



Marianne Elisabeth Chaffin

May 13, 1931 - January 8, 2010

Marianne Elisabeth Chaffin, daughter of the late Maximilian and Babette (Zink) Hacker, was born May 13, 1931 in Bayreuth, Germany. She passed away Friday, January 8, 2010 in her home.

Marianne grew up in Bayreuth and graduated from school. She then attended Pharmacy school and worked as a pharmacy technician in Bayreuth.

In 1956, a friend invited Marianne to go to a social and there she met her future husband Gerald Chaffin. They were united in marriage on October 5, 1957 in Bayreuth and they shared over 52 years of marriage together and many wonderful memories. Gerald and Marianne were blessed with three daughters: Alice Ellen, Barbara Sue and Robin Lynne.

Marianne and her family moved to the Fort Leonard Wood area in 1971. After moving to the area, Marianne began working on Fort Leonard Wood at the Daugherty Bowling Center and Billeting Office.

In her spare time, Marianne enjoyed being outdoors working in her garden. She was a wonderful cook and loved baking. She liked to bowl and needlework. Most importantly, she enjoyed her three girls and grandson, spending time with them and the rest of their families.

Marianne will be sadly missed by all those that knew and loved her. She leaves to cherish her memory her husband, Gerald Chaffin of the home; three daughters: Alice Ellen Bischoff (Robert) of Dixon, MO, Barbara Sue Becker (Gary) of Crocker, MO and Robin Lynne Vaughan (Darrel) of Waynesville, MO; one grandson: Paul Bischoff; several other relatives and friends.

In addition to her parents, Marianne was preceded in death by one brother Helmut Hacker.

Funeral services were held at 1:00 P.M. Tuesday, January 12, 2010 in the Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville/St. Robert with Rev. John Shaw officiating. Marianne's daughter, Robin Vaughan recalled her wonderful memories of her mother. The song "Amazing Grace" was played and Soloist Greg Gabel sang "Peace in The Valley". Serving as escorts were Gary Becker, Darrel Vaughan, Bob Bischoff, Roy Doyle, Paul Bischoff, Scott Davison, Joe Petrich and Mike Prindle.

Burial followed in the Sunset Memorial Estates Cemetery. Services were under the direction of Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville/St. Robert.

Memorial contributions may be made in memory of Marianne Chaffin to the Barnes-Jewish Hospital Cancer Research Fund and may be left at the funeral home.

Tribute Wall



“ *Memorial Chapels and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Marianne Elisabeth Chaffin*



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - January 08, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Marianne Elisabeth Chaffin*

January 28, 2023 at 06:53 AM



“ *Thirteen years have gone by and not one day have I not thought about my mother. I still cry.*

Barbara Becker - January 08, 2023 at 09:53 AM



“ *Aunt Marianne & Uncle Gerald made the visits they had with our family so memorable. I loved her accent and sense of humor. If there's a card table in heaven for UNO, save a round when we all meet again. Much Love,
Renee & Terry Jenkins##imported-begin##Renee
Jenkins##imported-end##*

March 04, 2010 at 10:39 PM



“ I miss my mother so much.##imported-begin##Barbara##imported-end##

January 24, 2010 at 10:14 PM



“ Barbara, Alice and Robin I am truly sorry for your lose. I am sorry I did not make it to the funeral but my health keeps me from a lot of things these days. Just know my thoughts and prayers were and are with you.##imported-begin##Melesa Snyder##imported-end##

January 15, 2010 at 12:54 PM



“ On behalf all of everyone at BMPTD, our thoughts and prayers are with you.

David Ross

Chief, BMPTD##imported-begin##David Ross##imported-end##

January 13, 2010 at 03:37 PM



“ Your Mother and my favorite sister-in-law has always been so much a part of my life and will be always. Already miss her. Always loved times with her and family. Remember the good times and the love she had for all of you. That is most precious treasured legacy that is left behind. Love & Prayers Aunt Loretta & Uncle Ken##imported-begin##Loretta Davis##imported-end##

January 12, 2010 at 10:08 PM



“ Robin: Very sorry to hear of the passing of your mother. My thoughts and prayers are with you through these difficult times.
Edward Cain###imported-begin###Edwad Cain###imported-end##

January 12, 2010 at 08:55 PM



“ Robin and Barbara,
Just learned of your mothers passing and wanted to send our sincere sympathy. You and all your family are in our thoughts and prayers.###imported-begin###James and Belinda Sands###imported-end##

