



Ms. Marion A. Kreiter

October 11, 1921 - November 18, 2017

Marion A. Kreiter, age 96, of Palmyra, PA died on November 18, 2017 due to a lengthy illness. She was also a long-time resident of the Powelton Village neighborhood in Philadelphia, PA. She was born in Honesdale, PA, the daughter of Irvin and Florence Kreiter. She obtained her undergraduate degree at Cornell University and a degree in library sciences from Columbia University. Marion worked as a librarian for the US Army in both Manila, Philippine Islands and Okinawa. Her career also took her to Rapid City, SD and Sacramento, CA. Most of her career was spent as the head of the Math/Physics Library at the University of Pennsylvania, from where she retired. She is survived by cousins and friends. A Mass of Christian Burial will take place at her parish in Philadelphia, St. Agatha/St. James, 3728 Chestnut St., Phila., PA 19104, on Friday, December 1 at 10:30 a.m. Visitation will precede the Mass from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30. Interment will take place the following day in her family's grave at St. Mary Magdalen Cemetery in Honesdale, PA. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Agatha/St. James Parish (address above), or to the Powelton Village Civic Association in support of their Tot Lot (PVCA, P. O. Box 7616, Philadelphia, PA 19101-7616 with "Tot Lot" in the notation line). Arr. Dinan Funeral Home, Philadelphia. Condolences may also be sent to www.dinanfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

St. Mary Magdalen Cemetery

Honesdale, PA

Tribute Wall



“ *Ms. Marion A. Kreiter*

February 03, 2023 at 04:11 AM



“ *I knew Marion through the Physics-Astronomy-Mathematics (PAM) Division of the Special Libraries Association. She was one of the founders of our PAM group and very supportive. I enjoyed seeing her through the years at our annual conferences. Also, her colleagues always appreciated her wisdom and comments about our subject specialties. She had a wry wit and was fun to talk with. If I remember correctly, she enjoyed going to zoos and baseball games. I had not seen Marion for many years but I have a very fond place in my heart for her. My sympathies go to her family.*

Brenda Corbin

Brenda Corbin - November 30, 2017 at 08:37 PM



“ *For many years, I knew Marion through Special Libraries Association conferences. After she stopped attending, I met her for a meal every time one of my association conferences took me to Philadelphia, except the last time, when she had moved away. She was a wonderful person, and my deepest sympathies go to her family.*

Dorothy McGarry - November 30, 2017 at 12:48 PM

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Miss Marion lived with her mother in a grand apartment building, with elevator and huge lobby mirrors framed by carved mahogany cartouche.

The ladies treated me with what Old World courtliness was fundamental in that building before it was gutted in one more senseless riot.

Jerry Briggs, Van Pelt Library 1967/2013

Jerry Briggs - June 14, 2025 at 03:06 PM