



Josephine "Finney" Cayer

March 19, 1927 - July 23, 2024

Josephine "Finney" Cayer, aged 97, passed away peacefully on July 23, 2024, in Hughson, California. Born on March 19, 1927, in Youngstown, Ohio, Finney was the fifth of nine children during the challenging times of the Great Depression and World War II.

Finney led a vibrant life, marked by her early years as a dancer and waitress. She married the love of her life, William "Bill" Cayer, on February 27, 1965, in Maywood, California. Although her career took a backseat, she embraced her role as a homemaker, dedicating her life to her family. She was a long-standing member of Holy Rosary Catholic Church and the Young Ladies Institute (YLI), where she actively participated in community and church activities.

Her hobbies included traveling extensively across Europe and the United States, cooking for friends and family, attending family gatherings, and shopping, which brought her immense joy and fulfillment.

Finney is survived by her loving daughter, MarDee (Bart) Balswick; granddaughters, Brittany and Brielle Balswick; grandsons, Beau (Audrey) and Benjamin Balswick; great-granddaughter, Belle Balswick; and brothers, George, Andrew, and Stephen Machingo. She was preceded in death by her parents, Mary and Martin Machingo; her husband, Bill Cayer; brothers, John, Martin, and Tom Machingo; and sisters, Mary Berry and Helen Chance.

A visitation will be held on Monday, August 12, 2024, from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., followed by a rosary at 6:00 p.m. at Turlock Funeral Home in the Main Chapel. The funeral mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, August 13, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. at Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Hilmar, CA.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Alexander Cohen Hospice House in memory of Josephine Cayer. Her spirit and legacy will live on through her family, friends, and all who knew her.

Cemetery Details

Turlock Memorial Park

575 N. Soderquist Rd.
Turlock, CA 95380
(209) 632-9111
<http://turlockmemorialpark.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 12. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (PT)

Turlock Funeral Home
425 North Soderquist Road
Turlock, CA 95381
(209) 632-9111
<https://turlockfuneralhome.com>

Recitation of the Rosary

AUG 12. 6:00 PM (PT)

Turlock Funeral Home
425 North Soderquist Road
Turlock, CA 95381
(209) 632-9111
<https://turlockfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Mass

AUG 13. 10:00 AM (PT)

Holy Rosary Catholic Church
20323 American Ave.
Hilmar, CA 95324

Interment Following Funeral Mass

AUG 13. 11:00 AM (PT)

Turlock Memorial Park
575 N Soderquist Rd
Turlock, CA 95380-3749
(209) 632-9111

Tribute Wall

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“ *Sherri (Graham) Williams & Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Josephine "Finney" Cayer.*



Sherri (Graham) Williams & Family - August 02, 2024 at 01:56 AM