



Nancy L. Graber

March 1, 1933 - October 19, 2018

Mineral Point - Nancy L. Graber, age 85, of Mineral Point, passed away on Friday, October 19, 2018 at Upland Hills Nursing & Rehab Center in Dodgeville.

She was born on March 1, 1933 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Dodgeville. She was the fourth child of Ernest and Nora (Schaaf) Graber. She attended St. Mary's Grade School, one year at Mineral Point High School and completed her high school education at St. Catherine's in Racine. She entered a religious order known as the Sisters of St. Dominic dedicated to teaching. Nancy received a bachelor degree from Dominican College and taught in parochial and private schools. After leaving the community, she got a master's degree from Cardinal Stritch College and taught 27 years in the Milwaukee Public Schools.

She returned to Mineral Point in 1995 living in the house that at one time was owned by her grandparents (Schaaf) and parents. She was a member of Ss. Mary & Paul Parish, served on the parish council, a member of the Kiwanis Club, served on the school board for six years and was a tour guide at the Pendarvis Historical Site for 15 seasons. During her retirement years, she was able to travel thoroughly enjoying Alaska, Germany, Ireland, Italy and Russia.

She was preceded in death by her parents, brothers George and David, sister Mary Lou Doney, brother-in-law David Doney, sisters-in-law Ellie Graber and

Barbara Graber, nephews Scott, Larry and Michael Graber and Mike Doney, and a great nephew Jeremy Schaefer.

Nancy is survived by her siblings Kenneth (Marie Johnson) Graber, Ted (Mary) Graber, Sam (Sandi) Graber; her sisters-in-law Pat Graber Forbes and Berniece Graber; other nieces, nephews other relatives and friends.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 24, 2018 at Ss. MARY & PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH in Mineral Point. Father Joseph Michael Tarigopula will officiate. Burial will be held in St. Mary's Cemetery. Friends may call from 9:00 a.m. until 10:45 a.m. on Wednesday at the church.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the Mineral Point Library, Mineral Point Rescue Squad of the Mineral Point Fire Department.

Cemetery Details

St. Mary's Cemetery

700 Dodge Street
Mineral Point, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **24**. 9:00 AM - 10:45 AM (CT)

Ss. Mary & Paul Catholic Church
224 Davis Street
Mineral Point, WI 53565

Mass of Christian Burial

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Tribute Wall



“ *Nancy L. Graber*

November 15, 2022 at 06:49 AM



“ *We just found out that Nancy passed away. I'm so sorry we missed her services. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.*

Kathy Lundell - October 26, 2018 at 07:47 PM



“ *I read with sadness that Nancy has died. I knew her as a friend and teacher at Urban Day School in Milwaukee. She was one of the best teachers I knew. She had a rich, full life, giving of herself in everything she touched. Time for her to hear, "Well done, good and faithful servant!" Welcome home!*

Sarah Kidd

Sarah Kidd - October 22, 2018 at 10:33 AM



“ *We will miss her in the neighborhood. I enjoyed the time I spent with her. She had an impish, cheerful way of telling stories and sharing events. Loved her smile. My sympathy to the family.*



Donna Toay - October 22, 2018 at 08:40 AM