



Louise P. McGowan

November 27, 1925 - October 23, 2020

Louise P. (Brodginski) McGowan, age 94, wife of the late Raymond A. McGowan, of Phoenixville, Pennsylvania, passed away on Friday, October 23, 2020 in Phoenixville Hospital. Born on November 27, 1925 in Sugar Notch, she was a daughter of the late Pauline (Mroziewski) and Zygmunt Brodginiski.

Upon graduating high school, at the age of 17, Louise signed onto the Army Nurse Corps. She then received her degree in nursing from the Thomas Jefferson University School of Nursing, where she had been a lifetime member of the alumni association. Louise had been employed at Phoenixville Hospital for over 40 years. During her retirement, she performed private duty nursing in people's homes.

Louise was a member of St. Joseph's R.C. Church, in Spring City, and had formerly been a member of St. Ann R.C. Church and St. Mary of the Assumption R.C. Church, in Phoenixville. One of the last original residents of The Episcopal House, in Phoenixville, Louise enjoyed BINGO, playing cards and time spent with her friends.

Louise is survived by three children: Raymond A. Jr., husband of Barbara McGowan, of Phoenixville, Terrance P., husband of Deborah McGowan, of Phoenixville and Mary, wife of Walter Keirsej, of Pottstown; grandchildren: Raymond A. McGowan III, Katie, wife of David Skaw, Allison Keirsej and Bernadette Keirsej; and great grandson: Wyatt Skaw. Mrs. McGowan was preceded in death by one son: Michael P., husband of Kay McGowan, of Pottstown; sisters: Helen Fedock, Regina Kane and Cecelia Stemrich; and brother: Leonard Brodginiski.

Funeral services will be held privately at the convenience of the family. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in Louise's name to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105. Arrangements are being handled by the Campbell - Ennis - Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc., Phoenixville. Condolences may be offered online at www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com.

Comments



“ Mary and Family, So sorry to hear of your Mom’s passing, what a wonderful woman she was. She was such a good friend to my Mother, Marge Yednock, at Episcopal House. With Dottie Cooke, they were called the Three Amigos, as they would go to bingo and spend a lot of time together. Please know that some of Mom’s happiest days were with Louise and Dottie. When your Mother would send Mom a letter after she moved in with us, Mom’s eyes would light up and she would smile every time. She would read her letters over and over, she absolutely loved getting those letters. I still read those letters, she had a great sense of humor. We lost Mom last March and we miss her terribly, but we know she’s in Heaven with her friend. Sending you our sincerest sympathy, Lois and Roy Hunsicker

Lois Hunsicker - December 12, 2020 at 07:54 PM



“ Worked many years with Louise at Phoenixville Hospital
She was a great nurse we had a lot of laughs together.
Rest in peace Louise.
marie Kakalecik

Marie Kakalecik - November 11, 2020 at 02:29 PM



“ I worked with Bro at Phoenixville Hospital starting in 1961 for about five years. Loved her dearly. I nicknamed her "one more thing". Always busy with her patients. Rest in peace my dear friend. You are Heaven bound.

Buckwalter - November 02, 2020 at 08:50 AM



“ Terry, Debbie and family..so sorry for loss of your beautiful mother.
Keep your wonderful memories close !

Bonnie and Butch
Xoxoxo

Bonnie - October 30, 2020 at 06:19 AM



“ Ray so sorry to hear of your Mom's passing. She was always so sweet at the hospital. Such a rich and long life she had and touched so many hearts along the way. My deepest condolences, Bobby Buttarro

Robert Buttarro - October 27, 2020 at 02:31 PM



“ McGowan Family,
Please accept my deepest condolences on your loss. Mrs. McGowan was a cheerful and sweet woman, a good friend to my Mom and a wonderful neighbor. I enjoyed visiting with her while dropping off goodies to indulge her sweet tooth. She will be missed.

Pam Jamison

Pam Jamison - October 26, 2020 at 03:53 PM



“ We're so sorry to hear of Louise's passing. She was such a sweet lady with sparkly eyes and always a smile. She will be deeply missed. Our deepest sympathy to Terry and the whole family. You all took such good care of her. May your memories bring you comfort.

Jeri Kraz and John Szuchan



Geraldine M. Kraz - October 26, 2020 at 01:57 AM



“ 13 files added to the album Memories Album



Katie - October 25, 2020 at 03:14 PM



“ 29 files added to the album Memories Album



Katie - October 24, 2020 at 04:14 PM



“ Terry and Debbie Sending sympathy and prayers to the McGowan family. May your memories bring you comfort at this difficult time. RIP Mrs. McGowan Mary Lesh

Mary - October 24, 2020 at 03:37 PM



“ Syl and I share our finest condolences on the passing of Louise. We have fond memories of pleasant conversations both at Phoenixville Hospital, and while passing her lovely home on Bridge Street many years ago.



Sal and Sylvia Katz of Phoenixville, PA - October 24, 2020 at 02:45 PM