

Marie "Mongie" Eisen Swartz-November, 11, 1923 - August 10, 2017





The Twenty-Third Psalm

/he Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the path of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies. Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

Marie "Mongie" Gisen Swartz, 93, of Beaumont, died peacefully Thursday, August 10, 2017, at Baptist Hospital of Southeast Texas, Beaumont. She was born on November 11, 1923, in Beaumont, to Yetta Speer Eisen and Harry Eisen.

Mongie and beloved sisters Florence Eisen Rosenthal and Natalie Eisen Schlosser and many beloved Speer family cousins grew up in a warm and nurturing family environment in Beaumont. Mongie attended Millard Elementary School, Dick Dowling Junior High and graduated Beaumont High School in the great class of 1940 before attending Lamar College to earn a degree in accounting. When World War II broke out, Mongie left college to first work in the accounting office of the Beaumont Enterprise and later for the War Emergency Pipeline. In 1942 Mongie met a young army officer, Leonard Swartz and after a courtship was married on March 28th, 1943. Mongie and Leonard first lived in Deridder, Louisiana where Leonard was stationed at Camp Polk, then Fort Benning Georgia and later at Fort Ord California. While Leonard "shipped-out" as an amphibious tank battalion commander to the Pacific for two years, Mongie returned to Beaumont to live, work and wait for the war to end.

While Mongie was raising her two sons, Gary and Bruce, she was always active in her religious community. Her family were members of Congregation Kol Israel where she was active in their sisterhood and all congregational activities. She was also a member of Hadassah and



later an active member of the Sisterhood of Temple Emanuel. Mongie loved to cook and prepare delicious foods. No holiday went by without her baking wonderful cakes and breads to share with family and friends. Mongie was always one of the first to pay a visit to a sick friend and would share her baked goodies and a warm smile. She was also an active member of the Beaumont community which she was so proud of. She volunteered several days each week for over 25 years at St. Elizabeth Hospital delivering mail, warm wishes and cheer to the patients as well as often working in the gift shop. Mongie also often volunteered for many years preparing and serving food for the needy in various locations in Beaumont.

Mongie was happiest when she was with her family. She would beam with pride while around her treasured grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Mongie is survived by her husband of seventy-four years, Leonard Swartz of Beaumont; sons, Gary Swartz and his wife Gail, of Bellaire; and Bruce Swartz of Beaumont; grandchildren, Hershel Swartz and his wife, Dr. Sarah, of Bellaire; and Rachel Toubin and her husband, Andrew, of Bellaire; and great-grandchildren, Hannah Swartz, Byer Swartz, Sydney Dylan Swartz, Sam Toubin, and Peri Lynn Toubin, all of Bellaire. She is also survived by many beloved nephews and their spouses, a beloved niece and her husband.

May her memory be for a blessing.







יִתְגַּדֵּל וְיִתְקַדֵּשׁ שְׁמֵה רַבָּא. בְּעָלְמָא דִּי בְרָא כִּרְעוּתִהּ, וְיַמְלִיךּ מֵלְכוּתִהּ בְּחַיֵּיכוֹן וּבְיוֹמֵיכוֹן וּבְחַיֵּי דְכָל בֵּית יִשְׂרָאֵל. בַּעְגָלָא וּבִוְמַן קָרִיב וִאִמָרוּ אַמֵן:

Yit-ga-dal v'yit-ka-dash sh'mei ra-ba. B'al-ma di-v'ra chi-ru-tei, v'yam-lich mal-chu-tei b'chai-yei-chon u-v'yo-mei-chon u-v'chai-yei d'chol beit Yis-ra-eil, ba-a-ga-la u-viz-man ka-riv, v'i-m'ru: A-mein.

יָהֵא שְׁמֵהּ רַבָּא מְבָרַךּ לְעָלֵם וּלְעָלְמֵי עָלְמֵיּא: Y'hei sh'mei ra-ba m'va-rach l'a-lam ul'al-mei al-mai-ya.

יִתְבָּרֵךְ וְיִשְׁתַּבַּח, וְיִתְפָּאֵר וְיִתְרוֹמֵם וְיִתְנַשֵּׂא וְיִתְהַדָּר וְיִתְעֵלֶּה וְיִתְהַלֶּל שְׁמֵה דְּקְדְשָׁא בְּרִיךְ הוּא לְעֵלָּא מִן כְּל בִּרְכָתָא וְשִׁירָתָא, תִּשְׁבְּחָתָא וְנָחֶמָתָא, דַאֲמִירָן בְּעָלְמָא, וְאִמָרוּ אָמֵן:

Yit-ba-rach v'yish-ta-bach v'yit-pa-ar v'yit-ro-mam v'yit-na-sei, v'yit-ha-dar v'yit-a-leh v'yit-ha-lal sh'mei d'ku-d'sha, b'rich hu. L'ei-la min kol bir-cha-ta v'shi-ra-ta, toosh-b'cha-ta v'ne-che-ma-ta da-a-mi-ran b'a-l'ma, v'i-m'ru: A-mein.

יְהֵא שְׁלָמָא רַבָּא מִן שְׁמַיָּא וְחַיִּים עָלֵינוּ וְעַל כְּל יִשִּׂרָאֵל, וְאִמָרוּ אָמֵן:

Y'hei sh'la-ma ra-ba min sh'ma-ya v'cha-yim a-lei-nu v'al kol Yis-ra-eil, v'i-m'ru: A-mein.

עֹשֶׂה שָׁלוֹם בִּמְרוֹמָיו הוּא יַעֲשֶׂה שָׁלוֹם עָלֵינוּ וְעַל כָּל יִשִּׂרָאֵל, וִאִמְרוּ אָמֵן:

O-seh sha-lom bim-ro-mav, hu ya-a-seh sha-lom a-lei-nu v'al kol Yis-ra-eil, v'i-m'ru: A-mein.

Mourner's Kaddish English Translation

Glorified and sanctified be God's great name throughout the world which He has created according to His will. May He establish His kingdom in your lifetime and during your days, and within the life of the entire House of Israel, speedily and soon; and say, Amen.

May His great name be blessed forever and to all eternity.

Blessed and praised, glorified and exalted, extolled and honored, adored and lauded be the name of the Holy One, blessed be He, beyond all the blessings and hymns, praises and consolations that are ever spoken in the world; and say, Amen.

May there be abundant peace from heaven, and life, for us and for all Israel; and say, Amen.

He who creates peace in His celestial heights, may He create peace for us and for all Israel; and say, Amen.



Funeral Service Sunday, August 13, 2017 11:00 a.m. Temple Emanuel Beaumont, Texas Rabbi Mathew Michaels

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Alan Sampson
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