



Joyce W. Stone

October 19, 2024

Joyce W. Stone, 94, of Strasburg entered eternal rest on Saturday, October 19, 2024, at Ephrata Manor. She was the widow of Robert Stone. Joyce was born in Brecknock Twp and was the loving daughter of the late Jeremiah and Cora (Weinhold) Reed.

She worked as a florist for many years. Joyce also worked for Hubley's Toy Factory in the 1950s as an Administrative Assistant. She worked for Lancaster Osteopathic Hospital (LOH) as an Admin Secretary for the Physical Therapy department from where she retired after 20 years.

She enjoyed canning fruits and vegetables, fishing, hunting, music, and cheering on her Penn State team. She traveled with the Senior Citizens Club in Strasburg, which was important to her. She was a lifelong auxiliary member of the Lancaster Elks Lodge Post 134.

Joyce and her husband would put together the after-Strasburg parade parties and loved to dress up to frighten the children, but they still came back year after year. They were known as "Halloween Joyce and Halloween Bob" in the neighborhood. Her Christmas Eve parties back in the day were remembered by all who attended.

She is survived by her daughter, Barbara Caldwell (John) of Lancaster; son,

Stephen Hornberger of Lancaster; stepdaughters, Cynthia Stone of NC, and Sandra Drawbaugh of York; stepson, Robert B. Stone (Kristina) of Lancaster; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren; cousin, Brenda Leid.

In addition to her parents and husband, Joyce was preceded in death by her stepson, Steven Stone.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend Joyce's Funeral Service at The Groffs Family Funeral Home, 528 W. Orange St. Lancaster, PA on Friday, October 25, 2024, at 11:00 a.m. with Randy Goldy officiating. The family will receive friends from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service. Interment will be held at Hempfield Church of the Brethren Cemetery, East Petersburg.

In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to Hospice & Community Care, 685 Good Drive, P.O. Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604-4125.

Previous Events

Viewing

OCT **25**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Burial

OCT **25** (ET)

Manheim Church of the Brethren Cemetery
Steven St.
East Petersburg, PA

Tribute Wall



“ Peace to you Joyce 🌹
Thank you for many great childhood memories and for teaching me
how to wash dishes ❤️
Susie

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