



Helen Agnes Hogue

July 13, 1934 - October 28, 2024

Helen Agnes Hogue, 90, of Indianapolis, Indiana, passed away on October 28, 2024. Born on July 13, 1934, Helen was a devoted mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother whose kindness and strength left a lasting legacy within her family.

Helen proudly served her country in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War from 1952-1955. After her military service, she embarked on a notable career with the U.S. Federal Government, dedicating 25 years to the Government Housing sector across various global locations. She retired with many accolades for her dedication and service.

Educationally, Helen graduated from Jane Adams High School and later, the Lutheran Hospital School of Nursing, which equipped her with the skills that proved essential throughout her life and career.

Helen was a loving presence in the lives of her children and grandchildren. She is survived by her son, Clyde R. Sliger and his wife, Rose; her daughter, Lovina M. Reeves and her husband, W. Mark; grandchildren, Richard O. Seys, Jr. and his wife Anna, Nicholas S. Seys, and Courtney Reeves; and great-granddaughter, Lucy Seys. She was preceded in death by her parents, John and Lovina Matson; siblings, Roy, John, Roselle, Betty, and Lavina Matson; son, Greg A. Sliger; and granddaughter, Ashley M. Reeves.

An avid reader and board game enthusiast, Helen cherished the moments spent with her family, engaging in these activities that brought them closer together.

In accordance with her wishes, Helen was cremated, and her ashes will be spread over the Appalachian Mountains. She was a member of the American Legion Post #0438, P.O. Box 51632, Indianapolis, IN 46251-0632, where charitable contributions can be made in her memory to honor her legacy and support the community, she held dear.

Helen Hogue will be profoundly missed by all who knew her, leaving behind memories filled with love, wisdom, and strength.

Tribute Wall

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“ My Dearest Helen, I already missed you. Although our plans to lunch together at your home in November 2024 did not happen, one day we'll all be together and will share our memories of past times, especially when we worked together at Fort Benjamin Harrison. You were the Fort Harrison Housing Manager, and I was the Sergeant Major for Installation Support. You were my Mentor and we were quite a team! We made sure that the soldiers and their families were cared for and received the best quality of life services. I remember when you and I used to laugh about what your young Grandson Rick (who is now a U.S. Army Officer) said about me: "She's not a Soldier, she's a Lady!" As members of the Indianapolis American Legion Women's Post 438, we still served soldiers and Veterans. I thank you for your outstanding service as a Naval Officer and a Federal Government Employee. God bless your family. Your Friend, Mary Aurtrey, U.S. Army Retired.

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