



Marita Rae Morgan

January 20, 1940 - September 30, 2023

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83, of Greenfield, went to be with her Lord and Savior Sept. 30, 2023 after an extended illness. Marita was born January 20, 1940 in Carl Junction, Missouri to the late Clifford and Rachel (Jester) Rife. She graduated from Richmond, Indiana High School, Class of 1958 and attended Olivet Nazarene College in Kankakee, Illinois.

On December 18, 1967, Marita married the love of her life Carl R. (Dick) Morgan, who predeceased her in 2019 after 52 years of marriage. She was also preceded in death by a daughter, Lori Morgan Young; a son, Craig C. Morgan; a sister, Martha Ann Phillips; and a brother, Clifford Graham Rife Jr. She was a homemaker and an avid seamstress who loved her sewing/craft room where she worked on quilts, alterations, and home décor projects. A longtime member of the First Baptist Church in Madison, Mississippi she was in the choir and made costumes for their productions.

Marita is survived by her two beloved grandchildren, Austin Young and Morgan Hogue (Jeremy); two sisters, Marilyn S. Chandler (Steve) and Marjorie R. Friel; and a brother, James M. Rife (Kimiko).

Cremation rites were afforded to Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel, 9606 E. Washington St., Indianapolis, IN. Burial will be in Riverwood Memorial Park Cemetery, Brookhaven, Mississippi.