



Mary Byerley

December 21, 2012

Obituary of Mary Byerley

Mary K. Byerley, 88, The Villages, FL passed away peacefully in her sleep on Friday, December 21, 2012 following a long battle with kidney disease. Mrs. Byerley requested that Dr. Quintina B. Corteza be publically thanked "for keeping me alive for so many years".

Mrs. Byerley was preceded in death by her husband Wendell Carl Byerley, a retired army pilot who distinguished himself in both Korea and Europe by achieving 2 silver stars and a congressional medical of honor nomination. She is survived by her son, Wendell Carl (Mikki) Byerley II, her daughter Mary Kathleen Levin (Carl E. Vause Jr.), 4 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren.

As an army wife, Mrs. Byerley was active in the establishment of organizations to assist military families, some of which are still active today. Mrs. Byerley was president of the Business & Professional Woman's Organization in Florida and was a nationally recognized leader in the fight for passage of the Equal Rights Amendment. For 24 years she owned and operated an interior design shop in Fort Walton Beach.

Following her husband's death she relocated to The Villages where she enjoyed being close to her family, playing bridge, cultivating new and lasting friendships. Mrs. Byerley was a woman of faith. She was very proud to be a charter member of Hope Lutheran Church in The Villages where her viewing and celebration service will be held. The viewing will be on Friday, December 28, 2012 from 1:00 to 2:00p.m. and the service will follow at 2:00p.m.

Mrs. Byerley will be interred at Grandview Cemetery in Marysville, TN where she will rest beside her husband until the day of our Lord. This world is diminished by her loss.

Visitation

The viewing will be on Friday, December 28, 2012 from 1:00 to 2:00p.m.

Services

A funeral service will follow at 2:00p.m.

Interment

Mrs. Byerley will be interred at Grandview Cemetery in Marysville, TN

Tribute Wall



“ *Kathy and Carl, So sorry to hear of Aunt Kathleen's passing. She will be missed. I know she is happy to be with Uncle Wendy. Love you, Jan*

Jan Sumpter West - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM