



## Mae M. (Lach) Shonak

June 25, 1919 - December 2, 2018

TOWNSEND- Mae M. (Lach) Shonak, 99 of Townsend, formerly of East Longmeadow, died peacefully at her home on Sunday morning, December 2, 2018.

She was born in Springfield on June 25, 1919 and grew up in the City, graduating from Commerce High School there. She had lived in East Longmeadow for several years before moving to Townsend to live with family almost 4 years ago.

During her working years, Mea was employed by the Aetna Insurance Company in Springfield for serval years prior to her retirement. Later in life she was very active at the East Longmeadow Senior Center.

Her husband, Vladam Shonak died in 1988. She leaves a son, James J. Shonak and his wife Carol of Townsend; a daughter, Kristine M. Garner and her husband Steven of Corning, NY; three grandchildren, Jill Burdick, Steven Garner and Katherine Roberts and six great-grandchildren, Nicole, Devon, Oliver, Zoe, Nicholas and Alexander. She is predeceased by her brother Andrew Lach.

Her funeral will be held on Saturday, December 8, 2018, at 10 AM in the St. Peter & St. St. Paul Orthodox Church, 118 Carew St., Springfield. Burial will

follow in the Oak Grove Cemetery in Springfield. There is no calling ours.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the St. Peter & St. Paul Orthodox Church.

# Cemetery Details

**Oak Grove Cemetery**

Springfield, MA

# Tribute Wall

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“ YOUR MOM AND DAD, Shared some great memories with my Mom and Dad. Growing up in East Longmeadow, your parents came to visit at our house many times. I'm sure the two couples had many great times together. They were always laughing together @ our dining room table! More than likely they were doing the same on Mapleshade avenue. Sorry to hear of her passing but i'm sure your Dad is happy to see her again!!

**GOD REST HER SOUL!! AMEN**

*With fond memories!*

*Mark Grabowski*

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*East Longmeadow, Ma. 01028*

*ps; formerly of 23 Porter Road*

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**Mark Grabowski** - December 06, 2018 at 09:10 PM