



Sarah Alice "Sally" Grohsmeyer

July 11, 1927 - January 5, 2019

RICHMOND, Ind. – Sarah Alice “Sally” Grohsmeyer, age 91, of Richmond, Indiana, died Saturday, January 5, 2019, at Friends Fellowship Community.

Born July 11, 1927, in Elwood, Indiana, to William and Vivian Dudley, Sally was a long-time resident of Richmond. She graduated from Elwood High School in 1945 and from DePauw University in 1949. Sally and Frederick were wed following her college graduation. They moved to Richmond where Dr. Grohsmeyer began teaching at Earlham College, and Sally began her career in Human Services as a case worker for the Wayne County Department of Public Welfare. Subsequently, she worked as Executive Secretary for the Wayne County Crippled Children and Adult Society and later, as a Social Work Advisor at IU East.

Sally was a member of First Presbyterian Church in Richmond, where she faithfully served as a trustee, Elder, and Deacon. Sally was active in the Richmond Tourist Club, the Collegiate Club, P.E.O. Sisterhood, and Tri Kappa Sorority and had served on the board of directors for both United Way and the Y.W.C.A. She was a consummate hostess and organizer, whose years of volunteer work have left a wonderful legacy in the Richmond community.

Survivors include her daughter, Margaret Anne “Peggy” (Michael) Judson of Middlebury, Indiana; grandchildren, Aaron (Abby) Judson of Valparaiso,

Indiana, and Sarah Breanne (Raymon Carire) Judson of Nappanee, Indiana; great-grandchildren, Logan and William; sister, Mary Eyrman of Warsaw, Indiana; and a niece and two nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 63 years, Dr. Frederick A. Grohsmeyer Jr., who died in 2012; son, Erik Grohsmeyer, who died in 1999; and her parents.

Visitation for Sally Grohsmeyer will be from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. Friday, January 11, 2019, at Doan & Mills Funeral Home, 790 National Road West, Richmond. Entombment will follow in the Earlham Memorial Mausoleum. Memorial service will be held at 1:00 p.m. Friday, January 11, 2019, at First Presbyterian Church, 100 North 10th Street, Richmond with Pastor Andrew Wall and Pastor David A. Layman officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to: First Presbyterian Church, 100 North 10th Street, Richmond, IN 47374.

Condolences may be sent to the family via the guest book at www.doanmillsfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Earlham Memorial Mausoleum

1101 National Road West
Richmond, IN 47374

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN 11. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

First Presbyterian Church
100 North 10th Street
Richmond, IN

Tribute Wall

WS

“ PEGGY AND FAMILY. SO SORRY TO HEAR OF SALLY'S PASSING. WE HAVE LOVED AND KNOWN HER FOR MANY YEARS AS WE HAVE WITH YOU ALSO. WE ARE AWAY NOW SO WE WON'T BE AT THE SHOWING OR FUNERAL. KNOW YOU WILL UNDERSTAND. ALL OF OUR LOVE, WAYNE AND JUDY.

WAYNE AND JUDY VAN SICKLE - January 10, 2019 at 04:14 PM

PC

“ Dear Peggy, Mike and Family,

I'm sorry to hear about the passing of your mother. Just reading through her obituary, she is leaving such a legacy. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Love, Peg Carpenter

Peg Carpenter - January 10, 2019 at 07:52 AM

BB

“ Dear Peggy, Mike & family,

We have such wonderful memories of your mother over the many years we have known her. We are blessed to have known Sally and Fred as our friends. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

*Love and blessings,
Bill & Anita Beard*

Bill & Anita Beard - January 09, 2019 at 09:42 AM

JF

“ We would like to express our deepest sympathy. May those precious memories be foremost in your hearts and minds during this difficult time.
Isaiah 25:8

Jackson Family - January 08, 2019 at 09:28 PM

RJ

“ Dear Peggy and Family,
You know how much we enjoyed both of your parents..., they were very special and I'm grateful our mother's shared a beautiful , loving and loyal friendship over these many years.They helped one another through many difficult times and shared the joy of good times.Many wonderful memories to hold in our hearts.
Lillian, Becky and Marc, Pam and John



Rebecca A Jaffe - January 08, 2019 at 01:00 PM

SA

“ Peggy, I was so sorry to hear about your mother. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.
Sharon (McCafferty) Albert

Sharon Albert - January 08, 2019 at 12:43 PM

WM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.

Ward Colson and the Staff of Doan & Mills - January 07, 2019 at 02:32 PM

SH

My condolences to her family

Shannon Harding - January 08, 2019 at 10:42 AM

RO

Sally & Fred we're our neighbors for 20 yrs. too many memories to mention, all good. We miss those days & good neighbors dearly.. Our thoughts and prayers are with Peggy, family & friends. Mike & Debby Roan

Roans - January 08, 2019 at 06:21 PM

SA

Sally was one of God's warriors who never questioned her quest, when he felt it was time for her to lay down her sword and gain her heavenly wings. Fly high Sally! Physically you are gone but your memories will last forever!

Sheila Armstead - January 11, 2019 at 11:21 AM