



## Dorothy Mae Eaton

October 27, 1917 - September 23, 2015

Dorothy M. Eaton, age 97 of Clare, passed away Wednesday, September 23, 2015 at Horizons Senior Living in Clare. Dorothy was born the daughter of the late Verdi and Pearl (Saurbeck) Jones on October 27, 1917 in Alliance, Ohio. She was united in marriage to William M. Eaton on January 26, 1946, with him predeceasing her on August 21, 1980. Dorothy had moved from Clio to Clare in 1969; she attended the Clare United Methodist Church. She loved to read and root on her beloved Detroit Tigers. Dorothy had been a hospital volunteer at the MidMichigan Medical Center in Clare for 30 years; she was active in the Methodist Church Choir as well as the Methodist Women and Study Club. Dorothy is survived by her son, William D. of Lakeside, Oregon; daughters Janis (Wayne) Denkins of Flushing and Susan Eaton (Thom) Sowle of Grand Ledge; 7 grandchildren, Carrie, Shelly, Jennifer, Matthew, Mark, Dylan and Bronwyn; 5 great grandchildren, Ashlinne, Bryce, Aldous, Braden and Marshall. She was predeceased by her sister Mary Swain.

Visitation and services will be held at the Clare United Methodist Church on Monday, September 28, 2015. Visitation will be from 10 A.M. until the time of services at 12 noon. Services will be led by Mrs. Wilma Shurlock-Phillips and Pastor John Kasper. Burial will take place in the West Vienna Cemetery in Clio. Memorial contributions may be made to MidMichigan Home Care and Hospice or to the American Cancer Society. Arrangements were handled by the Clare Chapel of Stephenson-Wyman Funeral Home. On-line guestbook at [www.stephenson-wyman.com](http://www.stephenson-wyman.com)



# Cemetery Details

## West Vienna Cemetery

5459 W. Wilson Road  
Clio, MI 48420

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 28. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Clare United Methodist Church  
105 E. Seventh Street  
Clare, MI 48617

## Service

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# Tribute Wall

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“ We've missed her at the library and it saddens me to know she won't be back to visit. My heartfelt sympathy goes out to all of her family. She was a wonderful woman. Pam McKnight, Pere Marquette District Library.

Pam McKnight - October 02, 2015 at 10:43 AM

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“ Teresa A. purchased the Fruits and Blooms Basket for the family of Dorothy Mae Eaton.



Teresa A. - September 25, 2015 at 02:14 PM

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“ .....and after losing our mother Donna - Dorothy's friend, my sister and I kept visiting because we found her sense of humor invaluable.

Carol Bradley Miller - September 25, 2015 at 06:43 AM

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“ Dorothy and my mother Donna could always find something to talk about.....

Carol Bradley Miller - September 25, 2015 at 06:09 AM