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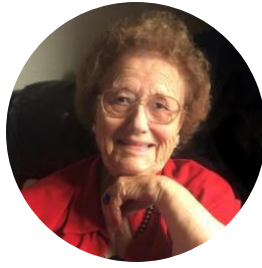


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After a wonderful life, Marion Irene Jorgensen peacefully entered heaven on Monday, February 22, 2021 at the age of 95. Marion was born on March 29, 1925 in Sacramento, the youngest of eight children to George and Alice Slight. Marion grew up in Pleasant Grove in Sutter County, and helped her family survive the Great Depression. This time period instilled in her a love of family dinners and gatherings.

Through friends and family, she met a handsome young man from Elverta named Fred Jorgensen and he became the love of her life. Fred and Marion were married on July 11, 1942 in Reno, NV, beginning a marriage that was to last over 58 years. She helped with the bookkeeping for Fred's Automotive Service in Sacramento and kept busy raising four children. Much of Marion's life was spent in service at the Elverta United Methodist Church (UMC). She taught Sunday School, was the president of the United Methodist Women, and was a delegate to many UMC annual conferences.

Marion loved to cook and bake, famous for her baked beans and apple pies at family gatherings. She vacationed in Santa Cruz almost every summer since World War II, making the annual family trip even at age 94!

Marion's greatest pride and joy was her family. Phone calls and visits from her grandchildren were one of the highlights of her life. She was well known for her words of wisdom, encouragement and support. She could always be counted on to finance ice cream cone treats, delight in beautiful flowers, and enjoy a warm spot in front of the fireplace. She was the epitome of a wonderful wife, mother, mother-in-law, grandmother and friend. She was unwavering in her faith and it defined the way she lived her life.

Marion was preceded in death by her husband Fred on May 22, 2001. She is survived by her daughters Barbara Willett of Lincoln and her sons: Jon and Paul;



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Marilyn Bates (Jimmy) of Fair Oaks and their daughter Lisa; sons Fred of Moreno Valley and his children: Stephanie (Nick), Rachel, Elliott (Natalie); Warren (Tresa) of Rocklin and their children: Roseann (Brent), Isaac, and Alora.

Due to Covid, a private celebration of life will be held. Please honor her by visiting the Sunset Lawn Chapel of the Chimes website and sharing a favorite memory with us.

Gifts in Marion's honor can be mailed to the Elverta UMC, P.O. Box 126, Elverta, California 95626



Events


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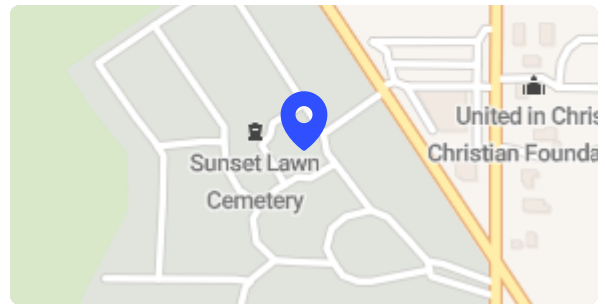
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Cemetery Details

 **Sunset Lawn Chapel of the Chimes Memorial Park**

4701 Marysville Boulevard, Sacramento CA
95838

 **916-256-2659**





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Lori-Michelle Willett posted:

Grandma welcomed myself and my daughter, Tina into the family with open arms and an open heart. Her hugs had a way of bringing peace and warmth into your very being. Every hug felt like home. I can still hear her laugh, and her trademark "weeeeelll....." which you could be sure, amused insight would follow with very little judgment. I loved her stories about being an Air Force wife, right here in Vacaville. She made me feel good about my efforts as a mom...even when I was outnumbered 5/1. Lol her encouragement would warm my heart and give me motivation to be better. She is the kind of grandma every kid wishes for, and I am ever so blessed she was mine. I am overflowing with loving memories.....My love to the entire Jorgensen family during this time of loss and grief. Love you all, Lori-Michelle Willett

March 4 at 9:04 AM



Anonymous sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Jorgensen family.



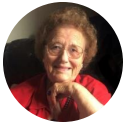
March 3 at 1:07 PM



Anonymous sent a Country Basket Blooms to the Jorgensen family.



March 3 at 10:34 AM



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Dee Herman (Doods) posted:

I met Marion over thirty years ago; she was such a charming and beautiful lady from the inside out. She touched a lot of hearts, including mine. It was an honour knowing such a wonderful person and her family. My heart is saddened by her loss. To her loving family, my thoughts and prayers are with you. May Marion's beautiful memories last forever and may she rest in peace. Love from Doods

March 1 at 7:25 AM



Lori-Michelle Willett March 4 at 8:36 AM

Grandma welcomed myself and my wee daughter, Tina into her family and into her arms with complete love. Her hugs had a way of calming stress and giving warmth. I hear her laugh and her trademark..."weelll....." and you could be sure the words to follow had amused insight with little judgment. I loved her stories of being an Air Force wife, right here in Vacaville and she always made me feel good about being a mom, even when I was outnumbered 5/1 lol. She was the grandma everyone wishes for and we will miss her. Overflowing with loving memories, Lori-Michelle Willett



Steph Zabloski shared 2 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Marion was kind, gentle and full of love. She always gave the warmest hugs and ready to lend an ear to listen. She is very loved by her 4 great-grandchildren across the miles in MN! She adored meeting and loving her youngest great-grandson summer '19 in Santa Cruz. Her sweetness left a lasting impression on us all.



February 27 at 6:06 PM



Anonymous sent a Gracious Lavender Basket to the Jorgensen family.



February 27 at 4:25 PM



Media

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Marion by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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