



June Louise Poulsen

June 1, 1925 - March 19, 2018

June Louise (Stanley) Backman Poulsen died on March 19, 2018. She was 92 years old. She was born in Port Angeles, WA to Chester and Elizabeth Stanley on June 1, 1925. June married Lieutenant Everett Backman from Melrose, MA on Nov. 5, 1944. Everett, a pilot based on the USS Indiana, was killed in the South Pacific Aug. 7, 1945. Their son David Backman was born just 2 weeks later, Aug. 21, 1945. On Feb. 2, 1947, June married Donald Poulsen from Port Angeles, WA. They had 3 children, Mark Poulsen of Bellingham, WA, and Stephen Poulsen and Janelle Poulsen of Vancouver, WA. June and Donald were members of Columbia Presbyterian Church since 1991. They loved traveling. They visited China, Egypt, the Holy Lands, England, Norway, Sweden, Finland, Denmark, Estonia, Russia, Bermuda, Greece, Morocco, and Hawaii many times. They were married 62 years. June loved arts and crafts and worked for 19 years as a volunteer at Southwest Washington Medical Center. Cats were very important in her life - she had 9 over the years. June had 3 grandchildren, David Backman Jr., Christopher Backman and Sarah Poulsen; 4 great-grandsons, C.J. Backman, Jacob Backman, Jaxon Culcasi, Mason Culcasi; and a great-granddaughter, Brooke Backman. She was preceded in death by her father and mother; younger brothers, Greg Stanley and Robert Stanley; her eldest son, David Backman; and her husband, Donald. A Memorial Service will be held at Mount Angeles Memorial Park in Port Angeles, WA, Fri., April 6, 2018 at 2p.m. In lieu of flowers, June's favorite charity is: Seattle Children's Hospital, P.O. Box 5371,

Seattle, WA 98145-5005. Please sign her guest book at: www.columbian.com/obits.

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“ Aunt June, I am so sad to hear of your passing. You were the last of the "Chester Leroy Stanley" Family. I know you are back together with Grandpa Stanley (Chester Leroy Stanley), Mi-Ma (Elizabeth Pontine Stanley), Daddy (Gregory A Stanley), Uncle Bob (Robert Lee Stanley) and the rest of your loved ones that have found their place among the Heavens and Stars. I know that I did not know you too much. But you are my Daddy's Sister, My Aunt. With the help of your Son, my Cousin, Stephen, I feel like I have gotten to know you and the rest of the family through his genealogical research and pictures. I will never forget our Family Reunion where I first met you and many other members of the Stanley Family in Grants Pass, Oregon. I will treasure those memories for the rest of my life. My Deepest Condolences and Love I send out to Stephen, Sarah, Laura, Mark and Janelle and the Backman Family. Please give my Daddy a Big Hug and a Kiss from me. I Love You Aunt June. Rest in Peace. <3

Michael Alan Stanley - March 23, 2018 at 12:00 AM