



## Margaret Rund Fresen-Buffering

February 19, 1918 - September 9, 2012

Margaret "Peggy" Rund Fresen-Buffering, 94, of Burlington, beloved wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother, passed away Sunday September 9, 2012 and went to heaven to be with Jesus. She was predeceased by two husbands, Herman Fresen and William Buffering. Born in New Britain, she was a former Newington resident for 20 years, moving to Burlington in 1986. Peggy was a graduate of New Britain High School, Class of 1936 and then attended Moody's Secretarial School. She was employed at Pratt & Whitney Aircraft in East Hartford for over 20 years, retiring in 1983. She was a member of Stanley Memorial-Fountain of Life Church in New Britain and sang in the church choir for 77 years. Peggy also volunteered at Bristol Hospital for over 10 years.

Surviving is a daughter, Geri Nitz and her husband Bill of Bristol; two sons, Robert Fresen and his wife Judi of Wethersfield; and Larry Frisen and his longtime companion Beatrice Smith of Lake Park, FL; 6 loving grandchildren, Jane Forbush and her husband Mark; Jill Nitz and her partner Frank Matreale; John Nitz and his wife Linda; Bobby Fresen and his wife Bonnie; Michael Fresen and his partner Robin Fiumara; and Nathan Smith and his wife Nicole; 15 beloved great grandchildren, Kelly, Eric, Joe, Billy, Margaret and Elizabeth Forbush; Danielle, Tyler, and Ryan Fresen; Meredith Gonsalves; Matthew Hills; Baily Smith; James, Kyle and Colby Nitz; several nieces and nephews. Besides her husbands, she was predeceased by a brother, Robert Rund and a sister Lillian Jedzinaik-Esposito.

Funeral services are Thursday 10 AM at Stanley Memorial-Fountain of Life Church, 639 East Street, New Britain, CT 06051. Burial will be at the convenience of the family. Calling hours are Wednesday 5 to 8 PM at Carlson Funeral Home, 45 Franklin Square, New Britain. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Stanley Memorial-Fountain of Life Church. Please share a memory or note of sympathy by clicking on "Add Condolences" at the bottom of this page.

# Tribute Wall

LB

“ I had been in touch with Peg quite often in the last few years and I was saddened to hear of her passing. The last time I saw Peg she had such an enthusiastic zest for life. She loved spending time with her family and was always "the life of the party". Peg made the most delicious brownies! I know I for one feel very lucky to have been a part of Peg's life.

Lori Bergquist  
Burlington Vt.

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Lori Bergquist - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ Andy and I send our deepest condolences to you all...

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Lori Jennings Matthews - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PC

“ Phyllis and I remember Peggy from so many years at Stanley Memorial. Peggy always looked so neat We will miss her.

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Paul Cassarino - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AP

“ Bobby, Geri, and Larry: our deepest sympathies to your whole family. Aunt Peggy had a great life. 77 years in the choir, she is surely in the front row singing with the angels! She will be truly missed. Audrey and Mike Persico

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Audrey Persico - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ Dear Larry,  
I'm so sorry about the loss of your mom. She was a dear friend to my sister Dawn, and I'm sure she has touched the hearts of many. My sympathies to your family, may you find comfort in all the wonderful memories you have shared.

Peace,  
Loraine LaPlante Morrone

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Loraine Morrone - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ Peggy brought her warm smile to any person or room she met . She was a genuinely loving spirit who is now at peace. my fond memories of Peggy were surrounded by family at holiday get togethers where i got to sample a special baked treat that she was so poud of. She made the simplest of things very special and she will be missed.

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**Mark Gpnsalves** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ To the family of Peggy Fresen-Buffering:

*It was such shock to hear about Aunt Peggy because at her age of "94", she was still a very active lady.*

*She was very proud of this fact that she was so active in her later years by walking everyday and playing golf.*

*We will always remember and miss her holiday cards with a note of what had happened in her life that past year!*

*Aunt Peggy will sure be missed by her family!!*

*With our deepest sympathy,*

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**Peter & Deanna Hanley & Family** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ I remember Aunt Peg when I was a young boy growing up...she was always there for me. In later years we enjoyed nice talks on the phone,she will be missed by all.

*Love,  
Jimmy Tracy*

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**James Tracy** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JN

“ Youthful to the very end, my grandmother loved her family. Although brownies and cold spaghetti were two of her legacies, I remember her high-pitched laugh, smile, thoughtfulness, generosity, sacrifice, hard-working attitude, and determination. Several of these fine qualities passed-on to her family members by her example.

Love,

John

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**John Nitz** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM