



Arpa C. Martell

March 27, 1935 - April 10, 2022

Arpa C. Martell passed away on April 10th in Battle Ground, WA, at the age of 87. She was born to Loui and Ethel Petersen on March 27, 1935 in Portland, OR. She was raised on her family's dairy farm in Orchards WA. She graduated from Evergreen High School, earned an Associate of Arts degree from Clark College. She spent many happy years as a dietary supervisor at Columbia View Manor and Meadow Glade Manor. Arpa was an active member of her community as a Sunday school teacher, a 4-H leader, a matron for the Jr. Grange #229, and a lifetime member of Washington Grange #82. She was also a member of The Daughters of The Pioneers of Washington, TOPPS, the Mad hatters, and many others. She enjoyed going out to lunch with friends and was an avid reader.

She is preceded in death by her former husband Nick Martell, her daughter Nickee Breiman, son-in-law Barry Breiman, and granddaughter Elizabeth Smith. She leaves behind her two sons Rick and Eric Martell, a daughter Michelle Martell, brother Arlo Petersen, as well as many grandchildren and great grandchildren. This world was made a better place by her life and she will be greatly missed by all those who knew and loved her. A special thanks to Brookfield/Parkway North for the loving care they gave her in her final years.

A service will be at 3pm on Wednesday April 20th at Evergreen Memorial Gardens Funeral Chapel. Viewing will be April 19 from 12 to 6pm.

Tribute Wall



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“ My thoughts and prayers go out to you all, Arlo and family; Michele and family, Rick and family and Eric and family. The Petersen family was very important to me growing up. I have so very many good memories of all of you and especially Arpa with the many Grange activities we were involved in together, and some of the side trips we went on. I take heart in knowing that she and her parents, and my parents and so many other Grangers are all together now, having a lot of fun together and no longer in any pain or suffering. Blessings to you all. Love, Karen (Germann) Edwards

Karen Edwards - April 20, 2022 at 12:00 AM

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“ We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Evergreen Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Funeral Chapel and Crematory

A Memorial Tree was planted for Arpa C. Martell - April 14, 2022 at 12:00 AM

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Funeral Home Owner - April 14, 2022 at 12:00 AM