



## Mildred F. Pinney

May 6, 1934 - August 30, 2020

Mildred Frances Pinney (Newhart), 86, passed away quietly on August 30, 2020. She was born May 6, 1934 in Chicago and had been a lifelong resident of Libertyville. She was a 1952 graduate of Libertyville High School. Mildred attended Beloit College in Beloit, Wisconsin and received her Nursing degree from Northwestern School of Nursing. She had been a nurse at Condell Hospital as well as a school nurse for the Lake Forest elementary school district.

She was a 60 year member of the United Methodist Church in Libertyville and cherished the friendship of the many people she met there. Her love of singing led her to be a member of the Church choir and a member of the Do-Re-Mi's, a women's Barbershop choir for many years.

Swimming was a big part of her life, she had been a swim instructor and a lifeguard. Summer days would find her at one or another of the local lakes where she and her sisters would swim out to the middle of the lake where they could chat without interruption.

She is survived by two children, Rachel Pinney and Michael Pinney (Linda), three grandchildren Sarah (David) Wisner, Sophia Pinney and Charlotte Pinney. She is also survived by her sister Marlene (David ) Poulton.

She was preceded in death by her husband Gordon Pinney and two sisters, Grace Backe and Dorothy Parker.

A memorial service will be held at a later date. Arrangements have been made with Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville. For information: 847-362-3009 or share a memory at [www.burnettdane.com](http://www.burnettdane.com). In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to the Chicago Botanic Gardens. ([www.chicagobotanic.com/donate](http://www.chicagobotanic.com/donate))

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“ The neighborhood just will not be the same without Mrs. Pinney on the corner of Ames. Many thoughts and prayers are with the family at this time.

Lisa (Kincaid) Daniels and all the Kincaids



Lisa (Kincaid) Daniels - September 16 at 09:34 AM

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“ From her Home Instead caregivers:

Mimi was a gracious lady to have served and care for. She was patient with us and shared her heart with us. We each talked about our families and our backgrounds. It was fun to always learn something new about each other. We always looked forward to coming to her home because she always made you feel at home. She always kept a piece of chocolate ready in case you needed a sweet pick-me-up.

Her life was rich in faith, family, and good food. She was loved by many. We count it all joy to have served her and to get to know her.

She was grateful for the many friends and family that would call, write, or stop by. 😊

Jeanine Struna - September 10 at 05:13 PM

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Kristina Mose-Libon - September 09 at 05:20 PM



“ Mimi at Lake Geneva, WI

Kristina Mose-Libon - September 09 at 05:24 PM

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“ We send our condolences to all of Mimi’s family and friends.

Mimi has a very special place in our hearts. From the moment we met her through our dad, Alden, we could see Mimi was a kind, nurturing, caring person with an easy going manner and great sense of humor. We feel so fortunate to have had her in our lives.

We have many special memories of Mimi who was an important part of the Mose family gatherings at Lake Geneva. We looked forward to being with Mimi and Alden and our extended family as we gathered on the Fourth of July and other occasions. The family enjoyed many delicious meals on the deck, celebrating the beauty of the lake and appreciating the summer. Almost every day, while most of us were just waking up and drinking our coffee, Mimi was first in the lake, swimming. It didn’t matter how cold it was, and she swam quite an impressive distance!

Later, while visiting Mimi in Libertyville, we'd all gather on her porch, enjoying a meal and catching up with each other. Mimi was always interested in everybody’s lives. Mimi was a special part of our family and always will be. We cherish her memory and she is greatly missed.

The Alden Mose Family  
Kris Mose-Libon (Rob, Rachel, Courtney)  
Steven Mose (Linda, Max)

**Kristina Mose-Libon** - September 09 at 02:51 PM

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“ To Mimi’s family. So sorry to learn about her passing. We remember Mimi from high school years and did work on high school reunions for many years with her. Sending thoughts and prayers to the family. She was a terrific person. May she Rest In Peace.

High school classmate and friend,  
Don Kraemer and RoseAnn Kraemer

**Don and Rose Ann Kraemer** - September 04 at 07:00 PM