



Barbara Chelena Speelman

May 31, 1920 - December 22, 2021

Centenarian Barbara Chelena Speelman

Born in May 1920 in Fredericktown PA, she passed away peacefully at home December 22 in Oregon, aged 101. She is survived by her eldest daughter and caregiver Barbara, son-in-law George Edwards, grandchildren Elizabeth, Stephen, granddaughter-in-law Kathrine, and great-grandson Finnegan.

Barbara was the sixth of nine children and the last surviving of her first-generation, East Slavic parents. Longtime residents of Clarion, Barbara and her husband Charles Speelman moved into their home on Eastwood Drive in 1966 where they remained until the time of his passing in 1997. They had been married for 59 years. Barbara remained in Clarion until the loss of her youngest daughter in 2009 when she left for Oregon to be with her daughter Barbara.

She was involved in many community organizations over the years in Clarion and always a member of Immaculate Conception church.

She will be laid to rest in Green County Memorial Park alongside her departed husband, youngest daughter Marie, and other family members.

Memorial contributions can be made in her honor to Partners in Care (<https://>

www.partnersbend.org/donation/) as well as The Immaculate Conception church.

Tribute Wall

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“ *We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Niswonger-Reynolds Funeral Home*

A Memorial Tree was planted for Barbara Chelena Speelman - December 29, 2021 at 12:00 AM