



Joan Rix Gilmore

April 17, 1931 - December 25, 2023

Joan Rix (Utoft) Gilmore

Born April 17, 1931 and passed away the evening of December 25, 2023. Preceded in death by husband, Robert Gilmore; parents, Anders and Anna (Rix) Utoft; and sisters, Phyllis Johansen, Kathrine Jorgensen, and Helen Skov. Survived by children, Thomas, Rebecca (Terry) Gruggen, and John; brother, Charles Utoft; and many other loving family members and friends. Memorial service on Friday, April 12, 2024 at 2 PM at Peace Lutheran Church, 8600 E Bush Lake Rd, Bloomington. Visitation one hour prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Minneapolis Heart Institute Foundation, 920 E 28th St, Suite #100, Minneapolis, MN 55407 or www.mplshheart.org. Private family interment.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 12. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Peace Lutheran Church (Bloomington)
8600 East Bush Lake Road
Bloomington, MN 55438

Memorial Service

APR 12. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

SM

“ Susan, Margaret and Mark purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Joan Rix Gilmore.



Susan, Margaret and Mark - April 09, 2024 at 03:40 PM

SG

“ Sending hugs and love to Becky, Tom and John. Thinking about your mom makes me smile. She was always so much fun and a quick wit. I will fondly remember one Christmas- drinking Glug and singing around the Christmas tree. She will be missed. My condolences. Sue Gilbert

Sue Gilbert - April 05, 2024 at 01:10 PM

MP

“ Lenore, Nan, Connie, Joan and I were on bowling teams at the Southtown bowling alley and it was not uncommon for us to have BLTs at the alley restaurant to celebrate our mediocre scores. Sometimes Joan and I would go “ window shopping” instead of the BLTs and eat at the International Pancake House. The trouble iswe had joined WEIGHT WATCHERS and had to weigh-in after bowling. We would weigh-in, and then immediately walk over to the pancake house and gorge ourselves. Our big joke was about how crazy we were and we knew it!
Your “very best friend” misses you Joanie....I am one of MANY.
“very best friends” of Joan’s.

Marilynn Paulson - March 25, 2024 at 11:43 AM