



## Elaine Therese Hertel

June 18, 1938 - April 3, 2025

Elaine T Hertel, of Applewood Pointe Valley West, Bloomington, age 86, beloved wife for 60 years of Richard Hertel went to be with her Lord Jesus on Thursday April 3, 2025.

Survived by son Michael (Kristen) and daughter Ann Lehmann (Ken). Grandmother to Alex Hertel, Nick Hertel (Alyssa), Kaitlin Hertel, Matthew Hertel (Kora), Cameron Lehmann (Tehya), Cole Lehmann, Kallie Lehmann. Great Grandmother to Brantley, Hunter and Kolton Hertel, and Waylon Lehmann.

Elaine was always devoted to pro-life and respect life philosophy and action. She loved God, her family, children, music, angels, and flowers. Her many roles beyond wife and mother, included chemistry development of pharmaceuticals, MCCL staff, part-time church secretary and keyboarder. At Applewood Pointe she appreciated the surroundings and the fellowship of many friends.

Mass of Christian burial 11:00 AM April 10th, at St. Bonaventure Church 901 E 90th St. Bloomington. Visitation 5:00-7:00 PM at Washburn McReavy Funeral Chapel April 9th and also at church at 10:00 AM on April 10th. Burial at Resurrection Cemetery in Mendota Heights. Mass will be livestreamed: Use link for livestream <https://youtube.com/live/mQ0E8uos9bo?feature=share> In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the MCCL (Minnesota Citizens Concerned for Life), or the Applewood Pointe Valley West fund.



# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery (Mendota Heights)

2101 Lexington Avenue South  
Mendota Heights, MN 55120-1211

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 10. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Bonaventure Catholic Church  
901 East 90th Street  
Bloomington, MN 55420

## Mass of Christian Burial

APR 10. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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901 East 90th Street  
Bloomington, MN 55420

# Tribute Wall



“ Washburn-McReavy Funeral Chapels created a Funeral Mass for Elaine Hertel in memory of Elaine Therese Hertel



Washburn-McReavy - April 05, 2025 at 02:19 PM

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*Sending my deepest condolences and prayers for comfort to Elaine's family and friends. Since getting to know Michael, I am thankful that he was given a beautiful mother and father to raise him. He was blessed with two mothers who loved him unconditionally. Today we celebrate his mother Elaina's. She raised him to be a smart, kind, generous and caring man. Who was raised with God in his heart. From the short time we met, I saw the love in their hearts for Michael and I know my sister would have appreciated the love between them. May God continue to bless this family, welcome Elaine home and give her peace from her pain and earthly suffering. Watch over her family and continue to guide them, and send them signs along their journey on earth! Rest in the Arms of Our Lord Elaine.*

Becky Lucius - April 05, 2025 at 04:23 PM

MA

*Dick, our sympathy and prayers are with you and your entire family. We are so sorry for your loss Ted and Mary Hertel*

Mary - April 06, 2025 at 09:59 PM

MB

*I lived with Elaine in Ann Arbor for a few years 1960-62. What a beautiful person. Last saw her on our 50th anniversary party when they happened to be in Michigan; Dick, you took wonderful care of Elaine. May God bless you both*

mary butler - April 10, 2025 at 11:55 AM