



Maurice K. Albritton (née Gough)

August 11, 2017

Maurice K. Albritton (née Gough) passed away in Sarasota, Florida on August 11, 2017 at the age of 93.

She is survived by her daughter, Linda Albritton (Andrew Helgesen), of Palm Beach Gardens, Florida, her daughter, Ann Albritton Larabee (Fred) of Osprey, Florida, her son, Jim Albritton of Sarasota Florida; grandchildren Erik Helgesen (Lydia), Elise Helgesen Aguilar (Isaiah), Leah Larabee, Alissa Albritton and Jason Albritton; great grandchildren, Leif Aguilar, Emmett Helgesen, and Carter Gerken, and many nieces and nephews. Of particular note, her niece, Sue Carlton, was a faithful visitor and comfort to her in her last years.

She was preceded in death by the love of her life and husband of over 50 years, J. K. Albritton in 1997.

Maurice was born on January 21, 1924 in Hardee County, Florida. She graduated from Hardee County High School in 1941. After World War II ended she moved to Sarasota. There she met another Hardee County native, J.K. Albritton, and they were married in Sarasota on October 23, 1947. They went on their honeymoon to Gainesville, Florida and attended a University of Florida football game. Both Maurice and J.K. were longtime Florida Gator fans.

It was in Sarasota that they raised their family. J.K. started Albritton Fuel Oil Company and Maurice took care of the bookkeeping end of the business. They lived in Sarasota until retirement when they moved back Hardee County.

Both were active in Bay Haven Baptist Church in Sarasota. After they moved back to Wauchula they joined and were active in First Baptist Church of Wauchula, Florida. Maurice's greatest joys were the time spent with J.K. and her family.

A funeral service is scheduled for August 25, 2017 at 12:30 pm at Toale Brothers Funeral Home, Gulf Gate Chapel, 6903 South Tamiami Trail, Sarasota, FL 34231 with burial at Sarasota National Cemetery at 2:00 pm.

In lieu of flowers contributions can be sent to Tidewell Hospice, 5957 Rand Blvd. Sarasota, Florida, 34238.

Tribute Wall

PV

“ *In deepest sympathy, to Ann and entire family;*

Pam/(Matt) Volkman - August 23, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ *So sorry for your loss. Keeping you all in my prayers. May she RIP. Forever in your hearts.*



Diane Bolz - August 23, 2017 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ *Your folks were a blessing to many...They are and will be, missed. Love to you all.*

Sue Carlton - August 16, 2017 at 12:00 AM