



Jerine Margaret Gilkey

April 12, 1925 - May 10, 2024

Jerine (Jeri) M. Gilkey

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Jeri Gilkey, beloved wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and cherished friend, passed away peacefully surrounded by family on May 10, 2024 at the age of 99. She was welcomed into heaven by those who preceded her in death; beloved husband of 56 years, Webber (Webb) H. Gilkey; parents Bernard Neeser & Mary Neeser. Survived by children, Scott (Laura), Steven (Barbro), Michelle Anderson (Brian), Reed; 10 grandchildren, 3 great-grandchildren.

Jeri grew up in St. Cloud, Mn where she graduated from high school and then went on to graduate from Art School. She was hired by Herberger's department store in St. Cloud, where she worked designing windows displays and more. Jerine Neeser married Webber Gilkey and settled in Edina where they went on to raise their family.

Jeri had many interests and hobbies. She was very passionate about her paintings & drawings with pastels (especially doing portraits.) She enjoyed entertaining, gourmet cooking, baking (especially baking pies), travel and gardening.

Most of all Jeri loved spending time with family and friends. She especially enjoyed the many times she spent at the lake. Jeri had such a zest for life making the most out of any gathering. She never wanted a party, dinner party or lunch to ever end. She cherished her family. Jeri will be greatly missed by family and friends or anyone who knew her.

Funeral service Thursday, May 23 at Washburn-McReavy Edina chapel
West 50th St. & Hwy 100
10:00 AM visitation 11:00 AM service

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **23**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Edina Chapel
5000 West 50th & Highway 100
Edina, MN 55436

Memorial Service

MAY **23**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jerine Margaret Gilkey.*



May 22, 2024 at 04:13 PM



“ *Love, The Vipond's planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jerine Margaret Gilkey.*

Love, The Vipond's - May 22, 2024 at 04:13 PM



“ *Loved sharing leisurely lunches with Jeri and Michelle. Always included a martini!
I will always remember her beautiful smile and infectious zest for life. She loved her family above all! Rest in peace pretty lady. You mill be greatly missed! Lori Rocheford*

Lori Rocheford - May 19, 2024 at 11:29 AM



“ *Brenda H. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jerine Margaret Gilkey.*

Brenda H. - May 18, 2024 at 09:12 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Jerine Margaret Gilkey.*



May 18, 2024 at 09:12 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with her family during this most difficult time. Jeri will be truly missed by all who knew her!*



Karen Litke - May 17, 2024 at 01:53 PM