



Gail F. Stockton

December 12, 1927 - July 7, 2021

Gail Stockton, 93, passed away peacefully at home on July 7, 2021, surrounded by her loving family. Born in Crosby, MN, on December 12, 1927, she was the daughter of Mary Elizabeth and Erwin James Avery. After the death of her mother, Gail and her father moved to Olympia, WA, where she would meet the love of her life, Leon Stockton. They were married on November 25, 1945, and started their family in Vallejo, CA, before settling in Napa, CA, where they lived happily together for 42 years. Gail worked at Butter Cream Bakery and Walkenhorst's for many years until her retirement in 1986. She loved being with her family, going to church, cooking, rooting for the San Francisco Giants/49ers and Golden State Warriors, and eating Chinese food. She is preceded in death by her parents; her husband of 54 years, Leon Stockton; four brothers, Reverend William Taylor, Delworth James Taylor, Richie Avery, and James Erwin Avery. She is survived by her four children, Leonard (Hanne) Stockton of Napa, CA, Louann (Don) Goleno of Lower Lake, CA, Laura Shearer of Vallejo, CA, Lucille (Jerry) Potts of Wilmington, NC; 11 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren; 19 nieces and nephews; many great-nieces and nephews. She will be laid to rest next to her husband at Napa Valley Memorial Park. Per her wishes, there will be no funeral service.

Cemetery Details

Napa Valley Memorial Park

2383 Napa-Vallejo Highway
Napa, CA 94558