



Joyce Petty Robb

February 19, 1924 - June 30, 2017

Joyce Eleanor Petty Robb, 93, of Indianapolis, died at her home on Friday, June 30, 2017, surrounded by family.

She was born in New Castle on February 19, 1924 to Fred and Esta (Snider) Filson, and lived most of her life in Hagerstown and Indianapolis.

Joyce worked at Perfect Circle during WW II, and retired from the US Army Corps of Engineers in 1984. She was a member of Psi Iota Xi, the Congregational Christian Church of Hagerstown and Fortville Christian Church. She attended Christ Fellowship in Indianapolis during her later years.

Joyce will be remembered as a generous, sweet, kind and fun loving person. She had a wonderful sense of humor, and you always had a laugh and a smile on your face when spending time with her. She loved spending time with her family and friends, listening to jazz, playing her accordion, watching movies, adventure, surprises and doting on her beloved cats, Fluffy and Martini. She discovered ballroom dancing in her later years, and it became one of her passions. She traveled to dancing competitions around the US, and to Bermuda, Jamaica and Mexico. She brought home several first place trophies in her age group. It is impossible to put into words what a beautiful spirit she had, and what she meant to so many people. She was a loving wife, mother, "Grams", daughter, sister and friend, and taught us how to live a grace filled

life. We will miss her terribly.

Survivors include two daughters, Lois Ann Petty Brown (George) of Richmond and Marcia Sue Petty of Indianapolis; a step-daughter, Tara Jane Robb Nelson (Duane) of Indianapolis; six grandchildren, Michael D. Root (Dana) of Decatur, AL, Lawrence Z. Root of Tampa, FL, Allison Dickey Loprich (Dan) of Fishers, Douglas Nelson of Austin, TX, Hilary Nelson of Indianapolis and Daniel Nelson of Indianapolis; three great-grandchildren, Evan Root, Katie Loprich and Ben Loprich; two siblings, Audrey Filson Woodward (Paul) and Bruce Filson (Cris); many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Lawrence Z. Petty; her second husband, David Robb; her step-father, Nathan Beaver; a daughter, Barbara Diane Petty and three siblings, Zane Filson, Dona Filson Wainscott and Jay Filson.

Visitation will be from 12 to 2 PM on Thursday, July 6, at Culberson Funeral Home, Hagerstown. Services will follow at 2:00 PM. Marty Zeis will officiate. Burial will be in Brick Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Community Home Health Hospice Program, 9894 E. 121st St., Fishers, IN 46085 or to the Humane Society of Indianapolis, 7929 N. Michigan Rd., Indianapolis, IN 46268.

Cemetery Details

Brick Cemetery

5352 N. Brick Church Rd.
Hagerstown, IN 47346

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 6. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Culberson Funeral Home - Hagerstown
51 South Washington Street
Hagerstown, IN 47346
(765) 489-5511
info@culbersonfh.com
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Tribute Wall



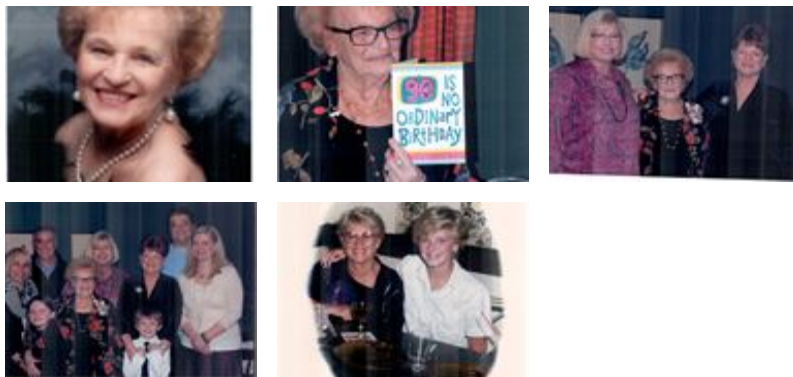
“ *Culberson Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Joyce Petty Robb*



Culberson Funeral Home - July 06, 2017 at 02:47 AM



“ *87 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Culberson Funeral Home - July 06, 2017 at 02:25 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Joyce Petty Robb.*



July 04, 2017 at 09:59 PM

EW

“Joyce used to love dancing around the living room, playing her cherished accordian when Barb was having company. This brought to Joyce great joy and entertainment, and to Barb an equal amount of distress and desperation. Barb's friends loved it. This and many, many other things made it so easy to love Joyce for who she was, a fun-loving, young at heart, caring mom around whom we always felt comfortable and welcomed. She will be missed, and remembered fondly.

Eric Walker - July 03, 2017 at 09:36 PM

BC

“I don't believe there was ever a sweeter woman in the world than Joyce Robb. I'm going to miss her smiles and loving hugs each time I walked into her house. I loved her gracious spirit. She had a quiet, gracious spirit, and at the same time the most wonderful sense of humor. Just to be around Joyce was always a blessing for me. I'm thinking of you, Lois, Marcia, Tara Jane, and all your family during this time of loss. I love you all and you are in my prayers.



Barbara Crim - July 03, 2017 at 07:50 PM

LS

“It was always a fun time when Joyce was with the family. Such a great sense of humor. She accepted everyone and always wanted to know what was happening with the extended family. We were all blessed to have her in our lives for so many wonderful years. Love and God be with you, Lois and Marcia.
Lantz and Lorraine

Lorraine Snider - July 03, 2017 at 02:09 PM

CP

“ Aunt Joyce had a loving heart and a warm welcome for all. She will be greatly missed and was such an important part of my childhood. Marcia and Lois, you have been wonderful daughters! Love you!
Cheryl Petty Prentice

Cheryl A Prentice - July 02, 2017 at 09:48 PM

DF

“ David And Kim Filson lit a candle in memory of Joyce Petty Robb



David and Kim Filson - July 02, 2017 at 08:26 PM

CH

“ Barb and Joyce were two of the best people I've ever known. Deepest sympathies.

craig sherman hall - July 02, 2017 at 04:39 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joyce Petty Robb.



July 02, 2017 at 01:06 PM

DE

“ *Deb lit a candle in memory of Joyce Petty Robb*



Deb - July 02, 2017 at 11:45 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Joyce Petty Robb.*



July 02, 2017 at 11:00 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joyce Petty Robb.*



July 02, 2017 at 10:43 AM

BA

“ *Barbara lit a candle in memory of Joyce Petty Robb*



Barbara - July 02, 2017 at 09:14 AM

MF

“ Mike And Karen Tatom And Family lit a candle in memory of Joyce Petty Robb



Mike and Karen Tatom and family - July 02, 2017 at 09:12 AM



“ Marilyn Brown Clark lit a candle in memory of Joyce Petty Robb



Marilyn Brown Clark - July 02, 2017 at 07:02 AM