



Sheila L Swenson

March 8, 1925 - November 28, 2020

Princeton - Sheila Ludlow Welsh Swenson, 95, was born to the late William and Charlotte Welsh, along with her twin sister Jean at their grandmother's home in Southport England. Their lives changed permanently with the outbreak of World War II in 1939.

In 1950 Sheila came to the USA as an exchange teacher. That year she and Conrad Swenson met and fell in love. She went back to England but returned shortly after and the two were married on April 11, 1953. Sheila continued her much loved career of teaching first grade for many years while raising their two children with Conrad.

Always adventurous, she enjoyed traveling, camping, hiking and skiing. Other hobbies were golfing, sewing, knitting the cutest outfits for her grandchildren, shopping and baking.

Sheila Swenson passed away at her home on November 28, 2020. She was laid to rest next to her beloved Conrad on December 7, 2020 at the Greenwood Cemetery.

She is survived by one daughter Lorraine Jean Oaks and her son-in-law, John Oakes; a daughter-in-law, Debra Cole Swenson; three grandchildren, Eric Conrad Swenson, Katherine Linnea Nelson and Kristin Williamson Swenson;

four great grandchildren, William Conrad Swenson, Oliver Conrad Swenson, Charlotte Grace Nelson and Rosalie Lynn Nelson.

Preceded in death by her parents, William and Charlotte Welsh, her husband, E. Conrad Swenson, one son William Conrad Swenson, her twin sister, Jean Charlotte (Welsh) Ashcroft, one brother-in-law, Forrest Goodacre Ashcroft and one grandson, Stefan James Nelson.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to the family for charitable distribution.

Online memorials and condolences may be left at www.norbergfh.com

Arrangements by Norberg Memorial Home, Inc. & Monuments.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

DEC 7. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM.

Greenwood Cemetery - Bureau

Tribute Wall

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“ Mrs. Swenson was my second grade teacher in Wyonet. I think many of my classmates will remember that one day she brought a kite from England to school and we were excited to fly it out on the playground. Years later she was a neighbor to friends of ours in Princeton and I used to take my children every year to her house to Trick or Treat. It was always nice to see her. She was a great teacher and a very nice lady. Sorry to hear of her passing and I send my sympathies to her family. Pam Tippner

Pam Tippner - December 13, 2020 at 05:05 PM

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“ I am so sorry to hear of Sheila's death. I have known her for many years and although I might not see her for months, she always stops to visit and we catch up. It has been a treat to know her. I remember playing golf with her a couple of times. May your memories of her sustain you during this sad time. Carolyn Workman

Carolyn Workman - December 12, 2020 at 10:27 AM

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“ Mrs. Swenson made this stocking for me in 1st grade. 50 years later it still hangs on my tree every year keeping her memory alive. She was a wonderful teacher!



Sarah Scott - December 09, 2020 at 05:25 PM