



Dorothy A. Schroeder Steuerwald

September 28, 1920 - June 6, 2021

Dorothy A. Schroeder Steuerwald, 100, of Indianapolis, Indiana, passed away June 6, 2021. She was born September 28, 1920 in Indianapolis, Indiana to the late Albert C. and Dorothea Ehr Gott Schroeder. Dorothy was a graduate of Arsenal Technical High School, Class of 1938. On May 25, 1944, she married Robert E. Steuerwald while he was home on leave from the U.S. Army. Dorothy was primarily a homemaker throughout her life but while working at Real Silk Company during WWII, she completed a Purdue University War Training course in the Department of Engineering-Science-Management: "Fundamentals of Manufacturing Accounting".

For over 25 years Dorothy was an active member of the "Community Doers", an Old Bethel United Methodist Church group, which sews and embroiders pillows that are donated to hospitalized children at Community Hospital East. Dorothy was a master seamstress, sewing for her three daughters (including their wedding dresses) as well as many eastside friends. In addition to sewing, Dorothy enjoyed bowling, crocheting, and swimming as hobbies. She was a member of Old Bethel United Methodist Church.

Visitation will be Wednesday, July 7, 2021, from 11:00 a.m. until the time of service at 1:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel, 9606 East Washington Street.

Dorothy is survived by her daughters, Kathy Hains (Wes), Jane Fouts (Mike) and Robin Stahl (Tom); five grandchildren, Blair, Blaine, Nick, Tim and Allie;

and 10 great-grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to Old Bethel United Methodist Church.

Cemetery Details

Washington Park East

10612 E. Washington St.
Indianapolis, IN 46229

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 7. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel
9606 E. Washington Street
Indianapolis, IN 46229
(317) 897-9606
<https://shirleybrothers.com/>

Funeral Service

JUL 7. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I can't say enough about what a kind, gentle, loving, and accepting person Dorothy was. As just a brother to her son-in-law, Tom, Dorothy (and Bob) accepted and embraced me into her family as if I was a son also. I always felt welcomed and loved by Dorothy. For that I love her and I will personally miss her greatly. My thoughts and prayers are with all of Dorothy's family during this difficult time of closure. Peace is wished upon you all. Relish the memories of a great lady who made a difference and touched us all.

James Stahl

James Stahl - July 06, 2021 at 11:28 PM



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“ Having fun up north!



Allie Hadley - June 10, 2021 at 04:04 PM

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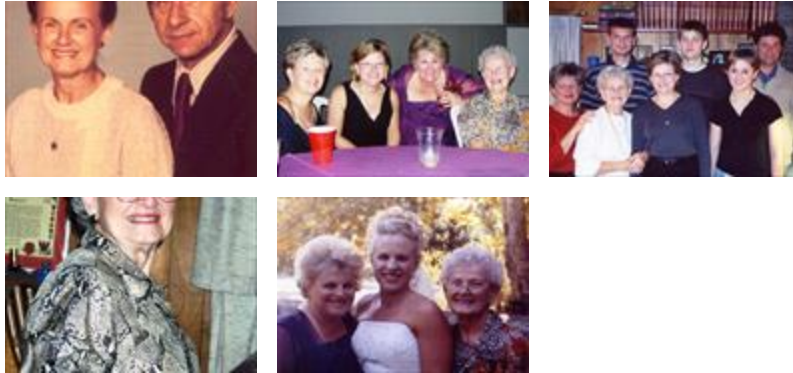
“ So blessed that grandma got to meet Eddie. Evie was so happy to see great grandma.



Allie Hadley - June 10, 2021 at 04:03 PM



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“ Mom gave 4800 kitty pillows their whiskers with her embroidery skills throughout the years! Wow! That's a lot of comforted kids! 🥺

Robin Stahl - June 08, 2021 at 09:59 PM