



## Ida Clara Muller

November 6, 1942 - August 5, 2025

Ida Clara Muller, age 82, was called to eternal life after a brief battle with cancer on August 5, 2025. Lovingly known by her spouse as 'Schnugga', her children as 'Mami', and her grandchildren as 'Grandmama', Ida set the bar high for kindness and love. She was pre-deceased by her spouse of 46 years, Marcel Muller, her mother Maria Willi, her father, Moritz Caspar, her siblings, Duno Caspar and Anita Eugster, and most recently, John Wolff, whom she raised since the age of two. Ida is survived by her only daughter, Carol Grunert and her spouse, Bill, Grunert (Roswell, GA) and their children, Sarah, Benjamin, and Ryan Grunert; John Wolff's spouse, Lisa Wolff (Hamilton, VA) and daughters, Madison, Hannah and Emma. Ida is also survived by three sisters, Elvira Curti, Sylvia Bergamin and Marietta Balzer, all residing in Switzerland. In addition, Ida is survived by her companion of six (6) years, Lewis Noe, of Roswell, GA.

Born in Savognin, Switzerland on November 6, 1942, Ida, the youngest of six (6), grew up in a small alpine village where she developed a love of nature and the outdoors at a very young age, learning how to ski before the age of three (3). Ida received her formal education as a teacher in Switzerland and taught kindergarten there before emigrating to Montreal, Canada in 1965. That same year, she met the love of her life, Marcel Muller, also a Swiss immigrant residing in Montreal. Marcel's career as a mechanical engineer brought the family to the United States in 1973, where Ida raised her children

and learned the English language alongside her family in Bridgeport, WV. Ida was multi-lingual, fluent in Swiss-German, French, Italian, Romansch and English. Ida's passion and gift for languages gave her the opportunity to communicate with many on her travels abroad, meeting new friends during every adventure. Throughout her adult life, Ida used her linguistic background to conduct conversational German classes to Americans.

Ida's love for exploration and nature quickly earned her the title of world traveler, when she and Marcel were transferred on their last foreign assignment to Singapore. After Marcel's retirement, the pair engaged in numerous hiking adventures in America's national parks both out west and on the east coast. Although they resided in WV, AZ, and SC, their extensive travels took them through most of the other fifty (50) states. Upon Marcel's untimely death in 2011, Ida joined her family in Roswell, GA where she became an integral part of their daily lives. Ida continued to hike the national park trails with her daughter and the two also shared a passion for yoga. Ida was a talented pianist, and enjoyed playing duets alongside her granddaughter. Ida was also an avid tennis player, traveling to countless national tennis tournaments to watch her grandsons compete, and attended several professional tennis tournaments with her family.

Ida's love for nature and the outdoors was evident throughout her life. When others took their car, Ida chose to walk, and her pace was consistent and speedy. For example, Ida once pushed her grandson in a jogger stroller in the Kiawah Island, SC 1/2 marathon race, where she placed 2nd in her age group, bypassing most of the runners! For Ida, walking was not a form of exercise, but rather a daily part of her life. Ida was also a naturally gifted chef and rarely followed recipes. She enjoyed cooking for family and friends, and anyone who had the opportunity to enjoy Ida's cuisine will fondly recall her delicious signature dish, chicken parmesan.

Although Ida was multi-talented, she will be most remembered for her kind, loving and energetic spirit. She will be sorely missed. A funeral mass will be held on Friday, October 3, 2025 at 10:30 am at St Peter Chanel Catholic Church in Roswell, GA followed by a reception/lunch at this location. To honor Ida's passion for walking, for those interested, please join us after the mass and reception on Ida's daily 4.5 mile course, beginning at the church. In lieu of flowers, you may donate to one of the following:

National Parks of America ([www.nationalparks.org/](http://www.nationalparks.org/))

St. Jude Children Research Hospital ([www.stjude.org](http://www.stjude.org))

# Previous Events

## Funeral Mass

OCT 3. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Peter Chanel Catholic Church  
11330 Woodstock Road  
Roswell, GA

# Tribute Wall

SG

“ *Sophia, Lisa and Pedro Gonzalez purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Ida Clara Muller.*



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**Sophia, Lisa and Pedro Gonzalez** - October 02, 2025 at 09:36 PM

MS

“ *Ida--one of a kind in the very best of ways! She was like a ray of sunshine scattering smiles everywhere she went. At the same time she was very down to earth. She once told me how important it is to always present yourself honestly. She said, "I give me like I am." What wonderful advice--we could all benefit by living that way.*

*Len and I are so blessed to have had Ida and Marcel as neighbors and friends in the early years of our own life together.*

*Good bye, sweet Ida. The world is a little less bright without you in it.*

*We are praying for comfort for Bill, Carol and those 3 beautiful grandchildren.*

*Blessings,  
Len and Mary Kay Spahl*

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**Mary Kay Spahl** - October 02, 2025 at 03:10 PM

MS

“ Mary S. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ida Clara Muller.

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Mary S. - October 02, 2025 at 02:46 PM

SB

“ Liebe Carol

*Am 7. August habe ich von Marietta die traurige Nachricht erhalten, dass deine Mam verstorben ist. Ich möchte dir und Bill und euren Kindern von Herzen mein Beileid aussprechen.*

*Marietta wollte mir zeitnah deine E-Mail-Adresse und/oder deine Telefonnummer senden, aber leider habe ich diese bis heute nicht erhalten.*

*Nun habe ich letzte Woche intensiv im Internet gesucht, mit den Angaben, die ich von euch von früher hatte und bin auf verschiedene Kondolenz Seiten gestossen wo deine Mam zu sehen ist. Aber eine E-Mail-Adresse oder eine Telefonnummer von euch finde ich leider nicht. Ich würde mich sehr freuen, wenn du mir diese mitteilen könntest, dann würde ich dich gerne anrufen oder dir schreiben; was dir lieber ist und wenn du das auch möchtest? Ich wünsche euch allen viel Kraft in dieser schwierigen Zeit. Mögen euch die vielen schönen und erfüllenden Momente im Leben mit deiner Mam als Trost dienen, euch über die Trauerzeit tragen und sich nach und nach wandeln in Dankbarkeit und in die stille Verbundenheit, die ewig weiterleben darf.*

*Seid lieb umarmt  
Von deiner Cousine Seraina*

*PS: Marietta ist noch die Einzige der Familie, mit der ich in Kontakt bin und ganz selten mit Mario, Duno's und Ellens Sohn.*

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Seraina Bergamin - October 01, 2025 at 07:36 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ida Clara Muller.

October 01, 2025 at 07:33 AM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Ida Clara Muller.



September 26, 2025 at 03:35 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ida Clara Muller.



September 23, 2025 at 11:53 AM



“ My husband and I were so very sad to hear of Ida's passing. I had the distinct privilege of meeting Ida and when I helped her daughter Carol and husband Bill to buy their home, and subsequently Ida to buy her home. And after that we would see her often walking at the park in Roswell. She was one of the sweetest women I have ever met! So energetic and just a lovely person! She will be terribly missed by all!

Becky Bulris - August 29, 2025 at 12:34 AM