



Mary C. Warner

August 15, 1926 - April 23, 2017

Mary C. Warner, 90, of Aurora, passed away Sunday, April 23, 2017 at Presence Fox Knoll. She was born August 15, 1926 in Chicago, Illinois.

Mary lived in Aurora since 1979. She retired from the U.S. Air Force Nurse Corp., as a Lt. Col. after 22 ½ years. She also volunteered at Mercy Center Hospital for many years.

Survivors include many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Arthur and Helen (Godfrey) Warner; two brothers, Joseph and Richard Warner; and her sisters-in-law, Patricia and Shirley.

There will be no visitation. A Memorial Mass will be held Tuesday, May 9, 2017 at 10:00 AM at St. Rita of Cascia Church, 750 W. Old Indian Trail Road, Aurora, IL 60506. Fr. Manuel Gomez will officiate followed by inurnment at 1:00 PM at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery, 20953 W. Hoff Rd., Elwood, IL 60421. Funeral arrangements are being handled by THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY, 220 N. Lake Street, Aurora, IL 60506. (630) 631-5500.

Please visit our interactive website at www.daleidenmortuary.com where you may sign the guest book or leave condolences for Mary's family.

Memorial contributions in Mary's name may be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

Cemetery Details

Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

Ellwood, IL

Previous Events

Memorial Mass

MAY 9. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Rita of Cascia Church
750 Old Indian Trail
Aurora, IL 60506
1-630-892-5918

Tribute Wall

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“ *and Loving Great Great Nieces and Nephews purchased the Pink Mixed Fireside Basket for the family of Mary C. Warner.*

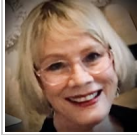


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“ *On behalf of the Society of Air Force Nurses, please know that we are also mourning with you the death of our friend and colleague, Lieutenant Colonel Mary Warner. You are not alone in remembering a wonderful person who made a difference in the lives of so many as she journeyed through life. Mary will be missed, and she will not be forgotten by her "Air Force Nursing Family."*
Linda J. Stierle, Brigadier General, USAF, Nurse Corps (Retired)

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“ Aunt Mary would come home on leave from one of the exotic places she was stationed. This was a major event for my family because she always swooped in full of glamor and stories, and photographs of her thumb over the Tag Mahal and the Eiffel Tower. She treated us to a fancy restaurant dinner while she was home, an unheard of treat that never happened otherwise. As we kids got a little older, we switched from ordering hamburgers to steak and lobster, but Aunt Mary always paid.

I had a month off when I was a junior in Nursing school. Aunt Mary flew me to Texas and took me on a tour of the Air Force base where she was stationed. After that, we went to Monterey, Mexico. We stayed in a lovely hotel in the middle of the city. I had auburn hair at that time, and the native Mexicans were fascinated. We had a little cadre of male admirers that bought us drinks and dinners. Aunt Mary taught me how to drink like a lady (I was 20) and how to be flirtatious without getting myself into trouble. I felt like an adult and one sophisticated in world travel during and after that trip.

JoAnne Warner Mansell

JoAnne Mansell - April 28, 2017 at 03:17 PM