



## Marilyn Robinson

July 28, 2024

Marilyn (Lyn) Robinson (Hughes), age 101, wife of the late Donald E. Robinson (married for 70 years), passed away on July 28th. Born in Taunton, Massachusetts on November 15th, 1922, she was the daughter of the late Harold and H. Maude (Nickerson) Hughes. Marilyn was educated in the Providence Public Schools, and attended The University of Rhode Island for classes in Library Sciences. In 1968 – 1970, she established a library at the East Greenwich United Methodist Church. She was an active member of her church and helped at the Interfaith Food Cupboard. Marilyn was employed by the B.A. Ballou Co., as a secretary and later as an aide in the East Greenwich Junior High library. Lyn was an avid painter and was a member, and past president, of the East Greenwich Art Club. Many of her paintings are cherished family heirlooms. Marilyn and Don were dancers with the former Whirlaways Square Dance Club and spent many happy winters in Ft. Myers Beach Florida, where they volunteered at Health Park Hospice, and at ECHO (Environmental Concerns for Hunger Organization).

Marilyn is predeceased by a son Steven D. Robinson, a sister, Priscilla Peterson, and a brother Merle C. Hughes. She leaves two sons, Gary and Clifford Robinson, their wives Jennifer Carey-Robinson and Laurie (Saloman) Robinson respectively, seven grandchildren, Stephanie LeFrancois, Seth Robinson, Lily Hughes-Robinson, Sarah Robertson, Samuel, Benjamin, and Julianna Robinson, two step-grandsons, Todd and Eddie Zaborski, and five

great-grandchildren, Andrew, Joseph, and Shane LeFrancois, Samuel Hughes-Robinson, and Isaac Shatzer-Robinson.

A Memorial Service to celebrate Marilyn's wonderful life will be held at the East Greenwich United Methodist Church, 1558 South County Trail, East Greenwich, RI 02818, on Monday, August 26th, at 10:00 a.m., followed by the deposition of her ashes (with her husband Don's) in the Memorial Garden at the church, followed by a collation.