



LORETTA MAY BOTELETER

November 12, 1939 - March 23, 2018

LORETTA M. BOTELETER Fishersville, Va On March 11, 2018, Loretta May Boteler, 78, passed into Heaven to be with her Savior, Jesus Christ. She died at home with her two adult children, Paul and Susan, by her side. Mrs. Boteler was a daughter, sister, wife, aunt, mother and grandmother, who loved with open arms and was loved by her family and friends. Mrs Boteler was born on November 12, 1939 in Los Angeles, California. She attended the California Hospital School of Nursing in Los Angeles, graduating with a Registered Nurse diploma in 1960. Mrs. Boteler worked as an RN in various capacities in hospitals and doctors offices throughout her life. However, the “job” she loved and treasured most was being a mom and grandmother. Mrs. Boteler was creative and enjoyed art, sewing, quilting, and any craft involving paper. She was an avid gardener, tending her home gardens with great attention and care, and she loved to cook and bake for her family. Mrs. Boteler was a member of Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church, Waynesboro, VA, and was an active part of their quilting ministry. Mrs. Boteler was preceded in death by her father, Austin H. Peltier, an infant daughter, Lynne Marie Erickson, and her husband of 23 years, Jack E. Boteler. Mrs. Boteler is survived by her mother, Myrtle L. (Robarge) Peltier, of Asheville, NC; her brother, Robert L. Peltier (Angela), of Zihuatanejo, Guerrero, México; her first husband Robert O. Erickson, of Locust Grove, VA, father of her two surviving adult children: son, Paul R. Erickson (Neuma), of Porto Seguro, Brazil, and daughter, Susan M. (Erickson) Colletti (Andrew), of Springfield, Va. She is also survived by six grandchildren whom she dearly loved:

Kalynn, Johann, Arianna, Ethann, Charlotte, and Samuel; and many aunts, uncles, nephews, nieces, and cousins. The family will receive friends in the seminar room of Grace Lutheran Evangelical Church Waynesboro, VA from 6:30pm-7:30pm on Friday March 23, 2018. A service of celebration will be held at Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church, 500 South Wayne, Ave., Waynesboro, VA on March 24, 2018 beginning at 1:30pm with committal in the Grace Evangelical Lutheran Columbarium. Reception to follow in the fellowship hall. In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions be made to the Mission Endowment Fund of Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church 500 South Wayne Ave., Waynesboro, VA 22980 (indicate “Grace Fund Boteler Memorial” in memo line). This fund is a tax deductible, invested fund that supports God’s mission locally, nationally, and

around the world. The family wishes to extend their love and thanks to Mrs. Boteler's Grace Lutheran Church family and Legacy Hospice for the love and support shown to us during Mrs. Boteler's illness.

Comments



“ I remember Loretta as always smiling and willing to be an active contributor of her talents to the Waynesboro Newcomers Club. On a personal level, she and I enjoyed our great love of gardening and sharing plants. She will truly be missed.

Jerra Wise - March 24, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ Susan and Paul, sending love and sympathy. Your mom was a dear lady with whom we had many good times. I have missed her. Bonnie (Knudsen) Hayes

March 22, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ Deepest sympathy to Loretta's family from a fellow California Hospital nursing classmate. She always had a beautiful smile and brought the best out of all of us. She will be missed by the Class of 1960, but we know that she is an angel looking after us.

Joyce Jacob - March 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ Susan & Family, Although no words can really help to ease the loss you bear, just know that you are very close in every thought and prayer. With Our Deepest Sympathy,

Barbara & John Johnson - March 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM