



Helen L. Sylvester (Halstead)

March 20, 1934 - October 20, 2018

Helen L. (Halstead) Sylvester, 84 of North Tonawanda, Saturday (October 20, 2018) at home surrounded by family under the care of Niagara Hospice. Mrs. Sylvester was born in Newfane, New York on March 20, 1934 to Clarence and Evelyn (Savage) Halstead. Helen was a Special Education Teacher, life long member of North Presbyterian Church, North Tonawanda where she was a Elder; She was outstanding in many ways, her list of accomplishments would require a book.

Helen is survived by her beloved husband Robert W. Sylvester, mother of Mary Racine, Timothy (Catherine), and Peter (Lila) Sylvester, sister of John (Pat), and the late Judith Halstead, grandmother of Shaun Racine, and Sarah (Brandon) Nowacki, great grandmother of Chase, and Jacob Nowacki, also surviving are nieces and nephews.

Friends may call Wednesday from 2-4 and 7-9 P.M. at the Wattengel Funeral Home, 533 Meadow Drive, North Tonawanda. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 12:00 P.M. from North Presbyterian Church, 168 Payne Ave, North Tonawanda, NY 14120. Interment Acacia Park Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Acacia Park Cemetery

4215 Tonawanda Creek Rd N.
North Tonawanda, NY

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **24**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Wattengel Funeral Home (Meadow Drive)
533 Meadow Drive
North Tonawanda, NY 14120
(716) 693-0440
wattengelfh@gmail.com
<https://www.wattengel.com>

Visitation

OCT **24**. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

OCT **25**. 12:00 PM (ET)

North Presbyterian Church
168 Payne Avenue
North Tonawanda, NY 14120

Tribute Wall



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Helen L. Sylvester (Halstead).*



October 23, 2018 at 08:08 AM



“ *Thoughts and prayers to your family during this difficult time.*

Jim and Heidi

Jim and Heidi - October 22, 2018 at 07:43 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Sending love and prayers your way*



Karen Lynn - October 22, 2018 at 03:30 PM

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“ Dear Bob, Mary, Tim, Pete, and family,

We are so very fortunate to have had Helen as our dear neighbor for 21 years. Being a neighbor to a family with four growing children can be challenging, I'm sure! But, in all of those years, there was never one complaint from Helen or Bob--even during those late night bonfires and pool parties! I so enjoyed hearing about all of their wonderful camping trips. I could not have hand-picked a better neighbor and friend. About a month ago, even though Helen was struggling, she made delicious homemade tapioca pudding for me. That sums up Helen's caring spirit and warm heart--always thinking about others before herself. She will be dearly missed by us. Love, the Currys

JANET CURRY - October 22, 2018 at 02:55 PM