



Marian Jeanne Roberts

March 27, 1940 - October 21, 2020

Mrs. Marian Jeanne Roberts (Ligon) died on October 21st in Fort Collins, Colorado at the age of 80.

She is survived by her son, Walter Ray Roberts Jr. of Roseville, California, her daughter, Jennifer Boxberger (Roberts) of Fort Collins, Colorado and her sister, Donna Gregg (Ligon) of Fort Mill, North Carolina. She was preceded in death by her parents, Guilford Hamilton Slaughter Ligon and Dorothy Ligon (Wiggs) of Mount Pleasant Tennessee as well as her husband, Walter Ray Roberts.

Marian was born in Nashville, Tennessee on March 27, 1940 to Dorothy Ligon and Guilford Hamilton Slaughter Ligon. Marian held an advanced degree in mathematics during which she met then married her only husband, Walter Ray Roberts. Marian was proud of her career as an engineer first with Litton Guidance and Control Systems and then Northrop Grumman.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Suncrest Hospice in care of Bohlender Funeral Chapel, 121 W. Olive, Fort Collins, CO 80524.

Friends may send condolences to the family at bohlenderfuneralchapel.com.

Comments



“ Jeanne was from Mt. Pleasant, Tn. and her family lived up the street from me growing up.
Jeanne was 5 years younger than I, but I remember her being such a pretty girl and was very, very intelligent.
Jeanne and Donna's Father was postmaster during the Fifties.
Their family home to this day is still known to the elders of Mt. Pleasant, as the Ligon Home. It was very pretty and in one of nicest areas in Mt. Pleasant. When Dot got ready to sell her home, I was in the Real Estate Business and she called me to list it. I was really thrilled that Ms. Ligon called me and I was honored that she did.
Also in the obit picture., she had on a formal dress that Georgia Craig designed and made. Geogia was known county wide for her talents and if you had a dress made by her-you were very pleased and happy.. At the Mt. Pleasant Museum, they have a Georgia Craig Day and people(if they still have them) where citizens bring their old dresses for a display.I still take my wedding dress from 1955 to the display.
I am writing these memories for Grandchildren and others that might enjoy knowing some History. Mt. Pleasant was a wonderful place to grow up and my Children still treasure those memories
Donna, even though you were much younger, I can still Picture your pretty face and what a sweet natured face you had. I am so sorry for your loss and other Family memories.
Kay Rochelle Lindsey.

Kay Rochelle Lindsey - October 29, 2020 at 12:50 PM



“ Thank you for sharing. I remember visiting Momma Dot in that house with the big front porch and catching fireflies. I also remember the corner drug store with the ice cream counter. Mt Pleasant was special and I wish there were more places like it. Jen (Jeannie's daughter)

Jennifer Ligon Boxberger - October 29, 2020 at 02:33 PM



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“ Jeanne Ligon Roberts, I was so privileged to attend school with you for two wonderful years. I loved watching you play basketball where you played t win just as hard as you prepared yourself for your awesome career and successful life.

May the light always shine on your memory. You truly lived an admirable life that you can leave behind for other's to strive to emulate..

I'm so happy I got to see you again at our class reunion... You were wonderful....

Jack Pogue - October 29, 2020 at 12:13 AM