



## Christene F. Arnold

May 22, 1933 - January 13, 2024

No obituary found for this tribute.

# Cemetery Details

## Westlawn Cemetery

31472 Michigan Ave  
Wayne, MI 48184

# Previous Events

## Visitation

Monday, Jan. **22**. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home  
17600 Plymouth Road  
Detroit, MI 48227  
(313) 838-9770  
info@pyefuneralhome.com

## Family Hour

Tuesday, Jan. **23**. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

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## Celebration of Life

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# Tribute Wall

“ Christene Ford Arnold

*a daughter*

*a sister*

*a wife*

*a mother*

*a grandmother*

*a great grandmother*

*a auntie and much much more*

*Our mother Willa Ford McKinney auntie's "Irish twin" born exactly  
2 years and two days apart*

*Auntie Christene would fully understand and want us to take care of  
her little sister*

*Family ment so much to my aunt*

*I'm so very happy that my mother and my auntie were able to have  
a short phone conversation this past Christmas*

*Family was one of the greatest gifts our auntie shared*

*There are so many beautiful memories*

*When my mom was unavailable*

*Auntie filled in*

*I will miss the many phone conversations I had with Auntie*

*Especially the ones she told me over and over again (smile) about  
the time she had to take her oldest sister Betty Ford Johnson to the  
hospital for the birth of my cousin, Debra*

*Then rushing to the other side of town to take my mother to the  
hospital for my birth all in less than 48 hours*

*Both of her sisters husband's were in the military, so Auntie filled in  
again and in many other ways*

*Her Independence was the proudest point other than family*

*Auntie was so proud of being 90 and still able to attend to the  
beautiful flowers in her yard. cooking for everyone (what a great  
cook) and even sometimes shoveling a little snow.*

*She didn't have to do that, but she said " I'm able and blessed " she  
was proud of that !*

*One memory at my daughters wedding that Auntie came in the  
dressing room to help me dress Johanna*

*She was so happy coming to California and fussing over her*

*Auntie said " I don't have a daughter so this makes me very happy"  
Yes, Christine Arnold will be missed by a great deal of people  
We have another angel to look over us her family  
We will meet again until then  
I will try to fill in  
Love you forevermore  
Little sister Willa,  
Nieces, Laura and Johanna  
Nephews Billy and Darryl  
The McKinney crew*

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**Laura McKinney Black** - January 22, 2024 at 09:21 PM

TH

“ *Your mother was a vibrant compassionate, humorous and beautiful woman.  
She shared many tips with me and a cake recipe over 40 years ago.  
My prayers to John, Terry and the entire Arnold family. May God grant you comfort, peace, and cherished memories.*

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**Tommye Hinton** - January 22, 2024 at 04:30 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of  
Christene F. Arnold.*



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January 22, 2024 at 02:15 PM

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“ *From Carl Alexander and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Christene F. Arnold.*

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**From Carl Alexander and family** - January 22, 2024 at 02:15 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Christene F. Arnold.*



January 22, 2024 at 10:06 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Christene F. Arnold.*



January 21, 2024 at 08:01 PM



“ *Daughters of Yvonne Darty (Burney) planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Christene F. Arnold.*

**Daughters of Yvonne Darty (Burney)** - January 21, 2024 at 08:01 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Christene F. Arnold.*



January 18, 2024 at 03:36 PM

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“ *The Hines Family in Stuart planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Christene F. Arnold.*

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**The Hines Family in Stuart** - January 18, 2024 at 03:36 PM

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“ *To Terry and John:  
So saddened to hear of the passing of my dear Aunt Chris. My heartfelt condolences. She was truly a beautiful lady. So Kind and sweet. We loved her so much. Sending deepest sympathy.  
With much love,  
Cousin Faye Hines Carter, 180 Webster Road,, Mt. Airy, NC*

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**Faye Carter** - January 16, 2024 at 10:50 PM

CC

*Please accept my sympathy for the loss of your mother.  
May loving memories help console your grief.  
With sincere condolences,*

*Cliff Coleman & Family*

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**Cliff Coleman** - January 20, 2024 at 06:24 PM

LH

*Johnny and Terry, my heart is heavy as I can't be there in Detroit as you lay Aunt Chris to rest. I'd be there if I could. I loved Aunt Chris to Infinity and beyond. May God be with you tomorrow and always.  
Love,  
Lynn*

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**Lynn Hughes** - January 22, 2024 at 08:23 PM