Morse Road  
Columbus, OH 43229

# Tribute Wall



“ Elizabeth A. Vaughn

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ My friend Cheryl, I just wanted to express my deepest condolences on the passing of your dear mother. Her obituary speaks volumes about the rich life she led, both personally and professionally. She certainly “lived” her passions! I am sending you virtual, safe hugs as you and your family go through these emotional days.

*Prayers for peace in your heart.*

*Carol Vanderbilt*

Carol Vanderbilt - August 30, 2020 at 12:58 PM



“ We were friends and neighbors of the Vaughn's for over 50 years. Our 3 girls went all through school with Cheryl, Joel and James. Tom and I moved to Wesley Glen in 2015 and then met another Vaughn, Tami. She is Kurt's wife and we were happy to catch up on Vaughn family news as she is the head Receptionist here. I was able to visit Dick in his final illness. I also visited Liz while she was recuperating here before she went back home. The family were gentle, friendly people who were gracious and nice to everyone.

*They were the epitome of nice neighbors and friends.*

*Fondly, Marge Enright*

Marge Enright - August 30, 2020 at 12:41 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Elizabeth A. Vaughn.*



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August 28, 2020 at 03:56 PM



“ *Heartfelt Memories was purchased for the family of Elizabeth A. Vaughn.*



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August 28, 2020 at 03:01 PM