



## Dora Paulette Scroggin

February 26, 1950 - March 12, 2025

Dora Paulette (Polly) Scroggin, age 75, of Bloomington was called home on March 12, 2025. She was born February 26, 1950, to Orville and Louella Mae Denning Scroggin.

She retired from and was lovingly supported by Stone Belt in Bloomington where she established fellowship with her peers and created beautiful artwork over many years. Dora was also a member of Best Buddies of IU which impacted the quality of her social life in such a meaningful way- introducing her to many friends; a few of whom became her family.

Dora is survived by her brother Fred (Sonny) Scroggin, nieces and nephews and her best friends Rose Fitzpatrick, Kim Cox, Ellie Baker, Kenzie Crouse and Avery Hensley.

On her behalf, we wish to thank Stone Belt's supported living program, Best Buddies, Hearthstone Health Campus and Heart to Heart Hospice for all their love and support throughout Dora's lifetime.

A visitation will be held at 1:00 on Wednesday March 26, 2025 at the Valhalla Memory Gardens Chapel in Bloomington with a graveside service to follow at 2:00.

In lieu of flowers please consider donating to [www.bestbuddies.org](http://www.bestbuddies.org) or [www.SameAsU.org](http://www.SameAsU.org) in Dora's honor.

Allen Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Valhalla Memory Gardens

310 North Johnson Ave.  
Bloomington, IN 47401

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 26. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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## Graveside Service

MAR 26. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

LM

“ Polly and I became Best Buddies in 2010. She was skeptical, because the first time she tried the program, her buddy "quit" on her. I promised her I never would. We had such a blast together! We shared frozen yogurt, went on walks, attended buddy events, and dined at her favorite restaurants. After I graduated and moved, we kept in touch with phone calls. She happily recounted stories about her new buddies (thank you so much to her buddies that came after me for being good friends!), vented about few life stressors, reported feeling fulfilled with her work at Stone Belt, and laughed about her kitties. Polly had a fantastic sense of humor and an envious outlook on life. She taught me how to slow down and live in the present, enjoy the little things, and that true friendship comes in many forms. I regret that I didn't have her phone number once she moved into her last place of residence. I would have loved to hear her laugh one more time, though if I close my eyes, I can hear it now. My heart goes out to her family, friends, and especially to Rosie. You know better than me how much she adored you. Polly, I love you, woman! See ya on the other side. -Liz Mallers

Liz Mallers - April 08, 2025 at 04:37 PM

LM

\*\*correction "an ENVIABLE outlook on life" ... definitely not an envious outlook!

Liz Mallers - April 08, 2025 at 04:53 PM



“ Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Dora Paulette Scroggin.



March 21, 2025 at 06:24 PM

GT

“ I am so lucky to have been blessed to know Dora for so many years. She, without fail, made me laugh every time we talked. Sending love.

Grace Taylor - March 21, 2025 at 06:21 PM

FF

“ From your Stone Belt Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Dora Paulette Scroggin.



From your Stone Belt Family - March 19, 2025 at 11:48 AM

AH

“ I love you forever Dora. God blessed me with you. See you again some day 💕

Avery Hensley - March 19, 2025 at 10:11 AM

KC

“ Dora brought such joy into my life. I will miss visiting and FaceTiming her. I was so blessed to have my daughter bring Dora into my life.  
~Karen Crouse

Karen Crouse - March 19, 2025 at 06:08 AM