



Evelyn Margaret Anna Magers

November 9, 1926 - August 1, 2022

Evelyn Margaret Anna Magers, 95, of Sarasota, and formerly of Seatauket, New York and Bayhead, New Jersey, passed away peacefully at her home on August 1, 2022 with her family by her side. Evelyn was born on November 9, 1926 in Secaucus, NJ to Bernhard and Evelyn (Goettler) Wilkens.

Evelyn worked at American Mail Line for 10 years as the Executive Assistant to the East Coast President. Her employment also included working with the Merchant Marines in support of the Atlantic Operations during World War II. She supported her husband in his business ventures, and was heavily involved with the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts of America. Evelyn was a member of Faith Lutheran Church in Sarasota, and of the Port Jefferson, NY Chamber of Commerce, and a successful business owner of the Painted Pony Trading Company, a store focusing on Indigenous People's arts and crafts.

Preceded in death by her husband Leroy Magers and her son Thomas Magers, Evelyn was an incredible mother to her daughter Kathryn Larsen and her husband John, loving grandmother to Megan Wallace and her husband Chase, loving great-grandmother to Harrison Wallace, and devoted partner to Nelson OBrien. Evelyn touched many lives with kindness, strength, and wisdom over her 95-year journey. She will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved her.

A celebration of Evelyn's life will take place Friday, August 5th, at 3pm, in the chapel at Toale Brothers Funeral Home, 40 N. Orange Avenue in Sarasota. She will be laid to rest in Hillside Cemetery, Lyndhurst, NJ.

In lieu of flowers, Evelyn's family requests memorial contributions be made to TideWell Foundation, 3550 South Tamiami Trail, Sarasota, FL 34239, or www.tidewellfoundation.org/donate.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

AUG 5. 3:00 PM (ET)

Toale Brothers Funeral Home & Crematory-Colonial Chapel
40 N. Orange Avenue
Sarasota, FL 34236

Tribute Wall



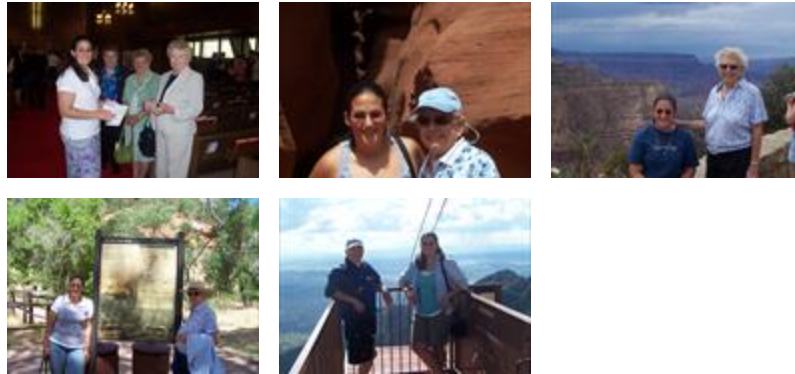
“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Evelyn Margaret Anna Magers.*



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Kathryn Larsen - August 02, 2022 at 07:24 PM

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“ I can't begin to recount the many many happy memories our families, the Magers and the Brights, created together. We spent so many Christmases together! Aunt Evie created a "little Christmas" so on the night before Christmas we all got one present, but it had to be so small they all had to fit in one sleigh in the middle of the table. We laughed, we played, we fished from the Pixie!

As soon as I could drive I'd go to Long Island and work the weekend with Aunt Evie at the Painted Pony.

On holidays, our parents would talk about times at the Stevens married couples dorms when Evie and Roy and Rit and Lois lived there.

I could go on and on but let me just say I loved Aunt Evie like a second Mom!

June Bright White - August 02, 2022 at 05:46 PM