



Corinne B. Plough

September 2, 1923 - November 29, 2019

TRAVERSE CITY – Corinne B. Plough, age 96 of Traverse City, passed away on Friday, November 29, 2019 at Munson Medical Center with her two sons at her side.

Corinne was born on September 2, 1923 to the late William and Gertrude (Miller) Wells in Traverse City, MI. Corinne grew up on the family farm on the Old Mission Peninsula in Traverse City where she attended grammar school at Stony Beach School on the Peninsula. She was a graduate of Traverse City High School in 1941. While in high school she was a member of the high school band.

Corinne married Robert J. Plough on August 3, 1946 in Traverse City, MI and they were married for 53 years.

Corinne and her family moved to California in 1956 living in Reseda, Simi Valley and Apple Valley. She worked at the original Traverse City State Bank while still in Michigan for a number of years prior to moving to California. In California she worked for the Bank of A. Levy, Security Pacific Bank and the Bank of America. While with the Bank of A. Levy she was the chief officer for the banks escrow department. Corinne's banking career spanned 25 years.

Corinne was an avid sports fan and cheered for her husband and three sons and grandkids during their athletic endeavors in school and community league play. She and her family enjoyed attending many baseball games and Dodger Stadium in Los Angeles. She also enjoyed dancing. Travel was a huge source of enjoyment for her. Numerous trips to Las Vegas, Hawaii, across the USA and a wonderful trip with church pals to Portugal/Spain. Traveling to Florida, and Arizona for spring training baseball camps brought smiles to her face also. Corinne was a member of the Eagles Lodge and the VFW Auxiliary. During her years in Traverse City she was a member of Central United Methodist Church. She served on many church committees, clubs, boards and volunteered in the parish office. Central United was part of her family and she loved being involved and engaged with the mission of the church and all of the people of the

congregation. You would always see her at the annual rummage sale, volunteering, and at events, dinners and get-togethers involving the mission of the church and all of the people she inter-acted with.

Corinne is survived by her sons; Bill and Jim (Carol A.) Plough, daughter-in-law; Karen, step-daughter; Diane (Frank) Russell, grandchildren; Cory Plough, Niki (Greg) Cvetnich, Tyler, Allison, Emma Cvetnich, Jacqueline and Bob Plough, Randy (Amy) Russell, Ronda Russell-Yanski (Tracy) and great-grandchildren; Ayden and Caden, Scott (step-great-grandchild).

Corinne was preceded in death by her parents, husband, Robert, son, Richard, sister Beverly Wagner, sister, Mary Hildreth and daughter-in-law, Carol J. Plough.

A celebration of Corinne's life will be held on December 14, 2019 at Central United Methodist Church at 12:00 pm with a visitation one hour prior to the service. A luncheon will be held following the service in the church fellowship hall. Corinne will be laid to rest at Oakwood Cemetery next to her husband Robert at a later date.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions in Corinne's name may be directed to, Central United Methodist Church Outreach Program, 222 Cass Street, Traverse City, MI 49684.

Comments



“ There is not many people that you encounter that laminates the light of the Lord. Corinne was a lady that not only shined brightly with the love of Jesus, but showed kindness to all. It was a pleasure, and honor, to be able to work along side her in many missions of the church over the years. She was a great role model who will be dearly missed.



Diane Denoyer - 2 hours ago



“ Corinne, I can't imagine entering Central Church and not seeing your lovely face and warm smile there, usually in the office. Surprisingly, though, it was at the VFW where we last had a chance meeting and shared a meal and pleasant conversation, getting to know each other a little better still. How glad I am now for that time together. God bless and keep you, dear Corinne, for all the kindness and friendship shared with so many, you will be dearly missed and lovingly remembered.

Elsie & Don Randall

Elsie Randall - December 05 at 01:43 AM



“ Aunt Corinne was always someone I wanted to model my life after and many times I told her I wanted to be like her when I "grew up." Her positivity and unfailing faith were just two of the things I loved so much about her and reminded me so of my own mom, Katy Plough. She was thought so much of by everyone who knew her and her infectious smile and quick wit will be missed by all who came in contact with her, friends, family, and strangers alike. Our auntie luncheons were enjoyed by all of us and it was such a treat to take her to Minerva's to spend an hour or so with her and her memories of our family that we have no one else to ask about. I'm so glad I was able to spend time with her for a few days during her last weeks. That was so special, just like she was. We sure miss you, Aunt Corinne! Love you and mow you enjoy being with Uncle Bob, Dick, and Mom and Dad. I'm sure you are all dancing!

Betty Plough

Betty Plough - December 04 at 07:58 PM



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December 04 at 08:00 AM



“ Corinne , Bob, Bill, Jim, and Dick were neighbors of my parents until the year i was born. This surprised me that they had moved to California that early because their legacy of great friends made their way into our own family story, and even home movies. Though I never observed it personally I can still see the image of my mom and Corinne sitting down by the Grand Traverse bay, likely chatting and supporting each other as she raised 3 boys, and my mom 3 girls. My mother always spoke of Corinne as a trusted and wise friend, and when they visited and also moved back to Traverse City it was a delight to be reunited again, visiting at the beach and hearing about old times together. I recall my mom quoting Corinne once when she said, " In California we have many acquaintances, but here (in Michigan) we have friends" that statement stuck with me as I strove to live up to that image as a fellow Michigander. In later life I met Corinne a couple of times by chance and I will not forget that delightful, youthful smile, quick wit, and twinkle if the eye. She will be missed, I am sure, by all who knew her. Jennifer (Johnson) Steiner

Jennifer (Johnson) Steiner - December 03 at 04:06 PM



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