



Joy R. DeLay

November 26, 1931 - March 21, 2015

Joy DeLay

83, of Indianapolis, passed away March 21, 2015. She was born in Chicago, IL on November 26, 1931 to the late Gilbert and Sara Craig Richey. Joy graduated from Howe High School and attended Butler University. She was a devoted wife and mother and enjoyed cross stitch and embroidery. She was a member of Faith Presbyterian Church, Pi Beta Phi Sorority at Butler University and former member of Mud Creek Players.

Visitation will be held Friday, March 27, 2015 from 1:00 p.m. until the time of the Memorial Service at 3:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel, 9900 Allisonville Rd.

Joy is survived by her husband of 63 years, Tom DeLay; children, Tad (Linda), Dan (Julie), Debbie Parrish, and Andy (Monica); sister-in-law, Mary Richey; 11 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Her brother, Gilbert Richey and grandsons, Jordan and Gabriel DeLay preceded her in death.

Memorial contributions may be made to the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, 3500 DePauw Boulevard, Suite 1040, Indianapolis, IN 46268.

Cemetery Details

Oaklawn Memorial Gardens

9700 Allisonville Rd.
Indianapolis, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 27. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel
9900 N. Allisonville Road
Fishers, IN 46038
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Service

MAR 27. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Joy R. DeLay.*



March 26, 2015 at 05:46 PM



“ *Tom-
I'm so sorry to hear about Joy! I won't be able to attend the services.
I will get in contact with you very soon.
Judy Chroniak-Hatt*

Judy Chroniak - March 26, 2015 at 10:10 AM



“ *Never has there been such a laugh! Your name suited you perfectly.
You are missed!*

Michelle Moore - March 25, 2015 at 10:32 AM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of Joy's passing". She was surely well named for she was a Joy to be with. We have missed her at bridge club and at our gatherings in recent years. She fought a strong battle against all her health problems with the love and support of her family. I will miss hearing her fabulous laugh in the future. I'm in Florida and will be unable to attend the services but you will be in my thoughts, especially Tom.*

Judy Strange

judy strange - March 25, 2015 at 09:31 AM