



Marion L. Brighton

February 25, 1918 - November 22, 2012

Marion L. Brighton, 94, of Gosport passed away on Friday, November 23, 2012 at her residence.

Marion was born on February 25, 1918 in Beech Grove to her parents, Amos and Carrie (Thomas) Eibling. She was married to Lyle Brighton on August 7, 1943 in San Francisco. Marion worked at the International Typographic Union in Indianapolis until her first daughter was born. She then became a homemaker never stopping to take a break when it came to her family. Being athletic was a focus of her life and she enjoyed ice skating, golf, and tennis with her husband. During her high school years she was a Beech Grove City Tennis Champion. In her spare time she was a Sunday school teacher at Gosport Baptist Church for over 45 years, enjoyed leading Cub Scout and Brownie Scout's, traveled extensively within the US and abroad with Lyle, and was an artist using paints. She was a member of the Fortnightly Club, the Eureka Club, Gosport Missionary Club, Charter Member of the Owen County Art Guild and was the activities volunteer at Gosport Nursing Home. Marion was also responsible for refurbishing and opening the 10 O'Clock Line Ice Cream Parlor. She was a member of the Gosport Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her parents, and 5 siblings.

Marion is survived by her husband, Lyle Brighton of Gosport; children, Carol

Ann Brown (John) of Indianapolis; Ken Brighton (Maryanne) of Hyde Park, VT; Kay Calvert (Dave) of Fishers; and Craig Brighton (Margo) of Plainfield; grandchildren, Jason Brown, Amy Boyle, and Peter Brown all of Indianapolis, Casey Brighton of Hyde Park, VT, Natalie Calvert of Fishers, and Kelli Carnes of Clarksville, TN; great-grandchildren, Nola Niall, Roanan Boyle, and Liam Brown all of Indianapolis and brother, Charles Eibling of Stockton, CA.

Funeral services will be held on Sunday, November 25, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. at Chandler Funeral Home-Whitaker Chapel in Gosport with Rev. Ken Morgan officiating. Burial is to follow at Gosport Cemetery. Visitation will be Saturday from 4-8 at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Owen County Community Foundation.

Cemetery Details

Gosport Cemetery

Corner of State Highway 67 and County Road
490 East
Gosport, IN 47433

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **24**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Chandler Funeral Homes - Whitaker Chapel
2 East Main Street
PO BOX 86
Gosport, IN 47433
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Service

NOV **25**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry for you loss.. She was a great lady. Prayers to you all .

TERRI HOADLEY SPRAGUE - November 27, 2012 at 10:56 PM

GA

“ Please accept our heartfelt sympathy with Marion's passing. Memory's are forever and she will never be forgotten. We visited during the past Lazy Days as she was being chauffeured around on the golf cart (Lyle does make a good Chauffeur--I didn't see him run into anyone). (Yes you can tell him I said that) Sorry for not making the services but only read it in the E W today the 26th.

*Family Friend
Gene Arnold & Fam.*

Gene Arnold - November 26, 2012 at 05:28 PM

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“ Dear Ken,
As I read the story of your mother's life, I could see what a wonderful, fulfilling life she lived. I know how her family strove to keep her secure, happy, and independent in her final years. My last memory is of Marion and Lyle in a golf cart at Lazy Days Festival last August, smiling, surrounded by Gosport friends in the hometown they loved. Your mother was treasured by her friends in the Art Guild. Please accept my sympathy on the loss of your mother,
Your former teaching colleague, Mary Ackerman

Mary c. Ackerman - November 24, 2012 at 08:21 AM