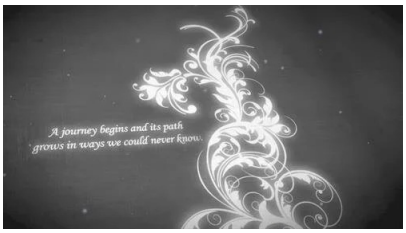
Margaret Zavitz

May 25, 2025

Margaret Ruth Zavitz of Wallaceburg passed away peacefully at her home on Sunday, May 25, 2025 at the age of 98. She was born in Port Hope, Ont. and was the daughter of the late Thomas Jacob & Mildred Adelia (Carroll) Bennett. Beloved wife of the late Robert Ephraim Zavitz (1990). Loving mother of Catherine Lumley (Eric) and Rebecca Curran (Michael). Dear grandmother of Rae Jardine (Vance), Craig Lumley and Adam Curran (Kate) and great grandmother of Isla, Robert and Charlotte. Sister of Nancy Lyons and the late Pauline Scott. Margaret graduated from the University of Toronto with a degree in Home Economics and Math. She moved to Wallaceburg in 1950 to teach at Wallaceburg District Secondary School. Family and Friends are invited for visitation at the Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home, 409 Nelson Street in Wallaceburg from 4 – 6 PM on Monday June 2, 2025. Interment in Riverview Cemetery at a later date. If desired, donations to Trinity United Church or a charity of your choice may be left at the funeral home 519.627.3231. Cherished stories and tributes may be left for the family at ww w.CavanaghFuneralHome.ca

Tribute Wall

Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Margaret Zavitz



Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home - May 29, 2025 at 03:31 PM

LM

A wonderful video tribute,showcasing Marg's beginnings ,her education ,her marriage,her family and her grandchildren ,friends and her busy life.i really enjoyed it.A treasure. She will be missed.Liz Morrison

Liz Morrison - May 30, 2025 at 04:33 PM

CR

Marg was a beautiful and amazing woman. I was blessed to get to know her through my dad, Maurice Brown. Visiting in Wallaceburg was always a pleasure with dear Dad and his very special friend Marg. Sending our sincerest condolences.

Carolyn and George Rossiter

Carolyn and George Rossiter - June 09, 2025 at 05:24 PM

BS

Brian And Elaine Shaw lit a candle in memory of Margaret Zavitz

Brian and Elaine Shaw - June 07, 2025 at 11:28 AM

KZ

Aunt Margie meant the world to me. When I was looking after my mother for ten years Aunt Margie was always there. I don't know how I would have coped without her. Her kindness, generosity, wisdom, intelligence, sense of humour, curiosity and common sense were unparalleled. She was interested in everything and everyone. She knew how to enjoy every day. I learned how to live a better life from her. I am grateful to have had her in my life and she will always live in my heart.

Karen Zavitz - June 02, 2025 at 02:15 PM

CS

There are no words to express how much Aunt Margie will be missed. She was the most caring and joyful person to all. Loved very much.

carroll schlombs - May 31, 2025 at 11:21 AM

LM

I was so sorry to hear of Marg's passing.What a great lady.She will be missed.i always enjoyed talking to her.She was a marvel and so interested and on top of everthing. My sincere sympathy to herchildren ,grandchildren and Gt grandchildren. She will be a great loss to you.She definitely will be missed at Trinity,for just being Marg and all her contributions over the years.i loved to stock up on her shortbread at Christmas. A wonderful lady .who will be missed.Liz and Tom Morrison

Liz Morrison - May 30, 2025 at 04:46 PM

My condolences on your loss , Bev (McColl) Winn

Bev Winn - May 30, 2025 at 12:46 PM

KM

To the family of Margaret Zavitz
Sincerest condolences to each of you from the Ralph and Ileen MacNally family. We remember Marg from childhood memories while attending church at Trinity United Church, the old building, before the fire devastated. She was easy to speak with, and had a great sense of humor!
She will be missed!

Kay MacNally - May 30, 2025 at 09:46 AM

DE

1 file added to the tribute wall

Debbie - May 29, 2025 at 08:34 PM

DB

1 file added to the tribute wall

Debbie Browning - May 29, 2025 at 08:05 PM

HJ

Sorry to hear of Marg's passing. Condolences to all her family and friends.

Herb and Brenda de Jong - May 29, 2025 at 07:40 PM

TF

I have such good memories of (Miss Bennet)Marg from home Ec classes and later visiting when she came into get her hair done at Images of You.May she rest in peace.

