



Pauline V. Finger

October 20, 2015

Pauline Virginia, Scott-Wren, 86, of Lancaster, jitter-bugged her way into Heaven on Monday, October 19, 2015 at Country Meadows, Lancaster, PA.

She was Part Cherokee Indian, Pauline's ancestors survived The Native American "Trail of Tears". Her parents were betrothed in what was called Cherokee Indian Territory, later to become the State of Oklahoma. Her parents Robert Scott and Maddie Wren moved to Amarillo, Texas, where Pauline was born as a member of the Wren Tribe, then migrated back to Oklahoma to finish high school off the Reservation.

After high school, she picked cotton, did odd jobs, sang and yodeled with her twin brother to raise enough money to move to the Washington, DC area. She began working at the Pentagon and quickly rose to work as secretary to (Admirals) in the office of Navy Intelligence. Her level of security clearance was almost unheard of for a woman at that time, much less being a Native American. It was there where she met her future husband, Marine John L. Finger. They were married and moved to Lancaster in 1950, John's home town. In Lancaster she worked at several businesses, including Equipment Finance and RCA.

In 1976 John retired from the Lancaster City Police Department and they moved to Las Vegas where Pauline worked with the Department of Defense.

She also was a statistical analyst for a prominent CPA firm, preparing taxes for high level personalities of Las Vegas, especially "Country Stars".

Pauline is survived by her husband of sixty-six years John L. Finger. Two sons, John D. Finger of Mexico and Robert R. husband of Denise St. Pierre Finger of Lancaster. Also surviving her is one daughter Cassie I. Finger Haley of Las Vegas, eleven grandchildren and seventeen great-grandchildren.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Pauline's Memorial Service which will be held at The Groffs Family Funeral & Cremation Services, Inc., 528 West Orange Street, (the corner of Orange & Pine Sts.), Lancaster, PA 17603 on Thursday, October 29, 2015 at 11:00 a.m. with Chaplain Brian Blais officiating. The family will receive friends from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Pauline's name may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, Post Office Box 96011, Washington, DC 20090-6011. Please list Pauline V. Finger on your personal check.

Tribute Wall



“ *Pauline V. Finger*

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ *Cassie, Rob and John: My sincere condolences on the passing of your mom. She had such a full life...you can be very proud. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Esther Gillett - October 29, 2015 at 12:26 PM



“ *Nanny, you will be missed! You were so wonderful to my children and you watched them countless times when they were little! My prayers are with the entire Finger family at this time of loss.*

Mike

Mike Haley - October 21, 2015 at 08:31 PM



“ *I am sorry for your loss, Mr. Finger. I have known you since I was a little girl as you were friends with my father and on the police force with him-Jack Farrell. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this time.*

*Sincerely,
Donna (Farrell) Barninger*

Donna (Farrell) Barninger - October 21, 2015 at 05:06 PM

CS

“ *Cassie and Family:
Condolences on the loss of your Mother. Great neighbors from the
old days on Whittier Lane.*

Chuck Simmons - October 21, 2015 at 04:03 PM

KJ

“ *My condolences to the Finger family on the loss of Mrs. Finger, as a
young man, John and I were very close and I was proud to have a
friend whose father was a member of the Lancaster police force. I
have many fond memories of times spent at the Finger household
on Duke st. Know that she is in a better place and that heaven has
a new angel.*

*On another note I would like to say that the letters to the editor that
Mr Finger has written were right on, and they were words that
needed to be said. I knew him to be an honest and forthright man
who served our city with fairness and integrity*

Sincerely your

Kenny

Ken McCombs jr - October 21, 2015 at 02:17 PM

LM

“ *John, my thoughts are with you, sorry for your lose. Len.*

Len McMullen - October 21, 2015 at 11:20 AM

CA

“ *I love you mom!*

Cassie - October 21, 2015 at 10:55 AM

KH

“ *Cassie, So very sorry to read of your mothers passing. Just know I'm thinking of you and praying for you and your family. An old childhood friend, Kris Hebensberger*

Kris Hebensberger - October 21, 2015 at 10:14 AM