



## Marilyn "Mimi" Cheever

August 19, 1940 - September 30, 2017

Marilyn Adela Cheever

MT. PLEASANT - Marilyn Adela (nee: Rux) Cheever, 77, passed away peacefully at Ascension All Saints on Saturday, September 30, 2017. Marilyn was born in Milwaukee on August 19, 1940, the daughter of the late Carl and Adela (nee: Krause) Rux. She attended Wisconsin Avenue Grade School and was in the last graduating class of West Division High School in 1958.

Marilyn was married in the same church that she had been baptized and was confirmed in. She met Duaine Cheever in 1953, when she was 13 years old and as she would tell you, she didn't like him then. When she was 16, almost 17, her dad let her go on a date to a birthday party at Duaine's older sister's house. Marilyn never dated anyone else and when she was 19 they were married at St. Martini's Lutheran Church in Milwaukee on May 14, 1960. They were together for more than 57 years.

Marilyn worked at Woolworths Dime Store and Milwaukee Auto until the North Shore stopped running. Then she was a stay at home mom, which she loved. People used to say her house was so clean you could eat off the floor.

Marilyn is survived by her husband, Duaine; son, James Louis (LeeAnn Morris) Cheever and Thomas Allan Cheever; grandchildren, Donald, Samantha, Justin, Brennon, Ashlee and Thomas; great grandchildren, Amberlyn, McKenzie, Peyton, Emerson, Orion and Liam.

She is further survived by sisters-in-law, Elaine, Erma, Eva, Ellen, Barbara, Gloria, Tina, Frieda Rux, brother-in-law Carl Sleider and dear friend Lyn

(Greg) Simon in addition to many nieces, nephews, other relatives, friends and her beloved Yorkie canine companion, Cassie.

She was preceded in death by an infant son, Edward Allan Cheever, granddaughter, Tiffany, her parents, brother, Ronald, sister, LaVerne, in-laws, Frank and Ethel Cheever, brothers-in-law, Donald, LeRoy, Albert Cheever and sister-in-law Eileen (Monty) Penkert.

Also a succession of beloved dogs and cats that surely raced to meet her as she crossed the bridge from one side to the next.

Funeral services and interment will be held at West Lawn Memorial Park Chapel on Saturday, October 7, 2017 at 10:30 a.m. with visitation beginning at 9 a.m.

# Cemetery Details

## West Lawn Memorial Park

9000 Washington Ave  
Racine, WI 53406

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 7. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

West Lawn Memorial Park Chapel  
9000 Washington Ave  
Racine, WI 53406

## Funeral Service

OCT 7. 10:30 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Sturino Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Marilyn "Mimi" Cheever



Sturino Funeral Home - October 05, 2017 at 10:28 PM



“ So very sorry for the family loss, she will be missed.

david herman - October 06, 2017 at 12:22 PM



“ 71 files added to the album Life Tributes



Sturino Funeral Home - October 05, 2017 at 09:19 PM



*Beautiful pictures, lovely memories, sending strength and peace at this difficult time.  
Love, Linda Bennett, Neice*

**Linda Herman Bennett** - October 07, 2017 at 10:13 AM

JS

“ *Jenny Sieker lit a candle in memory of Marilyn "Mimi" Cheever*



**Jenny Sieker** - October 04, 2017 at 11:15 AM

AJ

“ *Ashlee Jansen lit a candle in memory of Marilyn "Mimi" Cheever*



**Ashlee Jansen** - October 04, 2017 at 09:17 AM

SH

“ *Love, Hugs, & Prayers!*

**sherri** - October 04, 2017 at 01:21 AM

JR

“ *Jeff, Mary, Jennifer and Adalynn Rude purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Marilyn "Mimi" Cheever.*



**Jeff, Mary, Jennifer and Adalynn Rude** - October 03, 2017 at 11:19 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Marilyn "Mimi" Cheever.*



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October 03, 2017 at 10:05 PM



“ *I remember them when I was a kid they lived next to the convent store in Crestview. And we would walk by there house going to visit there cousins .*



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**Julie** - October 03, 2017 at 08:17 PM