



Mary Ellen Wirz Dyer

January 18, 1924 - May 8, 2015

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With much love, we announce the passing of Mary Ellen Wirz Dyer, our wonderful Mother, Grandmother and Great Grandmother.

Born January 18, 1924 in Broken Bow Nebraska to George Fredrick and Clara Wirz. On Mom's 21st birthday she joined the U.S. Army, serving in Los Alamos, NM working on the Manhattan Project until the end of WWII. She was truly a member of the Greatest Generation

Mom was a member of P.E.O. Chapter AC, a willing volunteer for the many causes she believed in and a member of First Presbyterian Church for more than 60 years.

Survived by her children, George William Dyer, Christine Ellen (Robert) Murray, Carol Jo (George) Betts and Daniel Lee (Susan) Dyer, 6 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren, 2 sisters, her brother and many nieces and nephews. Preceded in death by her sister, parents, step-mother, grandparents and her great-grandson.

A special thanks to Dr. Nikki Switzer and to Silverado Hospice for their loving care.

A celebration of life to be held Saturday, May 16, 2015 at First Presbyterian Church, 12 C Street, at 11:00 am. A private internment service for immediate family to be held at Mt. Olivet Cemetery. In lieu of flowers the family would like to suggest donations to the Utah Food Bank or your favorite charity. Please hug someone you love.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

MAY 16. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (MT)

First Presbyterian Church
12 C Street
Salt Lake City, UT 84103

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Ellen Wirz Dyer*

October 05, 2023 at 07:49 PM



“ *It has been such an honor to call Mary a friend for so many years. I knew her from church for over 30 years and she was a member of our book club until she could no longer get there. She had so many interesting stories and was always fun to talk to. We will miss her.*

Dale L. Strobel - May 14, 2015 at 12:12 PM



“ *Sheryll and Jeff Hill purchased the A Devoted Heart Casket Insert for the family of Mary Ellen Wirz Dyer.*



Sheryll and Jeff Hill - May 12, 2015 at 09:10 PM