



Mary Ellen Walters

October 10, 1933 - January 21, 2022

Mary Ellen Walters died peacefully at home after a short battle with Leukemia. She was born in Grand Rapids, Michigan to Claude and Clara Zandstra. She became a Registered Nurse. She had two children with Dr. Clifford Hooper, Jim and Mark, and lived for a few years in Asheville, North Carolina. After their divorce, she married Jack Walters in Grand Rapids in 1966 and they have been married for 56 years. Later they moved to the Chicago suburbs and finally to Napa where they have been long time residents. For 20 years she was a much beloved Registered Nurse for Dr. Suard.

There is a new Angel in Heaven with Mary's passing. She will be dearly missed here on earth by her husband Jack, son Jim Hooper of PawPaw Michigan, grandson, Andrew Hooper of Sacramento, sister, Carol Spragens, nieces and nephews and many dear friends. Mary was preceded in death by her other son, Mark Hooper. Mary created many wonderful memories with family and friends.

She was an accomplished cross-stitchery artist and often won blue ribbons at the Napa County Fair. Her family and friends will continually remember her with the numerous stitchery creations she has shared with them. Being an avid gardener was another of her pastimes and many enjoyed the bounty from Jack and her garden.

Mary attended Crosswalk Community Church at 2590 First St. in Napa where donations in her memory can be sent. At her request, no services will be held.

Cemetery Details

Sacramento Valley National Cemetery

5810 Midway Road
Dixon, CA 95620