



Maryann Joy Griffiths

October 19, 1928 - March 31, 2018

Maryann Joy Griffiths went to be with her Savior and Lord on March 31, 2018 at the age of 89 years. Maryann was born October 19, 1928 in Ferris, Illinois. She was the middle child of three with an older sister Betty Jane (Griffiths) Ippensen and a younger brother William Floyd Griffiths.

Maryann was a graduate of Wheaton College where she earned her Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Education and Master's in Counseling at the University of Wisconsin. She met her lifelong co-laborer and best friend, Alice Pullin, while at Wheaton. Together, they faithfully served the Lord, their families, friends, church, and city for over 55 years. Maryann worked as a teacher and guidance counselor at several schools shepherding and mentoring thousands of young men and women in that community. Maryann and Alice are beloved members of Wallace Street Evangelical Church serving in multiple capacities for many years.

Maryann has 3 nieces (Donna Ippenson-Abrego, Dawn Griffiths, Sarah Griffiths-Lewis) and 3 nephews (Darrell Ippensen, Greg Griffiths and David Griffiths) as well as 5 great nieces and 4 great nephews. Mary Ann was also an "adopted" member of the Pullin/Morehead households where she expanded her family by 2 more sisters (Dorothy Pullin Carroll and Martha Pullin Morehead), 2 brothers-in-law (Luther Carroll and Richard Morehead), 2 nephews (Stephen Carroll and Scott Morehead) and 2 nieces (Karen Carroll Judkins and Shawn Morehead) as well as 8 adopted great nieces and nephews. Maryann was dearly loved and treasured by them all.

Those proceeding her in death were father and mother, Floyd and Marie (Ahrens) Griffiths, a nephew, Roger Ippensen; sister and brother-in-law, Betty (Griffiths) and Alfred Ippensen; sister-in-law, Carolyne Griffiths; and “adopted” sister and brother-in-law, Dorothy Pullin Carroll and Luther Carroll. She is survived by brother, William Griffiths; closest friend, Alice Pullin; and all her other nieces and nephews. Maryann will be greatly missed and dearly held in our hearts until our reunion in Him.

Visitation will be Thursday, April 5, 2018 from 2:00 p.m. until the time of service at 3:00 p.m. at Wallace Street Evangelical Church, 4805 E. 10th St., Indianapolis, IN 46201. Memorial contributions may be made to the church. Final care and arrangements are entrusted to Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel. www.shirleybrothers.com.

Cemetery Details

Sylvan Abbey Memorial Park Cemetery

2853 Sunset Point Road
Clearwater, FL 33759

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 5. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Wallace St. Evangelical Church
4805 East 10th Street
Indianapolis, IN 46201

Funeral Service

APR 5. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Indianapolis, IN 46201

Tribute Wall



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Maryann Joy Griffiths.*



April 05, 2018 at 10:41 AM



“ *The families of Bill Griffiths and Donna Ippenson purchased the Heavenly Sentiments Spray for the family of Maryann Joy Griffiths.*



The families of Bill Griffiths and Donna Ippenson - April 03, 2018 at 08:36 PM