



Margaret Volland

August 23, 1931 - April 26, 2019

H. Margaret Volland, 87, of Columbus, passed away peacefully Monday, April 22, at Silver Oaks Healthcare under Hospice Care. Margaret was born August 23, 1931, in Columbus. She was the daughter of Elmer John Whipker and Goldie Beryl Talley Whipker. Margaret was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Harold Volland; her sister, Libby McKinney; and five of her brothers, Halford, Paul, David, Perry Don, and Hershel. Margaret lived in Columbus all of her life. She graduated from Columbus High School in 1949 and planned many high school reunions. She married her high school sweetheart Harold Volland on November 16, 1951. She and Harold were married for over 62 years before Harold passed away on March 9, 2014. Margaret is survived by her three children, Brad Volland, Greg Volland, and Kim (Jody) Littrell, all of Columbus; three grandchildren, Patrick Volland, Nick Littrell, and Paige Littrell; and by four brothers, Harry Whipker, Bennie Whipker, Elmer Whipker, and Alan (Karen) Whipker. Margaret had a strong faith and a servant's heart and lived by the Golden Rule. She was hard working, a devoted wife, loving mother and grandmother, and a great friend to many. Margaret worked at Cummins Engine for seven years and then worked at Irwin Union Bank for 40 years. While at Irwin she had various positions ranging from teller to senior commercial loan officer. Margaret was involved in opening bank branches at Columbus Center, State Street and Eastbrook Plaza while at Irwin. After retiring from Irwin she continued to work at Paperworks, Inc., and was still working until she became ill early this year. Margaret was a 4-H Leader, served as a Director on the Fair Board for 18 years, she served on the Extension Board, an Extension Homemaker for over 50 years, a member of Zonta International, a member of Country Club, and countless other volunteer positions. She loved cooking and helping family and friends. She took pride in coordinating the Whipker family dinner each Fall. She enjoyed watching her grandchildren in their sporting activities. Margaret's funeral will be 10:30 a.m. Friday, April 26, 2019, at Jewell Rittman Funeral Home with Pastor Patrick Galligar officiating. Calling will be 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home and one hour prior to the service. Burial will be at Garland Brook cemetery alongside her husband. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions may be made to Our Hospice of South Central Indiana and St. Peters Lutheran Church Foundation.

Comments



“ Patrick - I have just heard and my heart is breaking. So sorry for your loss.

Mary Joyce - April 25, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. She will be missed. I will keep you in our prayers.

Nancy and Bob Jeffrey - April 24, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ I worked with Margaret for many years at Irwin Union. In addition to being a co-worker she was a great friend. I am so sorry for your loss and thinking of your family during this difficult time.

Karen Coldiron - April 24, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ Debbie McKinney Reichle - Aunt Margie was a second mother to me. She will be greatly missed by all of us. She never hesitated to share her time and love with her neices, nephews, sister, and brothers. My family was always welcome in her home, and I enjoyed time spent with her every summer. Kim, Brad, and Greg, though not there in person, we are there in spirit. She will be greatly missed by all of us.

Jim/Debra Reichle; Jennifer/Justin Vasquez - April 24, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ We were related. My Grandpa was Ed Volland of Brown Co. I had met Harold a few times Jim Crouch

Jim Crouch - April 24, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ Beth McKinney-Lane always felt like Aunt Margie was a second mother to her and her sisters. She will be greatly missed.

Robby & Beth Lane, Rachel Lane - April 24, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ To The Volland family, I am very sorry to hear of Margaret's passing. She was a lovely lady. In the 1990's when I was the Director of the American Cancer Society, Margaret was on our Board of Directors. Working closely with her, I have many fond memories. Keeping you in my thoughts and prayers.

Cindy Crase - April 24, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ Susie and I both lift the Whipker family up in prayer

Peggy Olson (Swinford) - April 24, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ Greg, so sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers for your family.

Beth Shireman Lyons - April 24, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ I will miss Margaret so much. We've been friends for years - from serving on Fair Board to 'walking the mall'. There is an empty place in my heart for a dear friend.

Maxine Wolfal - April 24, 2019 at 12:00 AM