



Georgia Wells

October 14, 1931 - August 25, 2017

Georgia Ann Wells, 85, of Ottumwa, Iowa and former resident of Pulaski, Iowa passed away with her family by her side on August 25, 2017 at the Vista Woods Care Center in Ottumwa. She was born on October 14, 1931 in Pulaski, Iowa to Samuel S. and Ocie E. Burnaugh Stevig. Georgia graduated from Pulaski High School in 1949 and married the love of her life, Joe Dean Wells, a few years later on January 7, 1951. The couple raised four children on a farm near Pulaski and lived there until retiring and moving to Ottumwa in 2003. Joe passed away on November 22, 2009.

Georgia loved being outdoors and working on the farm. She participated in every aspect of the farm whether it be driving a tractor, mowing the lawn, herding livestock, or tending to a garden where she grew vegetables and flowers. She became a Master Gardener and excelled at growing Gladiolus flowers. Georgia was also excellent in the kitchen with her specialty being cinnamon rolls or lime pickles that she would share with her family and friends. While living in Pulaski she was a member of the Tri-R Club and served on the Davis County Extension Council for many years.

After moving to Ottumwa, Georgia kept busy by making new friends, playing pitch, doing crossword puzzles, and jigsaw puzzles. The many jigsaw puzzles her and her friends completed were sold with the money going for humanitarian purposes. Georgia touched a lot of lives and she will be deeply

missed by her family and friends.

She is survived by four children, Dennis and Tony of Las Vegas, Nevada, Sharon Moritz of Northwood, Iowa, Don and Sue of Nevada, Iowa, Daryl and Rahni of Chicago, Illinois; four grandchildren, Alicia Wells, Mason Wells, Karl and Alicia Moritz, Clayton Moritz; great-granddaughter, Kallie Moritz, the newest love of her life; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; three sisters, Viola Sporer, Marjorie Trachsel, Rebecca Sinkey; and two brothers, John and Lloyd Stevig.

Funeral services will be at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 3, 2017 at the Wagler Funeral Home in Bloomfield with Rev. Jack Knox officiating. Burial will be at the Pulaski Cemetery. Visitation with family present to greet friends will be from 4-6:00 p.m. on Saturday at the funeral home. A memorial has been established to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society.

Cemetery Details

Pulaski Cemetery

Pulaski, IA 52584

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 2. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Wagler Funeral Home
304 West Jefferson Street
Bloomfield, IA 52537
(641) 664-3421
<https://www.waglerfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Services

SEP 3. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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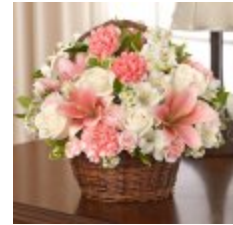


“ *Georgia Wells*

January 28, 2023 at 10:57 AM



“ *Stephanie Schroeder purchased the Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Pink and White for the family of Georgia Wells.*



Stephanie Schroeder - August 31, 2017 at 08:00 PM



“ *We were very sorry to hear of Georgia's passing. We have fond memories of her and Joe Dean's California visits and of our correspondence with her in recent years. Our heartfelt condolences to all the family.*
David and Heli Stevig

David Stevig - August 29, 2017 at 05:59 PM

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“ I think fondly of the first time I met Georgia & Joe. They used to visit Dennis in California during the holidays and Georgia would bring baked goodies to Dennis' work. Georgia always had a smile that filled the room. Both were so happy to be away from the Iowa winters and sunny California suited them wonderfully. I was fortunate to see Georgia last year. We will miss her. We extend our warmest wishes to the Wells family at this difficult time though we know Georgia would want everyone to be happy. With our deepest sympathy and love,

*The Gin Family
Edward, Maureen, Stanley, Steven & Robert*

Edward Gin - August 29, 2017 at 01:51 PM

EG

“ Edward, Maureen, Stanley, Steven & Robert Gin purchased the *Cherished Memories - All White* for the family of Georgia Wells.



Edward, Maureen, Stanley, Steven & Robert Gin - August 29, 2017 at 10:40 AM

DN

“ Daphne, Pisin, Natasha & Nicholas purchased the *Simply Lily* for the family of Georgia Wells.



Daphne, Pisin, Natasha & Nicholas - August 28, 2017 at 09:08 PM



“ *European Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Georgia Wells.*



August 28, 2017 at 04:53 PM



“ *Carla Nalley Petersen lit a candle in memory of Georgia Wells*



Carla Nalley Petersen - August 28, 2017 at 07:44 AM



My heart goes out to you as you say goodbye to your family matriarch. May God draw close to bring you peace, comfort and strength during this difficult time. May many precious memories bring a smile to your faces as time goes by.....

Carla Nalley Petersen - August 28, 2017 at 07:46 AM



So sorry for your loss. Lots of wonderful memories of Georgia and the family.

Gina Burket - August 29, 2017 at 11:35 PM



“ *Anita lit a candle in memory of Georgia Wells*



Anita - August 26, 2017 at 04:35 PM