

Elise Hawkinson June 4, 1926 to Dec. 5, 2021

Elise was born in San Mateo, CA and raised in Burlingame. She attended San Mateo Junior College and San Jose State University, majoring in elementary education. She and Larry were married in 1947, had two daughters and three grand- children. She worked full time for two year as a Kindergarten and first grade teacher, and then continued to work as a substitute teacher over the next 30 years in Los Altos and Palo Alto. In addition, she volunteered for 10 years as Pink Lady, primarily in the pediatrics department of El Camino Hospital. She also served in the Environmental Volunteers, working with children. Elise sang in the choir of the Los Altos Baptist Church.

Larry and Elise traveled through 53 countries; a photographic safari in Africa was especially memorable for them.

They moved to SRC on 6/6/2006 and to Assisted Living in 2016, and Elise moved to the Health Care Center shortly after where she spent five years.