



## Edythe Irene Fox Fry

May 30, 1934 - November 19, 2017

Edythe Irene Fox Fry, 83, of Wildwood, Florida passed away Sunday, November 19, 2017 with her family by her side at Orlando Regional Medical Center. Edy was born on May 30, 1934 in Adena, Ohio to the late Ronald and Mildred Smith.

Edy is preceded in death by her husband Rev. Robert H. Fox Jr. of the United Methodist Church. She is survived by her husband Z. Brent Fry, her son J. Scott Fox and daughter Wendy Laurel Luckey. She has three grandchildren Lindsay Fox, Cheyenne Luckey and Shelby Luckey. She is also survived by Brent's three children Christi Evans, Karl Fry and Judy Gendreau and his grandchildren.

Edy graduated from Asbury College and was a skilled organist and piano player who loved music and singing. She was a substitute teacher in Ft Myers, FL from 1968 to 1972 and in Brooksville, FL from 1972 to 1978. She also worked with special needs children with the Hernando Association for Retarded Children, which was started by her husband and is still thriving today. When she and her husband moved to Kissimmee, FL she did administrative work for the local school board and continued teaching. Edy ended her teaching career in Leesburg, FL in 1997.

As a minister's wife, she was committed to working with the youth, children's choir and as a Sunday school teacher. In retirement, she also volunteered weekly at nursing homes until her passing. Edy was an active member of United Methodist Women and the GFWC Central Florida Woman's Club.

Edy was loved by everyone she met, and she had an amazing way of spreading the love and word of God. She was a true example of what a Christian should be and she always had a smile and love for everyone she met.

Services will be held at Christ United Methodist Church on Thursday, December 21 at 1:30 p.m. in Leesburg, FL, at the church her late husband organized. In lieu of flowers, the family requests a gift be made to Christ United Methodist Church, Leesburg FL or The Arc Nature Coast, Brooksville FL with Edy Fox Memorial Fund indicated on the check.