



Gail Arden Gulleson Hancock

January 29, 1935 - April 29, 2018

83, of Indianapolis, passed away April 29, 2018, after battling liver cancer and kidney failure. Gail was born in New Kensington, PA, January 29, 1935, to the late Walter and Burdella Gulleson. Her family moved to Indianapolis, where Gail graduated from Thomas Carr Howe High School in 1952. She married John M. Hancock, September 18, 1954, and enjoyed 63 happy years of marriage. Gail raised her two sons in West Lafayette, IN, and Rockford, IL, before settling down in Indianapolis where she worked at her father's business, Colors, Inc., now in its third generation. Gail was an active member of New Palestine United Methodist Church for many years where she was a member of the United Methodist Women. She was also a member of Common Threads Quilt Club. Gail loved reading Nicholas Sparks novels and spending time with her friends and family. She was well loved and will be dearly missed. Visitation will be Friday, May 4, 2018 from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel, 9606 E. Washington St. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 11:00 a.m. at New Palestine United Methodist Church, 3565 S. 500 West, New Palestine.

Gail is survived by her loving husband, John M. Hancock; sons, Michael E. (Kathy) and David J. (Rebecca) Hancock; seven grandchildren, Morgan, Haley, Adam, Sara, Emily, Diana, and Glenn; and four great-grandchildren. Gail's sister, Joyce Gulleson, preceded her in death.

Memorial contributions are suggested to New Palestine United Methodist Church.

Cemetery Details

Washington Park East

10612 E. Washington St.
Indianapolis, IN 46229

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 4. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

MAY 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

New Palestine United Methodist Church
3565 S. 500 W.
New Palestine, IN 46163
<http://www.npumc.com>

Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Gail Arden Guleson Hancock.



May 02, 2018 at 03:35 PM



“ *The Barkman Family, Ron and Christine* purchased the *Guiding Light Bouquet* for the family of Gail Arden Guleson Hancock.



The Barkman Family, Ron and Christine - May 02, 2018 at 11:35 AM



“ *Gail was special to us. Long time friends both in New Pal and in Destin, Will miss her so much. Walt and Delores Davis*

Walt and Delores Davis - May 01, 2018 at 05:15 PM



“ *The Families of Marilyn Stanton & Carolyn Cowden. purchased the Loved One Vertical Blanket for the family of Gail Arden Guleson Hancock.*



The Families of Marilyn Stanton & Carolyn Cowden. - May 01, 2018 at 11:49 AM

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“ *Sherry Wells lit a candle in memory of Gail Arden Gulleason Hancock*



Sherry Wells - April 30, 2018 at 08:56 PM

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“ *Condolences to family. Gail was a very special person. She will be missed greatly. Gail is gone from our lives but forever in our heart.*

Sherry Wells

Sherry Wells - April 30, 2018 at 08:43 PM