



Patricia "Pat" Miller

March 17, 1923 - February 4, 2017

Patricia (Pat) Eleanor Miller (McDonough) died peacefully at the home of her daughter Jeanne Sully of Minocqua, Wisconsin on February 4, 2017.

Pat is survived by her children: Bonnie (John) Margitan of Minocqua, Jeanne Sully (Mark Walker) of Minocqua, Suzanne Owens (Steve) of Greendale, WI, and Jacki Ebanks (Dayton) of Grand Cayman. She has eight grandchildren, Steve Margitan (Sonja), Kirsten Margitan (Miguel Aguirre), Chris Sully (Tom Tiffany), Tom Moe (Jess), Sue Zvers (Eriks), Rebecca Owens, Brian Owens (Jess) and Jason Biesel (Amy), and eight great-grandchildren: LaCrosse Margitan, John and Marie Aguirre, Karlyn, Lexi, and Katherine Tiffany, Kathryn and Thomas Moe. Special relatives and friends include her niece, Gayle Popken and cousin, Peg Brown and Bill and Barb Geotzelman. She is preceded in death by her husband George A. Miller, and her daughter Katherine A. Moe and son-in-law Tom Moe.

Pat was born on March 17, 1923 in Milwaukee, WI to Daniel J and Stella (Drew) McDonough. Pat grew up in Oak Park, IL Her family vacationed every year at North Lure Resort in Minocqua where she met the love of her life. She married Jack Miller in August of 1940. Patricia worked many years at Northland Gardens as a florist. She was an active member of the United Methodist Church of the Pines and was an auxiliary volunteer at Lakeland

Memorial Hospital and Howard Young Medical Center. She was an early hospice volunteer in the Lakeland Area. Pat was a founding member of the Minocqua Museum and served many years as a board member and docent. Her family and friends will remember her as the maker of seven layer banana cakes and sticky bottoms. Pat loved flowers, birds, chocolate, playing Canasta and spending time with her family.

The family would like to thank Dr. Kate Hospice for the tender loving care they gave Pat. Memorials may be sent to HYF:Dr. Kate Hospice at P.O. Box 770, Woodruff, WI 54568 or the United Methodist Church of the Pines, P.O. Box 144, Minocqua, WI 54548. Bolger Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held for Pat on Saturday, July 1, 2017 at the United Methodist Church of the Pines in Minocqua. Visitation will be held from 9:00 – 10:00 AM, with a Memorial Service to follow. There will be an open house at the Miller Residence on 11125 Kilawee Road from 4:00 – 8:00 PM. Family and friends are welcome.

Tribute Wall

SA

“ I was so saddened to hear of Pat's passing. She was a beautiful lady, inside and out. She always made me feel welcome and comfortable. Such a sweet lady. She lived a wonderful and full life and I'm sure is happy to be reunited with your Dad.

Sallie - February 13, 2017 at 07:58 PM



“ Fruits and Blooms Basket was purchased for the family of Patricia "Pat" Miller.



February 08, 2017 at 02:21 PM

LS

“ Loren Shucha lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Miller



Loren Shucha - February 06, 2017 at 06:22 AM

VB

“ Vonnie Braun lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Miller



Vonnie Braun - February 04, 2017 at 09:38 PM

VB

Knew Pat and most of her family for a long time, So Sorry Jackie and all her family. Prayers going out to you all. She was a very soft spoken kind lady.

Vonnie Braun - February 04, 2017 at 09:42 PM

LS

Pat was my mentor , my friend, one of the people who had the most influence on my life ...she didn't teach me everything I know, but almost. I will miss this lady and remember her with lots of love. Lori Fairchild Shucha

Loren Shucha - February 05, 2017 at 09:35 PM

CM

Although we knew Pat only a short time, I remember our first conversation with her; her smile, her love of family, "our" lake and our shared hometown and high school in Oak Park. Jim and I are fortunate to now live in the home she raised her family in. We can only hope to create similar family memories.

Connie McInay - February 08, 2017 at 01:33 PM

DL

So very sorry to hear this. The entire family is in my prayers.

DIANNA LANG - February 11, 2017 at 10:42 AM