



Fern Wright

January 2, 2012

Fern E. Wright, 81 of New York, New York, passed away on Monday, January 2, 2012 at the Southridge Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Marshalltown Iowa. She was born on September 13, 1930 in Iron Mountain, Michigan, daughter of the late William and Violet (Detra) Wright. She attended the Iron Mountain schools graduating from Iron Mountain High School in 1948. She went on to The University of Michigan, graduating with a BA in English. Fern was employed by the Sloan-Kettering Memorial Hospital in New York as an Editor of Medical Journals, retiring in 1995. While residing in the Upper East Side for 50 years, she enjoyed all that New York City had to offer, especially the arts and bird watching in Central Park. A world traveler, she loved dancing, philosophy, and spending time with her friends. She was preceded in death by a brother, William Wright and a nephew Randall "Randy" Jones.

Fern is survived by a sister, Jean McDaniel of Marshalltown, Iowa
Numerous nieces and nephews: Jim Holliday, Sharon Bailey, Mark McDaniel, Rebecca McDaniel, Allison McDaniel, John Jones, Carol Broullire, Marilyn LaCoursier, and Susan Miller.

The visitation will be held on Saturday from 10:00am to 11:00am at the Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home in Iron Mountain. The funeral service will follow at 11:00am at the funeral home. Rev. Michael March will officiate. Burial will be in Iron Mountain Cemetery Park.

In lieu of flowers a memorial will be established in her memory.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Fern Wright online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com

The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain with the funeral arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 14. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home
901 Carpenter Ave.
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

Funeral Service

JAN 14. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

MF

“ I just left a message for Fern and wanted to add this candle in her memory.

Love, Margaret

MARGARET (Lecara) - New York, NY - Good Friend - January 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ Dear Fern,
Not a day has gone by since you first got ill that I have not missed you.

We have been friends for over 30 years. During that time lots of things happened in our lives, and we were always there for each other.

Especially I enjoyed our love of Theosophy/Philosophy and other fellowship, which we grew and were nurtured. Your ballroom dancing was the best, and I also loved when I was able to go to Central Park with you and watch the birds and especially the Hawk "Pale Male", his girlfriend "Lila" & offspring. It was also beautiful meeting your friends there and at the boathouse.

I will always miss our talks and when you came to visit me and see my cats, Mia, Tiki and Jay, who miss you very much.

We know that the soul never dies, Fern, so I know that you are in heaven, at peace, and we are still one together in spirit. I love you always and know that you are on the next chapter of life which we will all someday know.

Will visit this site again - your friend forever, Love always, Margaret

MARGARET (Lecara) - New York, NY - Good Friend - January 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BN

“ *I miss Fern, lost the best aunt in the world. She can't ever be replaced*

Becky

Becky - marshalltown, IA - Niece - January 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SN

“ *I love you Aunt Fern, and I think of you often. You are so precious to me and always will be. I treasure my memories of you only wishing there were more.*

And when I die, I hope you are there to greet me.

Sharon Bailey - Fairfield, OH - Niece - January 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM