



Phyllis M. Hanson

November 28, 1933 - March 25, 2021

Mineral Point - Phyllis Merva Hanson, age 87, passed into God's care on March 25, 2021 at her home surrounded by family. She was born on November 28, 1933 to Chester and Marjorie (Whitford) Owens. Phyllis graduated from Mineral Point High School in 1951 and had continued with many of the friendships made during her school years. On December 28, 1952 she married Marvin LaVerne Hanson, the love of her life.

Phyllis's life was a living example of her wish to serve. She was a lifelong member of the Congregational United Church of Christ where she contributed in many ways. She was a Sunday School Teacher, a member of the Women's Fellowship and the Choir Director for many decades. Music was a great passion of her life which showed in her singing, flute playing, and directing. Phyllis and Marvin also sang many duets together. She was President of the Music Boosters while her children were in High School. During her life she was also a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, serving as Worthy Matron along with her husband as Worthy Patron. For many years she worked for Dr. E.J. Hohler, Dr. Timothy Correll, and later for the Mineral Point Clinic. In earlier years she worked for attorney John Walsh.

Family and friends were the great joy of her life. She loved supporting her children and grandchildren in their many pursuits and accomplishments. She didn't want to miss any performance, sports event or ceremony. The family

vacation to northern Wisconsin was a highlight of every year and she made every holiday and birthday a special event. She cherished quality time with friends that included many travels and card games. Along with being a Packer fan she was an avid Badger fan and donated to the UW Marching Band. The half-time show and fifth quarter were as important to her as the game.

Phyllis is survived by her husband, her two daughters, Marla Martin and Lisa Hanson-Howard(Warren), and her son DuWayne Hanson; grandchildren Lesley Davidson, Owen Martin, Ethan Martin, Cole Howard and Emma Hanson; plus two great-granddaughters, Lily and Eleanor Davidson; her sister-in-law, Marilyn Owens and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, a brother, Wayne Owens, and a son-in-law, Timothy Martin.

A Memorial Service will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 30, 2021 at the CONGREGATIONAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST in Mineral Point. Rev. Beryl Melcher will officiate. The service will be Livestreamed through the Gorgen Funeral Services

****Masks and social distancing will be required at the church****

Facebook page at the link below:

<https://www.facebook.com/Gorgen-Funeral-Services-110519437223483>

Visitation will be from 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday at the church.

In lieu of flowers, any memorials can be made to the Mineral Point United Church of Christ Building Fund.

Thank you to SSM Hospice for supporting Phyllis and the family. A special thank you is made to the dedicated staff at the Fresenius dialysis center in

Dodgeville, WI for all their care and time spent with her over 7 years of dialysis. She was blessed with many more life experiences because of their dedication.

"Thank you for being the greatest role model for a fulfilling and loving life"

Cemetery Details

Graceland Cemetery

800 Fair Street
Mineral Point, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 30. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Congregational United Church of Christ
300 Maiden Street
Mineral Point, WI 53565

Memorial Service

MAR 30. 6:30 PM (CT)

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300 Maiden Street
Mineral Point, WI 53565

Tribute Wall



“ *Phyllis M. Hanson*

November 15, 2022 at 06:49 AM



“ *I was sorry to hear of Phyllis's (always Mrs Hanson to me) passing. I remember her from the Mineral Point picnics. I remember her as a very caring woman who would actively listen to whatever story I was telling.*

Sarah (Cole) Briscoe - April 25, 2021 at 01:17 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Phyllis M. Hanson.*



March 29, 2021 at 01:24 PM



“ *We are sorry to hear of Phyllis's passing. I have a lot of memories from my childhood and my visits to Mineral Point. I would come with my parents Harlan & Pauline Olson & Marietta Calvert. Our prayers & sympathy are with you. Greg & Sheri Olson Sauer*

Sheri Sauer - March 28, 2021 at 04:58 PM



“ *Sorry to hear of Phyllis's passing. I remember her working for Dr. Hohler. She was such a kind and caring person. God bless.*

Sharon Byrne - March 26, 2021 at 06:40 PM

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“ *Sending hugs, love and prayers in your loss of a lovely lady. I enjoyed sharing time with her when she worked for Dr. Hohler, Dr. Correll and the Mineral Point Clinic. Always pleasant professionally and as a friend. Rosalie R. May*

Rosalie R. May - March 26, 2021 at 12:24 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Phyllis M. Hanson.*



March 26, 2021 at 11:17 AM

LS

“ *Always a friendly and such a sweet lady...RIP*

Larry Schmitz - March 26, 2021 at 10:07 AM

TW

*Sending our sincere sympathies and prayers of peace and strength to the family during this time. Phyllis will be remembered for her sweet and calming demeanor. She was wonderful directing the UCC choirwill always remember the Christmas Cantatas (sp)...they were so special!
Phil & Terri Weier*

Terri Weier - March 30, 2021 at 11:15 AM