



Marilyn Gail Hartsuff

February 16, 1930 - March 4, 2020

Marilyn Gail Hartsuff, 90, of Charlotte, died peacefully on Wednesday, March 4, 2020 in Lansing. Marilyn was born February 16, 1930, in Lansing, the daughter of Joel B. and Doris M. (Blink) Shunk. She graduated high school in Lansing before working briefly at a dance studio, where she met the love of her life, Richard Hartsuff. The two married on April 21, 1961, and the two enjoyed 57 happy years of marriage until Richard's death in 2019. If there was Ballroom Dancing throughout the state Richard and Marilyn could be found participating, this was a big passion for the couple. They also enjoyed flying all around the state in Richard's private plane; their favorite destination was their yearly flight to Mackinac Island. Marilyn worked alongside Richard at Michigan Bell Telephone Company. Following their retirement, they moved to Brown City, MI. In her later years, Marilyn enjoyed art classes and developed a love for painting.

Marilyn is survived by her sons, Andrew "Andy" (Tracy) Hartsuff and Anthony "Tony" Hartsuff; and granddaughter, Kathryn "Katie" Hartsuff. She was predeceased by her husband, Richard in 2019; and her parents.

A memorial service honoring both Richard and Marilyn is being planned for a later date. If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions to the American Cancer Society. Friends and family are encouraged to share memories of Marilyn on her Tribute Page at www.PrayFuneral.com. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Comments



“ As I grew to know her, we started this tradition. Second dessert. I loved that because I got to see small interactions here and there. She was very comical as well. Sometimes, surprising me. If the family sees this. I would truly love to know her through your eyes. She would always do this funny thing, I would try to swoop in and grab her used dishes, if she wasn't done, she would pull the "No way arms" or the vampire cape arms... I'll never forget that.

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“ Please know that our love & prayers are with all of you.

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“ When She & Richard were married, I was a bridesmaid in their wedding and that was very special to me because Richard was my Uncle. Loved them both and knew they loved ballroom dancing. Our love and prayers are with the enire family.

Sharon & Dennis Whipple

sharon Whipple - March 05 at 11:56 AM