



Winifred Eileen Braden

October 22, 1934 - December 22, 2022

Winifred Eileen Braden (Ferguson), 88, passed December 22, 2022 surrounded by her family at Shawnee Parc Acute Care Center, Overland Park, KS. Visitation will be held at Maple Hill Funeral Home from 1:00-2:00 PM followed by funeral services at 2:00 PM Thursday, December 29, 2022. Burial will follow at the Maple Hill Cemetery.

Winnie was born on October 22, 1934 at her family home on 14th St. in Kansas City, KS, the seventh of eleven children. She was united in marriage on August 8, 1950 to William E. Braden, the handsome neighbor who stole her heart at the young age of 15. Together they raised six children and were married for 68 years.

Everyone who knew Winnie was aware of the pride and deep love she felt for her six daughters and their families. She often said that her family was her life. She did occasionally work outside the home, but was most content to be a stay-at-home mom for her girls. All six adored her and feel they could not have had a more loving mother. She was an excellent baker and candy maker who delighted in gifting her homemade cinnamon rolls and fudge.

She was preceded in death by her husband William E. Braden; parents, William and Winifred Ferguson; and her siblings, Marie Hopkins, Norma Koup, Kathryn Goodrich, Tom Ferguson, Bill Ferguson, Keith Ferguson, Jim

Ferguson & Lee Ferguson.

She is survived by her children; Kathy (John) Sutton, Shawnee, KS; Mary (Ron) Miller, Bonner Springs, KS; Billie (Jim) Whisler, Kansas City, KS; Pam Gerster, Des Moines, IA; Amy Kinney, LaCygne, KS; Norma Beth (Chris) Dixon, Eudora, KS; and her siblings; Bob (Marilyn) Ferguson, Dorothy (Jerry)Phillips; sister-in-law Sandy Ferguson; 14 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **29**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Maple Hill Funeral Home
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Kansas City, KS 66106
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Funeral Service

DEC **29**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery created a Tribute Video in memory of Winifred Eileen Braden*



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - December 27, 2022 at 12:20 PM



“ *Winifred Eileen Braden*

October 08, 2023 at 10:59 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Winifred Eileen Braden.*



December 28, 2022 at 02:00 PM



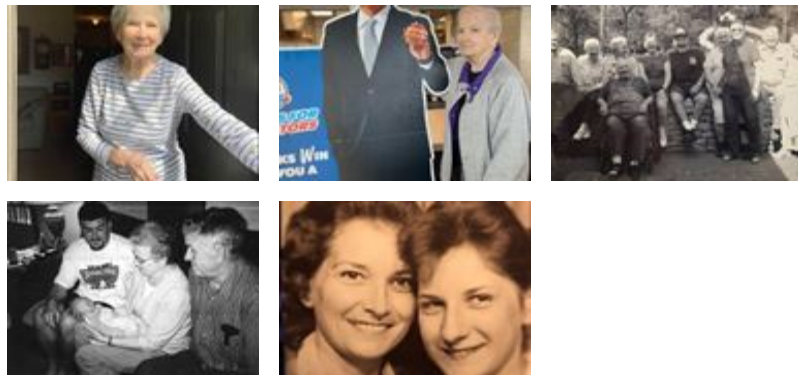
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Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - December 27, 2022 at 03:12 PM



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Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - December 27, 2022 at 12:18 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet* was purchased for the family of *Winifred Eileen Braden*.



December 27, 2022 at 09:12 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Winifred Eileen Braden.*



December 26, 2022 at 08:17 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Winifred Eileen Braden.*



December 25, 2022 at 07:37 PM



“ *Kathy, Mary, Billie, Pam, Amy and Beth, I am so sorry for the loss of your precious mom. She was always very kind to me, as were all of you. I love your entire family. May God give all of you comfort and peace as you travel down this difficult journey of a "new normal" It's not easy, as you know. If you need anything at all, please reach out to me. I love every one of you!*

Ruth Benlon - December 25, 2022 at 02:37 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Winifred Eileen Braden.*



December 24, 2022 at 02:55 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Winifred Eileen Braden.*



December 23, 2022 at 10:19 PM



“ *I meet Winne through her granddaughter Jessica. The first thing she said was, just call me grandma and then offered me food and drinks. She loved talking about her family and tell stories. I would ask a question about nothing in particular and she would talk your ear off about everything but that. It always made me laugh and smile. I loved to hear her stories and hearing her laugh was great. She was a true mother and grandmother at heart. She do anything for her family and never slowed down. I will truly miss her but know she is with the rest of her family. We will all meet again and share more stories and laughs.*



Sara - December 23, 2022 at 08:11 PM

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“ Miss Winnie, bless her heart was a kind and sweet lady. She was one of the meekest people u can meet. You felt the warmth and welcome from her smile to her loving hugs. I am grateful to have spent time with her and (with her granddaughter Jessica, my fiance') gave her a grandson who was very glued to his gmaw. She will be forever missed and I am blessed and thankful I was able to share the time you graced us wit that was left in the breaths of your lungs. I truly know God is love cuz he put in a couple more scoops when he created my best friend, Miss Winnie. Rest Well my friend...P.S. I will eat a sammich in ur memory....love u and miss u so very much. To all the family thank you all for letting me share the time i did with her...Jessica biggest thanks to you, if it wasn't for u I wouldn't have met this wonder woman we all know as Miss W.



Zoe James - December 23, 2022 at 07:54 PM