



## Nancy Ann Crabtree

November 13, 1933 - March 4, 2017

Nancy Ann Crabtree was born the daughter of Benjamin and Della Popejoy on November 13, 1933 in Knoxville, Tennessee.

She spent her childhood in Knoxville and after graduating high school she went on to attend the University of Tennessee. From 1955 to 1957 Nancy was a commercial airline stewardess. This was no small feat at a time where gaining a mere extra pound of weight could cost a stewardess her job. In 1957 she married Jack Crabtree in Nashville and the two soon moved to Newberg. Nancy enjoyed spending time with family, traveling and was active in many bridge clubs.

On Saturday, March 4, 2017 Nancy passed away from complications following a short illness. She was 83.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Jack Manion Crabtree; brother, Billy and Sister Betty Jane. Surviving and left to honor her life are her daughter Caroline Crabtree-Osborne; son in-law Robert Osborne and her many nieces and nephews along the east coast.

A graveside service will be held Friday, March 10 at 11:00 a.m. at Evergreen Memorial Park in McMinnville. Services entrusted to Attrell's Funeral Chapels, Newberg.

Memorial contributions can be made to Newberg Animal Animal Shelter Friends by calling 503-554-9285 or [newberganimals.com](http://newberganimals.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Evergreen Memorial Park

7961 OR-99W  
McMinnville, OR 97128

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

MAR **10**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (PT)

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# Tribute Wall

JR

“ I was a classmate of Nancy at Central High School in Knoxville, Tennessee. Although few of us have seen Nancy since she left Knoxville many years ago, we remember her as a charming Southern girl - smart, refined, and beautiful. We are so sorry that she has left us, but we cherish her memory. Condolences to the family from her classmates at Central High.



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**Jack Rouse** - May 02, 2017 at 09:35 PM

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“ Nancy was a gracious Southern woman who loved Caroline and Jack very much. She was impeccable in her dress & etiquette; with a sharp wit and awesome intelligence.

*May the Eternal One Bring Comfort.*

*Gregory Hughey  
San Pedro, CA*

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**Gregory Hughey** - March 12, 2017 at 11:37 AM

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“ Aunt Nancy was a wonderful individual, with a kind soul and pleasant demeanor; just like her siblings, Betty Jane and Billy. The love they presented was powerful. Our family always loved when Aunt Nancy, Caroline and Uncle Jack would visit Cincinnati. We loved their Southern Charm.

*Aunt Nancy was the last of the Popejoy name to pass from that generation. We will continue our generation while cherishing her memory and continuing to follow her kind soul.*

*Mike, Jim, Tim, Sue Popejoy (Rodish)  
Cincinnati, Ohio*

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**Mike Popejoy** - March 08, 2017 at 07:44 AM