



Mary "Marie" Ingram

August 19, 1936 - November 10, 2022

Mary "Marie" Ingram, age 86 years, a resident of Harrisburg, Illinois, passed away Thursday evening, November 10, 2022, at 9:15 PM at her home. At the time of her passing, Marie was with her beloved husband of 67 years.

Marie was born August 19, 1936 in Neoga (Cumberland County) Illinois, she was the daughter of Leslie James Cooper and Elizabeth Faye (Curry) Cooper. Marie was the eldest of seven girls. No matter the distance between them they managed to keep in touch regularly and visit often.

On April 19, 1955, Marie was united in marriage to Charles "Chuck" Ingram at the First Christian Church in Toledo, Illinois.

In addition to her beloved husband, Marie is survived by: her children – Leslie C. Ingram of Golconda and Renee' M. Williams (Dean Furlong) of Harrisburg; 3 grandchildren – Jade Williford (Beth Goff), Craig (Maura) Williams and Morgan (Brian) Dalton; 9 great grandchildren – Caleb, Cole, and Cooper Williford, Kyndall & Ridge Williams, Ryan, Levi, Gabe, and Braydee Dalton; 3 sisters – Joan (Bernard) Oakley of Charleston, Linda Pickens of Plainfield, Indiana, and Ila Mae Ray (Barry Russell) of Mattoon; as well as nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

In addition to her parents, Marie was preceded in death by 3 sisters – Evelyn

Pugh, Carolyn Miller, and Charlene Roy.

Marie was a graduate of Neoga (Illinois) High School. She served for many years as the deputy county clerk and recorder in Cumberland County Illinois. She was a faithful homemaker and her most beloved occupation was taking care of all her family; she excelled at this.

Marie was a 50 year member of the Toledo Chapter # 231 Order of the Eastern Star.

She enjoyed flower gardening and babysitting her grandchildren and great grandchildren.

She was a faithful and devoted member of the Harrisburg First Christian Church.

A celebration of the life of Marie Ingram will be conducted Tuesday afternoon, November 15, 2022, at 2 PM at the First Christian Church, 20 South Webster Street, Harrisburg, Illinois. Biff Moore will officiate.

The family will receive relatives and friends from 1 PM – 2 PM Tuesday at the church.

Memorials may be made to the Hospice of Southern Illinois, 204 Halfway Road, Marion, Illinois 62959 or to the First Christian Church, 20 South Webster Street, Harrisburg, Illinois 62946.

The family wishes to express their appreciation to Pat Parkinson for her assistance and support.

Previous Events

Gathering of Family & Friends

NOV 15. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

First Christian Church
20 South Webster Street
Harrisburg, IL 62946

Celebration of Life

NOV 15. 2:00 PM (CT)

First Christian Church
20 South Webster Street
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Tribute Wall



“ *Mary "Marie" Ingram*

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary "Marie" Ingram.*



November 15, 2022 at 06:37 AM



“ *My deepest sympathy go out to Chuck, Les, Renee' and families. You will all be in my thoughts and prayers.*
Kristie Foreman Thompson

Kristie Foreman Thompson - November 14, 2022 at 09:29 PM



“ *The Neoga High School Class of 1954 will forever cherish the memory of our dear classmate Marie. Our high school days were happy, carefree and fun. She was cheerful with a smile that lit up the room. Marie and Chuck never missed attending a class reunion. Marie was always interested in the lives of her friends. We will miss her presence and her memory will linger.*

Martha Wilson - November 14, 2022 at 12:47 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Mary "Marie" Ingram.



November 14, 2022 at 11:53 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Mary "Marie" Ingram.



November 14, 2022 at 08:45 AM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Mary "Marie" Ingram.



November 14, 2022 at 08:11 AM

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“ When you phoned that fateful evening and described your health prognosis I understood your last days’ decision. You were tired, in pain, and recognized you didn’t have much longer for your earthly life. I ponder those last words and remember all the good memories we cherished over the past some 70 years or more. As a believer I understood your desire to “go home” and know that we know you are with Jesus now and are rejoicing! We still mourn for your earthly presence but we know you just changed addresses. As a believer we can honestly say, “We’ll see you later.” In the meantime we pray that the Holy Spirit will comfort you Chuck, Renee (and Dean), and Leslie as you mourn Marie’s absence. I am so happy that Marie put her faith, hope, and trust, in Jesus in her life which should be a lesson for all of us to remember about her.
With Fondest Regards, Elsie Traenkenschuh

Elsie M Traenkenschuh - November 13, 2022 at 09:21 PM

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“ It was always a pleasure to visit with Marie when I was able to come home. This last visit was the most special of all (October 2022). Although my heart is breaking, I’m grateful I got to spend quality time with her. We shared many stories, laughter and an unspoken understanding that God was calling her home. That final visit filled both of our hearts like no other. She was a gift of love, wisdom and a life well lived. Marie will always hold a piece of my heart as I believe I hold a piece of hers. God speed my second Mom. I will always love and admire you! 💕💕

Jeanette Talamo - November 13, 2022 at 02:46 PM

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“ All of my memories of "Mrs. Coach" come from her caring for all of Coach's running kids. She supported all of us and our love of Coach and his for us. I can't think of her without smiling. My heart breaks for her family. We love you Coach and all of you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Kim "Nave" Bell - November 12, 2022 at 07:52 PM