Theresa Freeburn - May 29, 2025 at 03:28 PM

68 files added to the album LifeTributes

Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home - May 29, 2025 at 03:27 PM

DB

6 files added to the tribute wall

Debbie Browning - May 29, 2025 at 03:04 PM

DB

I have so many great memories of Marg as a child growing up but especially in the last 12 years when she was such a special friend to my mother. After mom acquired a brain injury Marg came to myself and our family and asked how she could help. During the last 12 years Marg accompanied mom to many events, always making sure mom was looked after. Marg will be remembered for her kindness, helpfulness, generosity and her friendship to my family and especially to my mom.

Debbie Browning - May 29, 2025 at 03:02 PM

AM

Sincere condolences Becky to you and your entire family.

Adam McBrain - May 29, 2025 at 12:55 PM

UN

Uta Nowakowski lit a candle in memory of Margaret Zavitz

Uta Nowakowski - May 29, 2025 at 12:40 PM

CB

Connie Blair lit a candle in memory of Margaret Zavitz

Connie Blair - May 29, 2025 at 11:29 AM

BF

Beverly Fish lit a candle in memory of Margaret Zavitz

Beverly Fish - May 29, 2025 at 10:28 AM

JT

Jack and Kim Thomaes lit a candle in memory of Margaret Zavitz

Jack and Kim Thomaes - May 29, 2025 at 10:26 AM

MC

Mari Cole lit a candle in memory of Margaret Zavitz

Mari Cole - May 29, 2025 at 09:50 AM

George McGaffey

George McGaffey lit a candle in memory of Margaret Zavitz

George McGaffey - May 29, 2025 at 09:16 AM

SZ

Stephen Zavitz lit a candle in memory of Margaret Zavitz

Stephen Zavitz - May 29, 2025 at 09:07 AM

JT

Joni Trembley lit a candle in memory of Margaret Zavitz

Joni Trembley - May 29, 2025 at 09:01 AM

DE

Condolences to the family and friends, I remember her as my homec teacher. She saw something in students when they couldn't themselves, and touched many lives. RIP

DeWolf - May 29, 2025 at 08:35 AM

LP

Liz & Chris Phenix lit a candle in memory of Margaret Zavitz

Liz & Chris Phenix - May 29, 2025 at 08:33 AM

KK

Kathy Kennedy lit a candle in memory of Margaret Zavitz

Kathy Kennedy - May 29, 2025 at 08:11 AM

LS

Some of my fondest childhood memories are from Christmas Eves at Aunt Margie's house. She was such a consistently lovely lady. Everytime I connected with her over the many years she brought light and joy.

Louise (Larabee) Strong - May 29, 2025 at 07:28 AM

CB

I always enjoyed doing Marg's hair! She taught me home economics in high school . I will miss her! So sorry to Cathy and all of Marg's family for your loss!

Catherine Bowers - May 29, 2025 at 07:24 AM

BR

BRENDA sent a virtual gift in memory of Margaret Zavitz

BRENDA - May 28, 2025 at 06:16 PM

BO

Beth O'Flynn lit a candle in memory of Margaret Zavitz

Beth O'Flynn - May 28, 2025 at 05:58 PM

LC

Catherine and Becky.....I am so sorry to read of your Mum's passing. So many wonderful memories of her at Trinity United. My deepest condolences to all.

Lorraine (MacNally) Chambers - May 28, 2025 at 05:40 PM

I remember Marg as she and our Mom, Margaret MacNally, worked tirelessly together on many volunteer projects at Trinity United Church. Maybe they will have some fun again, now, in the after life!!!!!

Jocelyn Kirk - May 28, 2025 at 05:35 PM

KR

Karen Reek lit a candle in memory of Margaret Zavitz

Karen Reek - May 28, 2025 at 04:55 PM

BM

Blake A Mann lit a candle in memory of Margaret Zavitz

Blake A Mann - May 28, 2025 at 02:37 PM

GF

Gerry Flynn lit a candle in memory of Margaret Zavitz

Gerry Flynn - May 28, 2025 at 01:08 PM

JS

I remember the very beautiful Miss Bennet at WDHS.
A lot of my male friends would make a point of asking Miss Bennet to dance at our H.S. Friday night dances when she would chaperone.

Jim Sutherland - May 28, 2025 at 10:05 AM

DC

Catherine and Becky, I will miss the visit's I had with your mom! We would sit and have a cup of tea together and, of course, one of her home made special sweets.
I also remember her trying to help me with math.
She also helped my mom make some of the dresses for my bridesmaids. She was a very special lady and will be greatly missed!

Dianne Chapple - May 29, 2025 at 04:34 PM