January 12, 2010 at 07:18 PM



“ SO very sorry for your loss!
Your mother was a wonderful lady
we have had the pleasure of knowing for almost 30 years.###imported-begin###Linda Cole-Schonbok###imported-end##

January 12, 2010 at 02:40 PM



“ Robin:
I am sorry for your loss. Just remember, this is not how the story ends. There will be a great reunion in a place where there is no more suffering and no more pain and our sorrows in this life will be like the fading memories of a dream, and joy will fill us forever. God Bless you and yours.
Peace be with you.
Scott###imported-begin###Scott Cheek###imported-end##

January 12, 2010 at 10:17 AM



“ Alice, I am sincerely sorry for your loss, may you and your family find comfort in the loving memories you have to cherish. Crystal & Paul Brown##imported-begin##Crystal Brown##imported-end##

January 12, 2010 at 09:54 AM



“ Alice,

HQ, IMCOM sends their condolences for loss of your mother. Our prayers are with you and family for your loss.

Marjorie

Ron Whited

Jeff Michels

Brian Jost##imported-begin##Marjorie Chaney##imported-end##

January 12, 2010 at 08:39 AM



“ Thinking of you Robin and sorry to hear of your loss.##imported-begin##Annette Troutt##imported-end##

January 12, 2010 at 08:31 AM



“ Alice , Marj and i are so sorry to hear of your mothers passing. I do pray that God will give you and your family comfort. Norman Stoll. Also Hello to Robert and Paul.##imported-begin##Norman Stoll##imported-end##

January 11, 2010 at 08:22 PM



“ Robin and family, My condolences on the loss of your mother. Our prayers are with you during this time of sorrow. The Zabek Family##imported-begin##Anthony Zabek##imported-end##

January 11, 2010 at 05:15 PM



“ Alice and family,
Please accept my sincere condolences on the loss of your mother. May God comfort you during this difficult time.
Sincerely,
Regina (U.S. Army housing associate at Fort Monroe,
VA)##imported-begin##Regina Fremont-Gomez##imported-end##

January 11, 2010 at 01:13 PM



“ I'm so sorry.##imported-begin##Guy and Shirley Hunter##imported-end##

January 11, 2010 at 01:08 PM



“ Please accept my sincere condolences on your loss.

May God be with you in this hour of grief.##imported-begin##Lorna A. DeLay##imported-end##

January 11, 2010 at 10:39 AM



“ *Psalm 34:18 "The Lord is close to the broken hearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit." Know all to well the feel of a broken heart and crushed spirit when I lost my Mom. Faith in God and time will begin to mend your broken heart and lift your spirits. My thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Cheryl King##imported-end##*

January 11, 2010 at 09:36 AM



“ *I'm so sorry and know she will be missed by everyone that knew her. We love you all. Garry and Sandy##imported-begin##Garry and Sandy Kuhn##imported-end##*

January 10, 2010 at 11:12 AM



“ *Alice,
I am so sorry to hear about your mom. She was a wonderful person to know. Again I am so sorry. Love ya ,
Mary##imported-begin##Chuck and Mary Richards##imported-end##*

January 10, 2010 at 10:19 AM



“ *Barb and Family,
We're so sorry for your loss, we know you loved her very much and will miss her the rest of your lives, we are never ready to let them go. I have never know anyone that had better care than what you gave your mother. Hope you find some comfort in each other during this time of heartache.
Thinking of you.
Don & Marcella Becker###imported-begin###Don & Marcella Becker###imported-end###*

January 10, 2010 at 10:17 AM



“ *We'll sorely miss you Aunt Marianne, we love you so very much. You made all our visits warm and special. Save us a place to sit in Heaven and we'll pick up on my language lessons.
Auf Wiederesehen Frau Chaffin....
Ich liebe du###imported-begin###Mike & Robin Prindle###imported-end###*

January 09, 2010 at 11:15 PM



“ *A truly wonderful person and sister-in-lawshe will be missed. The whole family loved her. She was a great mother and wife.

Love and prayers to my brother and nieces.

Wanda###imported-begin###Wanda###imported-end###*

January 09, 2010 at 10:29 PM



“ Girls, I send my love and good thoughts to you all with the loss of your mom. I will be thinking of you in the days to come. I am lucky enough to still have my mother and thank God for her every day. Love to you all.##imported-begin##Luge Hardman##imported-end##

January 09, 2010 at 02:37 PM



“ I am so sorry for you loss.##imported-begin##tim berrier##imported-end##

January 08, 2010 at 07:04 PM