



## Frances Agda Peterson

August 4, 1925 - May 6, 2021

Frances Agda Peterson (nee Hodges) passed away on May 6, 2021, at the age of 95.

She was the devoted wife of the late Carl Edwin Peterson for 40 years, the loving mother of Karin Peterson LaBarge (Richard) of Haddonfield, New Jersey, and James Carl Peterson (MaryBeth) of Meridian, Idaho, grandmother of Robert LaBarge and Erica (Peterson) Poelstra, and great-grandmother of Freya Poelstra. She has two surviving siblings: Vivian Donner of Jackson and David Hodges of Boon, as well as many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Preceding Frances in death are her parents, Justine and Agda Hodges, her brother, Kenneth Hodges, and her sister, Mary Fox.

Frances worked for 20 years as a teller and secretary at the Cadillac State Bank (later the NBD Bank and Bank One) and was a church secretary at Zion Lutheran Church while her children were in elementary school. She also was a crucial supporting partner in the family's grocery store, Pete's Market, in Tustin, MI.

Over the years she was active in various local activities and organizations including the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Mercy Hospital auxiliary, Red Hats, Business and Professional Women, Eastern Star, and her

Zion Lutheran Church's women's circle. She enjoyed playing cards and bridge and canasta and travel, both domestic and international with an especial fondness for England.

Fran's family is most appreciative for the excellent care she received from Green Acres and Hospice of Michigan during the final years of her life.

A graveside service will take place at Maple Hill Cemetery in Cadillac.

In lieu of flowers, memorials in Fran's memory may be made to: Zion Lutheran Church, 350 Pearl Street, Cadillac, MI 49601; the Autism Science Foundation, 106 W. 32nd Street, #182, New York, NY 10001; or The Breast Cancer Research Foundation, 28 West 44th Street, Suite 609, New York, NY 10036.

An online guestbook is available at [www.petersonfh.com](http://www.petersonfh.com).

# Tribute Wall

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“ Fran was great to work with at The Cadillac State Bank / NBD Bank and wonderful to visit with at Green Acres. We always reminisced about the good times we had at the bank. My sympathies to Karin, Jim and families.

Kathy (Ziska) Swiger - May 07, 2021 at 06:15 PM

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“ Fran was a wonderful woman who I got to know initially working two summers at the Cadillac State Bank. She was such a friendly person always giving me a big smile any time I saw her over the years. She always kept me up to speed on how her son, my classmate Jim was doing. Prayers to Jim and the rest of the family.

Wilbur Potvin - May 07, 2021 at 02:31 PM

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“ My mother will be missed and in our memory forever.

James Peterson - May 07, 2021 at 05:51 AM

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“ Fran will be greatly missed. When I joined Zion Lutheran Church of Cadillac I was to learn that Fran was an integral part of the women's circles and beloved by all. She was a dear friend to my Mom Inlaw, Wilma Moore. My heart aches for the family as I share your sorrow. Peace and Blessings.

ELSIE L MOORE - May 07, 2021 at 04:55 AM



“ *Such a lovely lady inside and out, she always so very sweet and so very kind.* ተዕዛዝ ተገባሪ

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**Jan Hodges** - May 07, 2021 at 04:50 AM