



Marguerite H. Lashbrook

December 14, 1918 - July 28, 2017

Marguerite H. Lashbrook, 98, passed away on Friday, July 28, 2017 at her home in Grayslake, IL. She was born December 14, 1918 in Elgin, IL and was a graduate of Harlem High School in Machesny Park, IL and of Augustana College in Rock Island, IL. Marguerite was a former elementary school teacher in Libertyville at Highland, Rockland and Copeland Schools. She and her late husband, Bartlett met as teachers and were married for 53 years and were members of the United Methodist Church and the Choir in Libertyville. Surviving are her 2 children, John (Elizabeth) Lashbrook and Robert (Katherine) Lashbrook; 5 grandchildren, Stephanie, Marc, Melissa, Johnny and Courtney and also by 5 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Bartlett in 1996 and by her brother, John Steinke.

Private services were held from the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, in Libertyville. For info: 847-362-3009 or sign the guestbook at www.burnettdane.com.

Tribute Wall

TT

“ John, Bob, Sorry to hear of the passing of your mother, fond memories of her back in the day! Moppy and I send our condolences

Tim Towne - June 29, 2018 at 11:44 AM

JB

“ Bob and Katie, my sympathy to you and your family.

Jackie Bresnen - June 29, 2018 at 11:44 AM

PA

“ Your mom and I taught together at Rockland back in the 70's. Marguerite was a kindergarten teacher and I was a special ed. teacher. Your mom was a great teacher and a great friend. We shared many laughs and good times. I will always remember Marguerite as a great role model - and also a good golfer. My sincere condolences.

Polly Andrews - April 27, 2018 at 04:12 AM

GC

“ My late wife, Helen and I were friends and coworker at Copeland And Rockland Schools. She is remembered with rest fondness and will continued to be so. She touched so many lives, she will be remembered by all of the educators she worked with and the students who were fortunate ,to have had her as a teacher. My sincere sympathy to her family.

Gene Craig - April 27, 2018 at 04:12 AM

TS

“ I remember co-ed PE classes at Highland school back in the 50's when Margurite and Jay Cox taught us how to waltz, cha cha, etc. and how to ask a girl to dance. She was a positive role model and I send my sincere sympathy to John and Robert and families.

Tom Steffenburg - April 27, 2018 at 04:12 AM

GI

“ I have such fond memories of Mrs. Lashbrook. She was kind and funny and she made those first steps toward the school years feel like the beginning of a wonderful adventure. I consider myself one of the lucky ones to have been assigned to Mrs. Lashbrook's kindergarten class.

Gina Ivy - April 27, 2018 at 04:12 AM

JG

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Jim Grace - April 27, 2018 at 04:12 AM

FD

“ I was very shocked and saddened to have read of the passing of your mother. Your mother and father were beautiful people, God Rest Their Souls. You see I am one of the sons of Karen, who was one of the daughters along with my Aunt Midge Lamon of Leonard and Bee Murray. I remember the family gathers on Sunday at my Aunt Tackys, Grandma Bees sisters house in Waukegan. Your Dad, Uncle Lloyd, my Grandpa, Uncle John Lamon and of course Aunt Tacky watching golf on TV. Oh how they loved that game. And then all the woman would gather around the table after dinner for a spirited game of scrabble that seemed like it would go on forever as the boys would nod off after a hearty meal. That was just one of the memories of my childhood that came to mind as I read of her passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your families. GOD REST ALL OF THEIR SOULS

Frank J. Diaferio - April 27, 2018 at 04:12 AM

ML

“ Though I did not see Aunt Marguerite as often as I did our Aunt Tacky, I enjoyed every moment that I did. I still remember her radiant smile and her love of children. I am so sorry for your loss.

Margaret Lamon - April 27, 2018 at 04:12 AM

PG

“ My condolences to the sons and families of Marguerite. She was always so chipper and fun to be around. My husband, Ed and I enjoyed playing duplicate bridge with her and Bart. Golly that was over fifty years ago.

Phyllis Gross - April 27, 2018 at 04:12 AM

JD

“*Marguerite was my oldest surviving first cousin (The next of them, I think, is Everett Schefelker, wife Rita, retired from their farm in Green Valley, living in Manawa). Your Mom and Bart made occasional visits to my folks who bought the farm from the family just before the great depression. My folks Arnold and Velma Dretke farmed there for most of their lives on the farm outside Symco, WI in Waupaca County. Your Mom's and my Grandpa John and Othelia homesteaded that land. Uncle Art and Aunt Hattie came from Rockton IL for almost all our family occasions -- anniversaries, weddings, confirmations, graduations. Those were all SPECIAL family times! I actually got to know your uncle John Steinke and his family much more than your Mom and Dad because they frequently had me over for dinner, or a weekend during the 6 years I studied at Concordia College, Milwaukee. We got to know your folks much better after they moved to Florida, visiting them twice in Holiday, enjoying several golfing outings with them. Your "kindergarten teaching Mom" said something very memorable one day, talking about their Methodist Church experience in Florida, "I never thought I would miss the sound of little children in church" -typical of the love she had for all those she taught and interacted with for so many years and reflective of "the graying of Florida." Our love and sympathy to both of you and your families, hoping our distance from you deep in the heart of TX will not keep us from getting to know you all better. Jim and Barbara Dretke, Hilltop Lakes, TX.*

Jim and Barbara Dretke - April 27, 2018 at 04:12 AM