



Marcella "Sally" Fullerton

November 4, 1926 - November 1, 2024

Marcella "Sally" Fullerton, 98, of Roswell, Georgia, passed away peacefully on November 1, 2024, after a brief illness.

Born Marcella Poljak in a small Iowa mining town, she overcame adversity from a young age. Her father, a coal miner, succumbed to black lung disease, leaving the family to navigate the hardships of the Great Depression. Despite these challenges, Sally excelled academically, graduating high school at just 16 years old. She was a star athlete, leading her high school basketball team to a state championship in 1941. Sally had an opportunity to attend college but the family could not afford it.

Sally married Bill Fullerton, and together they built a loving family. They moved to 13 different towns across six states during their 72-year marriage, always prioritizing their children's education. Her unwavering dedication ensured that each of her children and grandchildren received a college education, many of whom obtained advanced degrees.

Sally was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Bill, as well as her two brothers and five sisters. She is survived by her children: Julie, Gary, Kevin, and Robert; six grandchildren; two granddaughters-in-law, two grandsons-in-law, and three great-grandchildren.

A remembrance ceremony will be held at 10 AM on November 8, 2024, at St. George Village in the Private Auditorium. If you wish to attend the service, please enter using the St. George Village front door. In lieu of flowers please make donations to St. Vincent de Paul.

Cemetery Details

Big Canoe Chapel Cemetery

1852 Steve Tate Road
Marble Hill, GA 30148

Previous Events

Remembrance Ceremony

NOV 8. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. George Village
11350 Woodstock Road
Roswell, GA 30075

Tribute Wall

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“ *My condolences to the Fullerton family. Your mom was the sweetest and most kind lady I have ever known. She will be missed. RIP Ms Sally.*

Cyndy von Housen - November 12, 2024 at 12:23 AM

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“ *Spent a lot of time with good friend Bob throughout our high school years. I'm very proud of my friendships with old high school buddies, all good, solid family men. Is there a greater compliment? Bob's mom, Mrs. Fullerton to me, and Mr. Fullerton were always warm, cheerful and gracious to me and all Bob's buddies, and great examples to us as kids of what good parents and love of family looks like.*

Roger Wessels - November 08, 2024 at 09:45 AM

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“ *I enjoyed getting to know Mrs. Fullerton when visiting my mother at SGV. Sally was always there with a kind word and a good laugh. She will be missed but her smile lives on in our hearts.*



Erin - November 06, 2024 at 05:18 PM