



## Ingrid Ruth Irma Zellmer

March 30, 1928 - September 6, 2024

Rye - Ingrid Ruth Irma Zellmer, 96, of Rye and formerly of Ridgecrest, CA, passed away peacefully on Friday, September 6, 2024. Born on March 30, 1928, in Berlin, Germany, Ingrid was the only child of the late Jankel and Margarete (Demke) Selzerman. She shared over seventy-five years of marriage with her beloved husband, Wayne Zellmer, until his passing in 2022.

Ingrid was raised in Berlin and attended local schools. She met Wayne while he was stationed in Germany during his enlistment with the United States Army, and she was working as an English translator at the local post exchange. The couple married young, and in 1947, moved to the United States. They first settled in Iowa where Wayne furthered his education, and later moved to California for a time. They lived in Chicago before eventually settling in China Lake, CA, where they raised their son, Steven.

Ingrid enjoyed a long career with Bank of America, serving for greater than 25 years, and was later a respected member of the Board of Directors for the Naval Weapons Center Federal Credit Union. Together with Wayne, she loved to travel, particularly back to Germany.

Ingrid was deeply involved in her community, volunteering at the local hospital as a Pink Lady. She was a longtime member of Grace Lutheran Church in Ridgecrest, CA, where she developed many cherished friendships.

Left to honor Ingrid's memory is her son, Steven Zellmer, and his wife Leanne of Hampton Falls. She also leaves behind her grandchildren, Stacie Flinner and her husband David, Sean Zellmer, and Scott Zellmer, as well as her great-grandson, Campbell Flinner, who brought her immense joy.

A service to celebrate Ingrid's life will be held at 2pm on Monday, September 23rd at the Remick & Gendron Funeral Home-Crematory, 811 Lafayette Road, Hampton. Burial will follow at a later date in Graceland Cemetery, Sioux City, IA. In lieu of flowers, donations in Ingrid's memory may be made to World Vision by clicking here (<https://www.worldvision.org/donate>)

# Cemetery Details

## Graceland Cemetery

Sioux City, IA

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

SEP 23. 2:00 PM (ET)

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