



Lorraine Ruth Astren

January 29, 1924 - August 17, 2020

Astren, Lorraine Goldish 96, St Louis Park, born to Bessie and Samuel S Goldish, January 29, 1924, in Duluth, MN, died August 17, 2020. Preceded in death by husband of 66 years, Alex; sisters, Alyce (Julius Horwitz), Marian Kiener; nephew, Arnold Horwitz; niece, Sandra Miller. Survived by children, Fred Astren (Pat Bourdelle), Jeanne Astren (Warren Goldstein); grandson, Avi Goldstein; nephews, Ronald Kiener, Marty Kiener (Greta); great nieces and nephews; and best friends, Wende Sansing, Laura Cohen. Volunteer and Jewish community activist, she served as president of B'nai Emet Synagogue, and served in Women's League for Conservative Judaism as president of the Midwest Branch and as international vice president. Zoom funeral 1:00 PM Wednesday, August 19. Shiva on Zoom at 6:30 PM Wednesday and Thursday. Contact Washburn-McReavy 952-920-3996 for login details. Memorials may be sent to the Astren Family Jewish Studies Scholarship Fund of Aath Jeshurun, which provides college scholarships in Jewish studies, or donor's favorite charity. Arrangements by Aath Jeshurun Chevra Kavod Hamet and Washburn-McReavy.com

Previous Events

Graveside Service

AUG **19**. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Bnai Emet Cemtery

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Richfield, MN

Tribute Wall



“ Washburn-McReavy Funeral Chapels created a Graveside Service of Lorraine R. Astren in memory of Lorraine Ruth Astren



Washburn-McReavy - August 18, 2020 at 01:56 PM

RK

“ To Jeanne and the Astren family. So sorry for your loss of mom. From way back she was very sweet to me. Our dads knew each other from business too. At GVCC. later we would always see each other's family. And your parents always gracious. I wish you peace and love at this time. 🌹🕊️🌹
Roz Kronfeld-Wilbanks

roz kronfeld-wikbanks - August 24, 2020 at 08:51 AM

SF

“ Our condolences to the astrens and keiners on the passing of nabor Lorraine astren. She was a one of a kind person and a hero on the Pennsylvania ave neighborhood. Alex, Lorraine, Fred , and Jeanne were the first people we met when we moved into the neighborhood. I was 7 years old. 56 years later and Lorraine never left the old house. A've shalom. From Steve and Laura Fine

Steve fine - August 22, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Jeanne, I'm so sorry for your's and your families loss. Lorraine was such a woman! The countless memories I have of her growing up. From the Caravans to Winnipeg, (of course having to stop in Fargo overnight since the ladies couldn't sit in a car for entire trip:) To the (unique Gregarious laughs your Dad had, and loved making your mom laugh!) You were blessed with a mother that not only loved you dearly, but was such a role model. I wish I could give you a hug, but know that you are not alone in grieving your mom's loss. Her strength, to lose the her love of her life but yet persevere, and the love and care you gave her, protecting her when your Dad couldn't anymore, is one of the biggest Mitzvah s a child can do for a parent. While I'm sad I won't be able to hug her and laugh with her anymore. I'm glad she's with Alex once again!

Jack Haskovitz - August 20, 2020 at 01:58 PM

CG

“ We're truly going to miss "Auntie 'raine" (per Max) at family gatherings. She was so kind and caring, always asking about your family and quick to laugh with you! She was so smart and interested in current events.

May she rest well after all she did for others!

Cathy and Cam Guthrie

Cathy Guthrie - August 20, 2020 at 11:06 AM

FD

“ Our heartfelt sympathies.....
Lorraine was a beautiful Goldish cousin we will never forget.
Fred and Ida Krovitz-Davis

Fred Davis - August 19, 2020 at 02:43 PM

HO

“ You were our first friends in Minneapolis, and little did we know we were gaining family. I know Lorraine is now joining Bernice, Ben and Zeke in laughing up a storm. Loved Lorraine and our heart breaks for you all. The world is a bit sadder place today

Hope - August 19, 2020 at 02:06 PM