



## Elaine Johnson Soneson

April 3, 1926 - March 22, 2013

Elaine J. Soneson, of Berlin, widow of Warren Soneson, passed away at the age of 86 after a short illness. Born in New Britain, daughter of Eli Bror and Hilda Nelson Johnson, Elaine grew up on her parent's farm on Alling St. in Kensington, is a Berlin High School graduate, Class of 1943 and has been a lifelong Berlin/Kensington resident. She was employed by Landers, Frary and Clark and Mildrum Jewel, and later by the Berlin Free Library as the children's librarian. Elaine was a lifelong, active member of First Lutheran Church in New Britain.

She was predeceased by her devoted husband of 50 years, Warren L. Soneson, and her dear brother-in-law, Richard A. Pechout of Berlin. Elaine is survived by her sister, Shirley Pechout of Berlin; her four sons, their spouses and children, Jeffrey and Pamela Soneson of Cromwell; Kurt and Peggy Soneson of Orrington, ME and their daughters Lorrie Gibbs and Molly Soneson; Gregory and Wendy Soneson of Kensington and their sons Michael and Andrew; and Mark and Nancy Soneson of Higganum and their children Emma, Gunnar and Colton; three great grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral Service will be held Tuesday March 26, 2013 10 AM at First Lutheran Church, 77 Franklin Square, New Britain, CT 06051. Burial will follow in Swedish Cemetery, Portland. Calling hours are Monday evening 5 to 8 PM at Carlson Funeral Home, 45 Franklin Square, New Britain. Donations may be made to the First Lutheran Church Memorial Fund. Please share a memory or note of sympathy with Elaine's family by clicking on "Add Condolences" at the bottom of this page.

# Tribute Wall

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“ We were sorry to miss all of the services for Elaine last week. We are so sorry for your loss. I have such fun memories of Soneson family picnics at Uncle Warren and Elaine's house from when I was a kid.

With sympathy,  
Sarah, Mike, Eliza, and Erik

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**Sarah Principato** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ Dear Sonesons- I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your mom. She was a lovely lady -always so friendly and thoughtful. I know she accomplished many things during her life, but I'm sure she considered you, her family, to be her greatest achievement. My thoughts and prayers are with you during this time - and I know she'll be smiling down on you this Easter.

Sincerely,  
Margaret

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**Margaret Anderson-Murphy** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

CK

“ Jeff, Pam and family  
Cherish your memories as they will help you stay strong during this difficult time. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Cheryl Kallberg** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Pam and Jeff, my thoughts are with you and your family. Pam, I know you always enjoyed your lunches/dinners with "the Moms".

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**Jenn Hull** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

IY

“ Dear Greg, Wendy, Michael & Andrew,  
Mrs. Soneson was a wonderful person with a wonderful family. We were first introduced to her at Andrew's graduation party. Chatting with her, we recognized how her sweet personality, sense of humor & devotion to family is mirrored by you all.

Greg, You are a good son. We all enjoyed running into you while you were out with mom on Saturday morning errands of hairdresser & grocery store; well all except maybe Lori Shirley. You will have those fond memories to make you smile & keep her close to your heart.

Sincerely, Irene & Neil Young

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**Irene & Neil Young** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ My deepest sympathy goes out to the Soneson family for the loss of Elaine. I will always remember the good times at Jeff and Pam's for a Sunday dinner or summer picnic..especially those Breakfast ones! They were the best. She will be missed always!

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**Beth Schubert** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM