



Patricia R. Vine

March 26, 1927 - July 9, 2015

Patricia R. Vine, 88, died at 12:45 a.m. Thursday, July 9, 2015 at Rosewood Care Center in Alton. Born March 26, 1927 in Alton, she was the daughter of Benjamin C. and Agnes E. (Hyndman) Vine. Pat graduated from McMurray College and went on to earn her Master's Degree from Colorado State University. Over her 33 year career as a school teacher, she taught in Crystal Lake, IL, Cheyenne, WY, and Salina, CA, and retired from York High School in Elmhurst, IL. She was a longtime member of First Presbyterian Church in Alton. Surviving is her companion, Betsy Simms of Godfrey and many beloved nieces, nephews, and cousins. Along with her parents, she was preceded in death by a foster sister, Felecia Fleischman. Visitation will be from 9:00 a.m. until time of funeral service at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, July 22, 2015 at First Presbyterian Church in Alton. Reverend David Crowley will officiate. Burial will be at Valhalla Memorial Park in Godfrey. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to First Presbyterian Church in Alton and First Congregational United Church of Christ, Eagle River, Wisconsin.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Patricia R. Vine*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



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January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *I have know the Simms family for over 60 years and have enjoyed many happy times with Pat, Betsy and Janie. I know how much Betsy and friends will miss Pat. Pat was a kind, generous and fun loving person. Pat. Betsy, Jane, and I enjoyed out trips to Florida.*

Phyllis Brasel - July 24, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *I met Pat several years ago when she and Betsy so graciously invited me to their lake home. She was a fun and adventurous lady. I would like to extend my sympathy to Betsy and Pat's family.*

Beth Kinser - July 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *I met Pat many years ago when I was a full time RVer. We had many fun times telling about all our adventures. My heartfelt sympathy goes to Betsy and Pat's family.*

LA Abston - July 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ I am a relative of Patricia Vine, her grandmother being Gisela Dixon. I was hoping to meet her while she was still alive, to learn about her life, and that of her family. After reading her biography, it is clear that she had a long, productive, and interesting life. I wish I could have gotten to know her. She will surely be missed by friends and family, and especially by her partner Betsy.

Scott Dixon - July 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM