



Ann Wilson Heath

April 15, 1943 - February 5, 2018

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Virginia Ann Wilson was born April 15, 1943 in Holdrege, Nebraska; she died February 5, 2018 at Bell Trace Health & Living Center, Bloomington, IN after a brief illness. She was the proud great- and great-great-granddaughter of successful homesteaders. She was preceded in death by her parents, Willard Martin Wilson and Virginia A. Harris Wilson, and her brother, Scott Harris Wilson. She married her husband James Maguire Heath on June 19, 1965. She is survived by him and her three children: Andrew J. Heath (Kathleen Dolan); Sarah E. Heath (Jody Mitchell-Heath); and Martha Heath Bowman (G. Brian Bowman), and two grandchildren, Olivia Bowman, and Ian Bowman. Ann was educated at Rice University (BA in English with Honors, 1965), and Bucknell University (MS Ed., Elementary Classroom Teaching, 1975). She worked at the Central Susquehanna Intermediate Unit in Lewisburg, PA; Mifflinburg Area School District, Mifflinburg, PA (reading specialist and first grade teacher). She attended St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Lewisburg, PA, where she was a choir member, senior warden, and organized the St. Francis Garden. She was a Transition Companion for the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania. More recently, she attended Trinity Episcopal Church, Bloomington, IN, where she was a Vestry member and Director of Outreach. She participated actively in the League of Women Voters in Lewisburg PA and Monroe County, IN; Bloomington Quilters Guild; was a volunteer in the Monroe County Community School Corporation; and the Union County (PA)

chapter, Red Cross. She described herself as a fortunate traveler to many sites worldwide.

A celebration of life will be held at 4:00pm at the Trinity Episcopal Church, Bloomington, IN on Saturday, February 10, 2018.

In lieu of flowers, contributions to Second Century Fund, Trinity Episcopal Church, Bloomington, IN; Monroe County (IN) Public Library; Living Endowment of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Lewisburg, PA; or Union County (PA) Public Library will be appreciated. You are invited to share a memory or leave an online condolence to the family at www.allencares.com.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

FEB **10**. 4:00 PM (ET)

Trinity Episcopal Church
111 S Grant St
Bloomington, IN 47408-4031
(812) 336-4466

Tribute Wall

JS

“ I'd only gotten to know Anne over the last two years of her service efforts at the Interfaith Winter Shelter with Trinity Episcopal. It can be a sad shock that she's gone, but I remember her and Jim Skomp keeping order and making pleasant conversation in the kitchen on shelter nights, fixtures, one of which cannot be replaced.
-JSJ, Night Sexton @ Trinity

JSJ - March 06, 2018 at 07:57 PM

TC

“ Ann was Eleni and Jack's 1st grade teacher. She was wonderful: caring, dedicated, patient, organized! We got to know her much better working on Habitat for Humanity and as a fellow parishioner at St. Andrews in Lewisburg, PA where she did whatever was necessary. And whatever she did, she did it well. You knew it would be done on time and done right. Through our Outreach Committee she was a strong advocate for those in need, especially the children. St. Francis is reported to have said that "One should preach the Gospel wherever they go, and use words--only if necessary." that was Ann. She is missed by many. May her memory be eternal.

--Ted, Mogie, Eleni and Jack Chappen

Ted Chappen - February 18, 2018 at 12:54 PM

BJ

“ "A lot, like a little, is two words." What a gift Ann was to the world for many more important reasons than just grammar and spelling wisdom. Our prayers are with you.
Bill Sudduth and Jayne Culp

Bill and Jayne - February 10, 2018 at 08:12 AM

HB

“ Any community can use more contributors to its welfare as did Ann. When she and Jim retired here, it did not take long for her to find causes in which she had interest to serve and did.

*Harmon Baldwin
Richmond, VA*

Harmon Baldwin - February 08, 2018 at 01:26 PM

MA

“ Thank you for volunteering at Fairview Elementary, we will miss you!

Marti - February 08, 2018 at 05:44 AM



As a fellow Trinity Episcopal Church parishioner, I was always struck by Ann's supreme kindness as well as her tireless dedication to our parish. I send Jim all of my love and my prayers. Stephen Chambers

Stephen Chambers - February 08, 2018 at 11:48 AM