



## Maryln E. Hochstetler

July 3, 1938 - August 10, 2024

WALKERTON – Maryln E. Hochstetler passed away on Saturday, August 10 surrounded by her children who were talking about things moms don't want to hear about. She was born on July 3, 1938 in Bremen to the late Ervin and Cecil (Swoverland) Stuntz, and was 86 years-old at the time of her death. On May 12, 1960, Maryln married her love, Wyman (Hop) Hochstetler in Bremen, IN.

She accomplished her biggest goal in life as she let go of this world to be with her Lord and Savior Smiles and laughter will fill their hearts when mom and dad embrace. And because of the promise Jesus made to his believers, mom's memories and dreams are once again hers. She greeted everyone with a smile and an offer of a great cup of coffee. Maryln was famous for always wanting to help others and her cinnamon pudding! She also treasured the monthly sings with her late husband Wyman's "Hop's" family.

Maryln was co-owner of both Stuntz-Hochstetler Pines and Hop's Powered Parachutes. She was also a member of the Indiana and National Christmas Tree Growers Association; she served on the Marshall County REMC Board of Directors for 19 years; was a member of the Marshall County Tourism Board; and a proud member of the County Line Club. In 2009 she was the recipient of the Distinguished Hoosier Award.

Maryln is survived by two children Quinn (Talia) Balmer and Della (Tim) Egger all of Walkerton; four grandchildren Bobby (Danielle) Egger, Brandon (Aimee) Egger, and Jared (Ashlee) Egger all of Walkerton and Jack Hochstetler of

Chicago; and six greatgrandchildren Emma Egger, Olivia Egger, Kendall Egger, Zane Egger, Durham Egger, and Gatlin Egger. She is preceded in death by her parents; husband; two brothers Howard Stuntz and Hayward Stuntz; and one sister Elnora Soales.

We would like to thank everyone at Miller's Merry Manor in Walkerton for always doing more than what is written in your job description. You cared for mom with love and compassion and for this we will forever be thankful. To Kristyn, mom's Nurse Practitioner and all the Hospice Nurses that made mom's journey a little easier.

There will be a Celebration of Life service at 2:00 EDT on Saturday, October 12, 2024 at the Walkerton Community Church (1001 Georgia ST., Walkerton, IN 46574). In lieu of flowers the family requests memorial contributions be made to either the Walkerton Community Church or Miller's Merry Manor Activities Department (500 Walkerton TR., Walkerton, IN 46574).

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life Service

OCT **12**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Walkerton Community Church  
1001 Georgia ST  
Walkerton, IN 46574

# Tribute Wall

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“ Oh Della and Quinn, I'm so sorry to hear about your mom. I know the last few years were really tough on all of you. You loved and honored her so well through it all. She was one of my favorites and I'm grateful that she's now at peace and with the loved ones that she missed so much.

Sue Hamilton - October 17, 2024 at 01:55 PM

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“ Jim and Monica Morris Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maryln E. Hochstetler.

Jim and Monica Morris Family - October 07, 2024 at 12:52 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Maryln E. Hochstetler.



October 07, 2024 at 12:52 PM

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“ Della & your entire family, I was saddened to learn of your mom's passing. I know it was a long hard road. She' no longer in pain & finally at peace and with Hop, I'm sure. She lived a full wonderful life. I remember working with Hop harvesting trees for the up coming season, and Maryln's wreaths were second to none that you all made for the Christmas shop. Those were all great times. "Though I know I'll never lose affection for people & things that went before, I know I'll often think about them, In my Life, I loved them all" R.I.P. God's speed Maryln

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**Sonny & Tanya Uhlig** - September 19, 2024 at 03:45 PM

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“ To the family. Your Mother was a wonderful lady. I ❤️ her. Her and Ben have NO more pain. GOD keep you ALL in his Loving arms. Prayers Love Vickie Ann Burger

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**Vickie Ann Burger** - August 13, 2024 at 11:11 AM