



Marion (Gail) Connor

October 3, 1932 - May 18, 2024

Marion (Gail) Connor, age 91 of Blacksburg, Virginia, passed away peacefully at her home on May 18, 2024 after a long battle with cancer. Gail was born in Tichnor Arkansas to Lee Crafton and Erah Kate Connor on October 3, 1932; she was the thirteenth of seventeen children. Gail moved to Blacksburg, Virginia after high school where she met and married her husband John Jennelle with whom she raised her two loving daughters, Rita Kay and Sharon Denise Jennelle.

Gail was preceded in death by her parents, her former husband, John, fifteen siblings, her daughter Rita, and her great grandson, Tully Jennelle. She is survived by her sister Nina Ruth Selig, daughter Sharon Jennelle Snyder and her husband Craig, three grandchildren, Tavish Jennelle, Zachary and Natalie Snyder, and one great grandchild, Silas Jennelle.

Gail was a dedicated employee of Moog Industries (previously PolyScientific) for 55 years, a loyal Virginia Tech Hokies and Golden State Warriors fan, and a loving mother and grandmother. Gail was a sharp dresser and modeled for local boutiques. She also loved to travel, dance and was an avid bird watcher. She also loved eating and talking with her friends at the 622 North Main Street.

A celebration of Gail's life with family, friends, and food will be held at Gail's

home located at 788 Davis Street in Blacksburg on June 8 between the hours of 3:00 and 6:00 pm. Donations to Intrepid Healthcare and Hospice to support the amazing work of Stacy, Sarah, Miriam, Courtney, Ruth, Jason, and Candice; or to the Heritage House Assisted Living to support the wonderful work of her neighbor and friend Hugh would be greatly appreciated. Thanks to her loving friend Dora for her never ending love and support.

Previous Events

Gathering

JUN 8. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Gail's Home
788 Davis Street
Blacksburg, VA 24060

Tribute Wall

JC

“ I am so sorry I missed this notice. Guess the name threw me off. Sharon, I can't tell you how sorry I am to hear a Gail's death. Shocked is a better word I knew Gail, as you know as a dear friend. We did loose touch with each other. Had not heard from of about her in yrs. Again, so sorry for your loss.

Janet Croy Crittenden - June 03, 2024 at 01:38 PM

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Thank you Janet. I remember you and your sisters being so much fun. Great times for Mom with Kanet, Faye and Gay.❤️

Sharon snyder - June 04, 2024 at 11:50 AM

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Sharon snyder - June 04, 2024 at 11:52 AM

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“ She was a Doodle!

Sharon her daughter - May 22, 2024 at 09:36 PM

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My fashionista, beautiful, Aunt Gail❤️

Lisa Jennelle Tilley - May 23, 2024 at 09:46 AM