



Lorraine Marie (Wheaton) Garner

November 19, 1944 - February 24, 2023

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Pickens, South Carolina

Lorraine Marie (Wheaton) Garner, age 78, passed away at Greenville Memorial Hospital at 1:56am on February 24, 2023.

Lorraine was born in Coalinga, CA on November 19, 1944. Her family move to Oregon and then Seattle, Washington where she met her future husband, Howard, a sailor in the Navy, at a YMCA on January 1, 1965. His ship was transferred to Charleston, SC where they were married on 18 March 1966. She followed Howard in his Navy carrier to Scotland, Bremerton, WA; Groton, CT; Virginia Beach, VA; and 3 times to Charleston, SC. In 1991 they moved to Pickens, SC.

Lorraine worked in various restaurants as a cook. She was active with the Pickens Senior Citizen and was a member of the Friendship Baptist Church in Pumpkintown.

She is survived by her husband of 57 years, Howard Ralph Garner, her three daughters: Rachel Arnet of Camden, SC, Rebecca Hix of Elgin, SC, and Naomi Mei of Columbia, SC. She was the proud grandmother of 5, and great-grandmother of 1.

As she wished, no memorial service will be held. A celebration of her life will be held by her family at a later date.

Mountain View Funeral Home – Pickens Chapel is serving the Garner family.

Tribute Wall



“ *Memories 44" Sonnet was purchased for the family of Lorraine Marie (Wheaton) Garner.*



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