



Dorothy L. Van Ryn

October 9, 1938 - October 30, 2019

Dorothy L. (Heidkamp) Van Ryn, age 81, of Pleasant Hills, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, October 30, 2019, surrounded by family and friends. Beloved wife of 52 years of Fred Van Ryn; loving mother of Cathy (Joseph) Duffner, Amy (Craig) McDonough, and Mary Beth (Henry) Szymanski; cherished grandmother of Amanda (Adam), Caitlin (Michael), Rebecca (Nicholas), Emily (Bryan), Jessica, Luke, Megan, Victoria, Jessica, Abigail and Cole; great-grandmother of Hudson. Dorothy enjoyed cooking and baking, but mostly spending time with her family and friends. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held in St. Elizabeth of Hungary Church on Saturday, November 2 at 12 p.m. Everyone please meet at church. Arrangements by GRIFFITH FUNERAL HOME, INC., (412) 655-4600. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations in Dorothy's name be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-9959. Condolences may be offered for the family at www.GriffithFH.com

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

NOV 2. 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Elizabeth Church
One Grove Place
Pittsburgh, PA 15236
(412) 882-8744
<http://www.stelizparish.org>

Tribute Wall

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“ Hello,
I just found out from Doug that Dorothy passed away. So sorry for your loss. Dorothy was such a nice and caring person.
I remember coming down to Pittsburgh to visit my Dad and Ginger and you guys would come up to say hello. Those were the best of times. I'll always remember you all.

*Emil's son
Tom Sacco*

Tom Sacco - November 10, 2019 at 02:45 PM