



# Ruth M. Billings

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### Ruth Billings Obituary

Ruth M. Billings (nee: Bauer), 79, died November 8, 2012 at her home in Elyria. She was born November 15, 1932 in Elyria and was a 1950 graduate of Elyria High School. She was employed for 25 years at Elyria High School, retiring as secretary to the principal in 1990. Ruth was a member of Pilgrim United Church of Christ, American Legion Post 12 Auxiliary and Elyria Womens Senior Fellowship. She enjoyed spending time at her lake home in Marblehead and attending sales and auctions to add to her various collections. Other interests included the O.V.I. in Sheffield Lake, playing the organ, piano and chimes, gardening and was known to be a competitive game and card player. Ruth is survived by sons, Ronald C. (Melinda nee: Renner) Billings of Elyria and Thomas A. (Cathy nee: Proch) Billings of Toledo; grandsons, Grant, Seth, Nathan and Nicholas Billings, a sister, Louise Shisler of Warsaw, Indiana, and eight nieces and nephews, including Donna (James) Backs of Elyria. She was preceded in death by her husband of 51 years, William F. Billings in 2006; parents Fred and Ella (nee: Stranahan) Bauer and brothers, Gilbert and Harold Bauer. Friends will be received Saturday November 17, 2012 from 12:30 PM until the time of a 2:00 PM memorial service at Dicken Funeral Home, 323 Middle Avenue, Elyria. Reverend Janet A. Long will officiate with burial in Ridge Hill Memorial Park, Amherst Township. Memorial contributions may be made to Elyria Public Library Foundation, 320 Washington Avenue, Elyria, 44035 or Elyria City Schools Endowment Fund, c/o Community Foundation of Lorain County, 9080 Leavitt Road, Elyria, 44035. For online condolences visit [www.dickenfuneralhome.com](http://www.dickenfuneralhome.com).

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AP

**Angie Perry** posted:

My sincere condolences to your family during this time of sorrow, may the love of family and friends carry you through your grief and may the promise from God for a future "resurrection" back to life, bring comfort to your hearts.--John 5:28, 29

November 16 at 8:00 PM

AL

**Al And Judy Louk** posted:

We became friends with Ruth and Bill when we lived accross the street from them in Marblehead . We left Marblehead in 2002 but we still got together at least once a year, Her friendshjp meant a lot to us and we will truly miss her, She fought a long battle but now is at peace.Our prayers and thoughts are with you today.

November 14 at 8:00 PM

DQ

**Dianne Quinn** posted:

We will keep the Billings family in our thoughts and prayers. She was an amazing lady. Rick and Dianne Quinn

November 13 at 8:00 PM

KF

**Kathy And Frank Fire** posted:

We are sorry to hear about Aunt Ruth and wish we could be there.

November 12 at 8:00 PM



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