



## Elvera M. Feltes

October 22, 1921 - April 29, 2015

Elvera “Vera” M. Feltes, 93, of Aurora passed away Wednesday, April 29, 2015 at Windsor Park Manor in Carol Stream, IL. She was born on October 22, 1921 in Aurora, IL to Theodore and Helen Schwartz. She was educated in the Aurora school system where she was a 1939 graduate of East Aurora High School and was a 1940 graduate of Ritchie Secretarial School.

On March 3, 1943, she entered the women’s branch of the US Navy as a W.A.V.E. She served in the Naval Intelligence Department in Washington D.C. In January of 1947, she was honorably discharged as a First Class Petty Officer and then returned to Aurora. On April 23, 1949, she married Howard J. Feltes at St. Nicholas Church. She was a member of Holy Angels Church since 1949. She was a member of St. Anne’s Society of Holy Angels Church; a life member of Provena Mercy Auxiliary where she served two terms as President and was a volunteer for Mercy for more than 30 years. She was a charter member of the Lay Board of Trustees of Rosary High School where she served as Chairperson of Development and later as Chairperson of the Trustee Board. She also was a life member of the Veritas Society of Rosary High School. She was a life member of the Abbot Marmion Society and was active in various Marmion activities. She served as a volunteer at Holy Angels School both as a teacher’s aide and in the library. She was a long time Eucharistic Minister at Holy Angels Church. She was a life member of the Aurora Historical Society and a member of the Kane Country Republican

Women. She was a member of the Aurora Country Club where she had played golf and bowled.

Elvera is survived by her three children Sarah Beth (John) Stride of Hudson, OH, Thomas (Jennifer) Feltes of Bluffton, SC, and Timothy (Karla) Feltes of Wheaton, IL; seven grandchildren Megan of Chicago, IL, Lyndsey and Erin Stride of Hudson, OH, Alexandria Feltes of Catalina Island, CA, Theodore Feltes of Bluffton, SC, and Elizabeth and Anna-Kathryn Feltes of Wheaton, IL; two sisters-in-law Dorothy Black and Laurie Feltes both of Aurora; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 51 years Howard Feltes in 2000; her daughter Pamela in 1988; her parents Helen and Theodore Schwartz; and her parents-in-law Josephine and Leonard C. Feltes.

Funeral from THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY will be Monday, May 4, 2015 from 9:30am to Holy Angels Church at 10:00am. A concelebrated Mass will be offered by Fr. Michael Lavan, Rt. Rev. Abbot John Brahill, OSB and Fr. Charles Reichenbacher, OSB. Interment will be at Marywood Cemetery. Visitation will be Sunday, May 3, 2015 from 2:00pm until 8:00pm with a liturgical wake service at 7:00pm at THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY, 220 N. Lake St., Aurora, 630-631-5500 or visit our interactive website at [www.daleidenmortuary.com](http://www.daleidenmortuary.com) where you may leave condolences for Elvera's family.

Memorial contributions may be made in Elvera's memory to Rosary High School, Marmion Abbey, or Holy Angels Grade School.

# Cemetery Details

## Marywood Cemetery

Church Road  
aurora, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 3. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Daleiden Mortuary  
220 N. Lake Street  
Aurora, IL 60506  
(630) 631-5500  
daleidenmortuary@gmail.com  
<https://www.daleidenmortuary.com>

## Wake Service

MAY 3. 7:00 PM (CT)

Daleiden Mortuary  
220 N. Lake Street  
Aurora, IL 60506  
(630) 631-5500  
daleidenmortuary@gmail.com  
<https://www.daleidenmortuary.com>

## Funeral Mass

MAY 4. 10:00 AM (CT)

Holy Angels Church  
120 South Lancaster Avenue  
Aurora, IL 60506

# Tribute Wall



“ Daleiden Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Elvera M. Feltes



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**Daleiden Mortuary** - May 01, 2015 at 03:38 PM

KB

“ I remember Vera from the time I was in 8th grade. She and Howard "hosted" the first boy-girl party for our class from Holy Angels. She was always a classy woman. Please know that prayers are sent your way from both my mother Eileen Scanlan and me.  
Kathy Scanlan Bielmeier

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**Kathy Scanlan Bielmeier** - May 22, 2015 at 03:05 PM

DC

“ I really enjoyed talking with Vera when we worked together at Holy Angels library. I loved hearing her Navy stories. She was such a sweet person! So sorry for your loss. Debbie (Ralph) Camp

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**Debbie Camp** - May 04, 2015 at 09:31 PM

RE

“ Renee lit a candle in memory of Elvera M. Feltes



Renee - May 04, 2015 at 08:50 AM

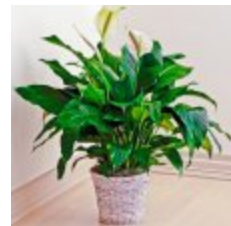
RE

“ We've lost a very special lady and friend... Vera was truly a 'Angel' on earth and now she can receive her heavenly reward she's so deserving of. She gave so much of herself with her caring for: Holy Angels Church & School, Rosary High School, Dominican Sisters in Springfield, Marmion H.S. and so much more. I'll most miss her visits and our great talks over many years first at Randall Drugs...and the last 20 years at Nicole's Hallmark...where she especially liked shopping for \*'Her' VERA Bradley purses! (\*we often joked that the entire line was named for her!) I was honored to know you. God Bless You, Dear Vera as you have Blessed All of us. Thoughts & prayers to all of her Family & Friends, Renée Kuntz

Renee - May 04, 2015 at 08:49 AM

RF

“ Rosary High School Family purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Elvera M. Feltes.



Rosary High School Family - May 02, 2015 at 11:14 AM

DT

“ *Holy Angels school and parish have lost a great lady. Her wisdom and and good sense were a part of our parish school and parish leadership for over sixty years. Her voice will be missed.*

Deacon Tim - May 01, 2015 at 05:20 PM



“ *Fields of Europe for Spring was purchased for the family of Elvera M. Feltes.*



May 01, 2015 at 03:33 PM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Elvera M. Feltes.*



May 01, 2015 at 02:29 PM



“ *White Sympathy Baskets was purchased for the family of Elvera M. Feltes.*



May 01, 2015 at 02:13 PM



“ *Red & White Sympathy Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Elvera M. Feltes.*



May 01, 2015 at 12:26 PM



“ *Multicolor Pastel Sympathy Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Elvera M. Feltes.*



May 01, 2015 at 11:40 AM



“ *Classic Sympathy Basket Arrangement was purchased for the family of Elvera M. Feltes.*



May 01, 2015 at 09:45 AM



“ *The Leppo Family purchased the Fields of Europe for Spring for the family of Elvera M. Feltes.*



**The Leppo Family** - April 30, 2015 at 11:59 PM