



Alice A. Brooks

November 8, 1924 - December 9, 2018

Alice A. Brooks passed away December 9, 2018 at the Ohio Living Health Center. Alice was born to Susanna and Ansel Ervin on November 8, 1924 in Wellston, Ohio. She moved to Columbus in 1943 and worked for the Ohio Dept. of Aging. In 1947 she wed Kenneth I. Brooks to whom she was married 66 years until his death in February 2014. Alice was a long time devoted member of the Short North United Methodist Church (FKA New Life & 5th Ave U.M.) holding several positions on committees and boards. She also took part in the Church's Breakfast Ministry and clothing room activities. Besides her diligent church work Alice was a Cub Scout Den Mother, an assistant at pre-school, a Welcome Wagon Hostess, Avon Lady and Meals on Wheels Driver. She was an avid gardener. She travelled extensively with her husband and enjoyed spending time with family and friends. Although slowing down in her later years, she was an ardent follower of OSU Football and her beloved Cleveland Indians. She was the epitome of a sweet and caring spirit driven by her strong faith in God.

She was preceded in death by her parents Ansel and Susanna Ervin of Wellston, her husband Kenneth I Brooks, sisters Ruth Jolly of Wheelersburg, Ohio and Joann Cross of the Plains, Ohio; brothers Roger Ervin of Oak Hill, Robert Ervin of Wellston, Paul Ervin of Circleville, and Louis Ervin of Columbus. She is survived by her sons Donald Brooks of Hamilton, Ohio and Larry (Karen Saunders) Brooks of Middleburg Hts, Ohio; grandchildren Jannelle (Casey) Galloway of Loveland, Matthew Brooks of Cleveland,

Jennifer (Daniel) Richmond of Parma Hts. Great grandchildren Oliver Galloway and Theodore Richmond, and several nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the Short North Church, 25 West 5th Avenue, Columbus OH 43201 or Ohio Living Westminster Life Care in her memory. Friends may call Thursday December 13, 2018 from 3:00pm to 7:00pm at the RUTHERFORD UNIVERSITY CHAPEL, 2383 N. High St., Columbus, where a funeral service will be held on Friday December 14, 2018 at 11:30 am, with burial to follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens. The family would like to give special thanks to the dedicated staff of Westminster Thurber for the loving care provided to Alice. Condolences to www.rutherfordfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens

5600 E. Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43213
(614) 866-0200

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 13. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Rutherford Funeral Home-University
2383 North High Street
Columbus, OH 43202
(614) 299-1153
info@rutherfordfuneralhome.com
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Funeral Service

DEC 14. 11:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Rutherford Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Alice A. Brooks*



Rutherford Funeral Homes - December 12, 2018 at 01:40 PM

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One of the most beautiful souls that I have ever met. She epitomizes kindness. Strength, love and generosity. She will forever be in our hearts♥♥♥

Maggie - December 13, 2018 at 10:56 AM



“ *Alice A. Brooks*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM

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“ *Sue, Marla and families purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Alice A. Brooks.*



Sue, Marla and families - December 13, 2018 at 12:26 PM



“ *Truly Beloved Bouquet was purchased for the family of Alice A. Brooks.*



December 12, 2018 at 02:07 PM



“ *Ed&Bonnie Cordle, Megan&George Johnson & Families purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Alice A. Brooks.*



Ed&Bonnie Cordle, Megan&George Johnson & Families -
December 12, 2018 at 12:15 PM