



## Sara "Sally" (Chapman) Daly Grant

November 23, 1942 - July 12, 2018

Sara "Sally" (née Chapman) Daly Grant, 75, of Bloomington, IN, passed away July 12, 2018. She was born November 23, 1942 in Evansville, IN to the late Gibson Taylor Chapman and Sara Margaret (née Blackwell) Chapman. Sally attended Benjamin Bosse High School and graduated from the University of Evansville, receiving a bachelor's degree in English. During her time at the university, she was a member of Chi Omega sorority and the university Theatre Society.

A devoted and passionate patron of the arts, Sally was a past board member and actress with the Repertory People of Evansville, a community theatre group. She once served as Chairwoman of the Walkway Festival, an arts festival in downtown Evansville, and also served as Children's Entertainment Chairwoman for the same festival. For many years she worked as a freelance writer for the Evansville Courier and Press. Sally was active in many community organizations in Evansville, serving as a past president of the Evansville Legal Mrs., a board member of the Evansville Boys Club, a member of the Junior League of Evansville, a member of Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority, and a Girl Scout leader. After moving to Bloomington, Sally worked until her retirement as a Direct Support Professional with Christole, Inc., providing residential care to adults with disabilities. Sally was tenaciously interested in politics and popular culture, an empathic lover of animals and of nature, a talented amateur artist and writer, and a loyal and knowledgeable enthusiast of theatre and literature: all of which she was sure to share with her "darling" and "cherubic" children and grandchildren. Sally is survived by her daughters, Laurin Petry of Bloomington, IN and Sara Daly of Newburgh, IN; grandchildren Jeffrey Oldson, Sarah Petry, and Nicholas Petry, and great-grandchild J. Janelle Lee, all of Bloomington. A private ceremony was held in her Bloomington home. The family said friends, if they wish, may make memorial contributions to Stone Belt, at [stonebelt.org](http://stonebelt.org), or a favorite local humane society.

You are invited to share a memory or leave an online condolence to Sara's family at [www.allencares.com](http://www.allencares.com)

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“ So sorry to learn of Sally's passing. We were cheerleaders together at Bosse High School and sorority sisters. I was not aware she was ill. My condolences to her family. She was a fun and energetic person!

**Annette Tapley Pace** - July 17, 2018 at 07:24 PM