



Phyllis Kneeder

September 20, 1928 - May 20, 2022

MASON CITY, IL – Phyllis (Wasilewski) Kneeder, 93, went home to meet her Lord on May 20, 2022 at the Villas West in Sherman IL with the loving care of her family, staff and hospice.

Phyllis is survived by three daughters: Carol Kneeder of Springfield, Mari Whitney (Richard) of Mason City, and Cathy Hobart (Doug Nicodemus) of Riverton; three siblings: John (Joan) Wasilewski, Larry Wasilewski, and Mary Wells. She adored her seven grandchildren, eighteen great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild, as well as many cousins, nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband Frank in 2011 and by parents Stanley and Mary Wasilewski and siblings Robert “Tommy” Wasilewski, James Wasilewski, Winnie Tobias Downey and Carol Baugher.

She was born September 20, 1928 in Athens, IL, the daughter of Stanley and Mary (Brackhan) Wasilewski. Phyllis married Francis Albert Kneeder on January 21, 1949 in Athens, IL. She was an executive of Illinois Bell Telephone, later AT&T, for 35 years, retiring in 1983. She was active in her community: serving on the Mason City Library Board, the Community Choir, and the Mason City Women’s Investment Club. She was a member of the Illinois and Emiquon Audubon Societies. She volunteered at the Mason City Area Nursing Home, Illini Central Grade School, Community VBS, and was

active in both the Christian and the Assembly of God Churches. She loved her family, gardening, birding, reading, and Jesus. She thought the best of people and treated everyone as a person of value.

Memorial Services will be at 11am, Monday, May 30 at the Mason City Assembly of God church in Mason City, IL, with visitation from 10-11am. Memorials may be made to the Audubon Society, the Mason City Illinois Public Library or to the Mason City Assembly of God Church. Hurley Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. www.hurleyfh.com

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 30. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (cst)

Assembly of God Church- Mason City
121 E. Arch
Mason City, IL 62664
(217) 482-3806

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Phyllis Kneedler*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Dave, Libby, Michael and Matteo purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Phyllis Kneedler.*



Dave, Libby, Michael and Matteo - May 26, 2022 at 07:15 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Phyllis Kneedler.*



May 25, 2022 at 11:26 PM



“ *Stuart, Terrie, Lauren, Mike, Dana, Allen purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Phyllis Kneedler.*



Stuart, Terrie, Lauren, Mike, Dana, Allen - May 25, 2022 at 11:52 AM

AS

“ Carol,
I'm so sorry for your loss. I love the photo of her as a young girl.
She was so pretty!
Peace to you in this difficult time.
April

April Smith - May 25, 2022 at 09:30 AM

VB

“ Vickie Bagby lit a candle in memory of Phyllis
Kneedler



Vickie Bagby - May 24, 2022 at 05:00 PM

MW

“ so sorry to see this, my prayers for the family...

Marlene Wiker - May 24, 2022 at 12:40 PM

BH

“ Her smile was so kind. That's the first memory
when I saw her name. Condolences to the
family.



Brenda Hagan - May 24, 2022 at 10:46 AM

TW

“ *Tom & Tracy Williams lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Kneedler*



Tom & Tracy Williams - May 23, 2022 at 05:04 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Hurley Funeral Home - May 23, 2022 at 09:08 AM

BH

Beautiful picture.

Brenda Hagan - May 24, 2022 at 10:42 AM