



Mary Edna Bourland

January 5, 1931 - February 1, 2021

MANSFIELD - Mary E. Richburg Bourland, 90, passed away on February 1, 2021.

She was born January 5, 1931 to parents, Edna and Judge W.E. "Bill" Richburg (the Law West of the Trinity). Mary grew up in the Oak Cliff area of Dallas and remembered fondly tending the family Victory Garden during WWII. She met and married the love of her life, Clinton D. Bourland, in 1951 and they spent the next 69 years together as man and wife before Clint's passing in August of 2020.

Mary and Clint would say their greatest accomplishment was rearing all three of their children to become independent and responsible citizens. After her children were grown, Mary discovered she had a natural gift for needlepoint and machine embroidery. She excelled at both and went on to formally teach these skills to others. She won two first place ribbons at the State Fair of Texas for her artistry.

Mary also had a green thumb. People that visited their home were greeted with greenery everywhere, including plants year-round in her greenhouses. She and Clint enjoyed eating out every Friday night with their friends, and traveling with them to Europe, Hawaii, Alaska and England.

In her later years, Mary enjoyed barbeque ribs, Mexican food and margaritas. She even had a salad named in her honor at one of the local cafes she would frequent. Mary could not walk through a restaurant without making new friends somewhere along the way. She enjoyed bird watching and kept the bird feeder outside of her window full. She had a life-long love of daily crossword puzzles and reading, and always kept a book close at hand.

Predeceased by her parents, a brother, and her husband. She is survived by her children and their spouses, Grant (Francie) Bourland, Cathy (Jim) Crocker, and Brian (Linda) Bourland.

Survived by her grandchildren, Gregory (Meagan) Bolton, Nathan (Cassandra) Bourland,

Collin Bourland, and two great-grandchildren, Caden Bourland and Connor Bolton.

A memorial service will be planned for a later date.

Cemetery

Greenwood Mausoleum

3100 White Settlement
Road

Fort Worth, TX, 76107

Events

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Cryptside

10:00AM

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Comments



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family in this time of sorrow. Continue to rely on God and know that he hears your prayers, because he cares for you. Truly sorry for your loss.

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