

# MARILYN WALK



We recently lost a most beautiful woman. Marilyn Walk passed away on Friday, October 20, 2023, from complications of dementia. She was born on January 2, 1938, in Salem, Ohio, the daughter of Howard and Elizabeth Schaefer. She leaves behind her husband of 62 years Dr. William Walk; two sons, Dr. Michael and Daniel; a sister, Nancy Gayer; two grandchildren, Daniel and Morgan; a daughter-in-law,

Deanna; and several nieces and nephews.

Marilyn graduated in 1961 with an RN degree from the Ohio State University. She was married in August of 1961. The next two years were spent as a surgical nurse in Louisiana where her husband was stationed in the Air Force. Upon returning to Pittsburgh she served as a surgical nurse at Columbia Hospital.

Until her illness, she led a very fulfilling life. She was an active member of both Pleasant Hills Presbyterian Church and the Pleasant Hills Garden Club. She enjoyed bridge, tennis, and golf at the Edgewood Country Club. Taking after her father she could do almost anything she put her mind to such as wallpapering, painting, making draperies, slipcovers, and installing tile floors.

She was best known for her sewing, quilting, and applique work. Many of her dozens of beautiful table runners and appliqued sweatshirts are still in service.

The family would like to thank Vitas Hospice for their compassionate care. If desired memorials may be made to the Pleasant Hills Presbyterian Church, Vitas Health Care, or a charity of your choice.

Family and friends will be received for visitation on Tuesday, October 24th from 2-4 and 6-8 at the **JEFFERSON MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME**, 301 Curry Hollow Road, Pittsburgh. Burial will be held privately on Wednesday morning. Afterward, all are invited to a Memorial Service at Pleasant Hills Presbyterian Church at 11. Following the service there will be a celebration of life at Pleasant Hills Atria's, all invited. To leave online condolences please visit [www.jeffersonmemorial.com](http://www.jeffersonmemorial.com).

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