



Margaret Ruth Bollinger

May 4, 1926 - April 1, 2025

Margaret Ruth Bollinger died peacefully on April 1, 2025, at her home. She was 98.

Full of love, laughter and resilience, she touched the lives of all who knew her. She was surrounded by her loving family and caregivers during the last days of her life.

Margaret was born on May 14, 1926, in Arthur, Tennessee. She grew up in Tennessee then moved to Oregon in 1952. Her greatest joy came from spending time with her family. Her homemade southern cooking is legendary especially her fried chicken and gravy. She was also an accomplished seamstress.

Margaret was preceded in death by her husband, Sherman, her sister Pauline and brother Clarence. She is survived by her children, Lora McCormick, Sharon Reams, and Lenore Bryant, as well as 6 grandchildren, 7 great grandsons, 1 niece and 1 nephew.

The family will have a graveside service at Valley View Cemetery on April 16th at 11:am

In lieu of flowers the family request donations be made to Newberg Animal

Shelter, 1591 S Sandoz Rd Newberg, Oregon 97132

Cemetery Details

Valley View Memorial Park

24235 NE Dayton Avenue
Newberg, OR 97132

Previous Events

Graveside Service

APR 16. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (PT)

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Tribute Wall

JS

“ Jackie S. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Margaret Ruth Bollinger.



Jackie S. - April 16, 2025 at 12:53 AM

JG

“ I’m her daughter’s friend, Lora, from North Dakota. I met “Nanny” in the 90’s and spent time with her whenever I was in Portland visiting Lora and my family once or twice a year. She was my inspiration! I would describe her as a “firecracker”. I adored her! My son Kelly and his wife, Erica loved her too. Whenever I was in Portland, I looked forward to hanging out with “Nanny”. Her sense of humor was awesome. The times I spent with her I will cherish forever! Rest in peace and rise in glory Nanny. I love you! Jackie Sather (your North Dakota daughter). Jackie Gately-Sather. ❤️

jackie Gately-Sather - April 16, 2025 at 12:40 AM

JF

“ Remember Marge back in the day, lots of good times at the house. Will try and make the graveside service, thoughts and prayers to all. Jeff

Jeff Fair - April 09, 2025 at 01:04 AM

BL

Loved Marge!! I have such fond memories of staying at your home in my younger days. Your mom always made me feel welcomed and loved.

betty lovell - April 10, 2025 at 05:17 PM

SR

Thanks Betty, she always loved having our friends around. Oh the stories we could tell 😊

sharon Reams - April 11, 2025 at 11:53 AM

EE

So sorry to hear about the passing of your mom Sharon ! Mom's are so special to us all. 98 years was a pretty good run! My mom was 94 when she passed and it never gets easier. Just know that you all are in my prayers. Condolences to your sisters as well. Love you Sharon Betty Eubanks

Elizabeth Eubanks - April 11, 2025 at 07:59 PM