



Shirley Jackson Duffer

September 5, 1934 - January 28, 2023

Shirley Jackson Duffer,

88, of Carmel, IN, passed away January 28, 2023. She was born September 5, 1934, in Indianapolis, to the late Lloyd Allen Jackson and Helen Doris Ratliff Jackson. Shirley was a graduate of Broad Ripple High School's Class of 1952 and attended Indiana University. She married the late Onie Eugene Duffer in 1989. Shirley and Gene owned Duffer Custom Homes. She spent more than 40 years as a real estate agent, working for F.C. Tucker, the city of Indianapolis as a real estate negotiator, and selling their custom-built homes. In 1999 Shirley joined East 91st Street Christian Church. She enjoyed her membership of the Red Hat Society, and especially loved line dancing with her husband, Gene.

Visitation will be Thursday, February 2, 2023, 10:00 a.m. until time of service at 10:30 a.m. at Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel, 9900 Allisonville Road, Fishers. A Committal will be Thursday, February 2, 2023, at 2:30 p.m. at Crown Hill Cemetery, 3400 Boulevard Place, Indianapolis, IN 46208. The family requests anyone wishing to attend the committal meet at 2:15 p.m. at the 34th Street entrance of Crown Hill Cemetery.

Shirley is survived by her daughters, Carol Reiss (Greg) Hoover of NC and Catherine Marie Grimes of CA; stepchildren, O. Chris (Mary Lynne) Duffer and Mary (Jeff) Opel; grandchildren, Jennifer (Jeff) Frye, Marsha (Michael) Bacigalupo, Shelly (Ryan Phelan) Hoover, Daniel (Sarah) Duffer, Rachel (Leo) Hernandez, Jared (Kristy) Opel and Jacob Opel; great-grandchildren,

Stephanie Grimes, Nathan Frye, and Taylor Frye; sisters, Judy (Don) Strassenberg and Jane Vawter; and nephews, Kurt Strassenberg, Krist Strassenberg, Brad Secor and Scott Secor. Shirley is preceded in death by her husband, Gene Duffer.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are suggested to the 'Majestic Care Activity Fund' and mailed to 12999 Pennsylvania St., Carmel, IN 46032.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 2. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel
9900 N. Allisonville Road
Fishers, IN 46038
(317) 841-7878
info@shirleybrothers.com
<https://www.shirleybrothers.com>

Memorial Service

FEB 2. 10:30 AM (ET)

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Committal Service

FEB 2. 2:30 PM (ET)

Crown Hill Cemetery
3400 Boulevard Place
Indianapolis, IN 46208

Tribute Wall

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“ *Truist E.G.S Strategy and Enablement purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Shirley Jackson Duffer.* ”



Truist E.G.S Strategy and Enablement - February 01, 2023 at 07:41 PM

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“ *Scott Secor purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Shirley Jackson Duffer.* ”



Scott Secor - January 31, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Shirley Jackson Duffer.* ”



January 31, 2023 at 12:05 PM

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“ *Shirley was my dad's wife and a fine addition to our family. Our occasions together are way too numerous to note. We had many good times together. She was a wonderful woman, mother, grandmother and will most certainly be missed deeply. Our condolences to her family.* ”

Chris Duffer - January 30, 2023 at 10:35 AM



*I knew Shirley from red hats.
A gracious loving woman.
Much sympathy to the family.*

Donna Hitchcock - February 02, 2023 at 09:32 AM