

Celebrating the life of
Margaret Louise Moran



Sunrise May 26, 1933

Sunset June 7, 2021



Five keys of Margaret L. Moran

Margaret the Leader

Margaret's sharp mind and leadership abilities were evident from the very early stages of her life. Born the oldest of eight children, she was trusted and depended upon to assist her mother with the care of her younger siblings. In high school, Margaret's leadership skills were noticed by many, whether she was on the court playing basketball, conversing fluently in French with classmates, or serving as the class president. Margaret set the standard by completing her secondary education before her peers when she graduated from Richmond High school at the age of sixteen. Although accepted at Kentucky State University, she chose to remain close to home to work and help with family obligations. Still, she continued to lead by example, humility, and love.

Margaret the Trendsetter

Margaret's earliest career gave birth to her unique sense of fashion and style. As a domestic engineer, she organized and cared for the families of the most affluent neighborhoods of Richmond, Kentucky, and Cincinnati Ohio, which included the LeBlond's, the sole proprietors of a manufacturing company. During her time with the LeBlond's, Margaret had the privilege of receiving designer clothing from Mrs. LeBlond to which she would craft into couture garments that many admired both near and far. Margaret continued to share her love for designing through her savvy style and meticulous fashion trends. Countless vacations were spent on Lake Michigan, where Margaret first learned how to navigate a boat. We continued to be amazed by this pacesetter that was willing to conquer what others wouldn't dare.

Margaret the Trailblazer

At the onset of the civil rights movement, Margaret, along with her family, assisted in establishing a local campaign to bring attention to the social injustices that were prevalent in our community. Margaret's compassion for others would not allow her to be a mere bystander to the backlash she witnessed at the Woolworth's counter sit-in. She cleverly found alternate ways to utilize her talent by becoming a researcher. This pioneer used her wit and determination to identify human rights laws and conduct onsite investigations. This activity landed Margaret to be part of a small group of individuals selected to integrate Westin House manufacturing in the Richmond area. These times were difficult, and many did not want this select group to assimilate with Westinghouse; however, Margaret was not moved by their refusal. Not long after the integration, Margaret was promoted to the position of line supervisor.

Margaret the Activist

Silencing Margaret's voice was not an option. She was an advocate who loved people and worked tirelessly to ensure equity for all was received, regardless of their socio-economic status. It was essential to her to treat individuals with utmost respect and dignity. Margaret's humble spirit was such that she accepted the subordinate position of investigator with the Ohio Civil Rights Commission, where she faithfully served for eighteen years. In this position, she ensured the state laws of Ohio supported positive human relations for all citizens. Before retiring, Margaret excelled by securing the position as Regional Director for Southeast Ohio.

Margaret the Matriarch

Margaret, the mother of Antoinette "Toni" Miles, the grandmother to Luciana Miles.

Margaret, the surrogate mother to numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins in her family, mothered selflessly to all of Toni and Luciana's friends. Through deep wells of love, she embraced with open arms and spiritually fed an immeasurable number of sons and daughters from various communities of faith.

Throughout her earthly journey, Margaret shared the Father's heart with everyone she met, without prejudice, and extended to them the rewards of being a member of her family. With wisdom, humility, and patience, Margaret's mothering spirit was felt by those open to receiving or merely being in her presence. If her company blessed you, you experienced both a physical and spiritual meal. Hope, encouragement, and love were the atmosphere that permeated the room.

Her spirit will continue to live throughout the communities she helped build and the advocacy she had for family and loved ones. Margaret's resonant sounds echoing the importance of education can still be heard through the Huguey Family Reunions and the Huguey Family Scholarship. Margaret's legacy also focused on the value of family relationships through the Reed's First Cousins Reunion.

The Leader, Trendsetter, Trailblazer, Activist, and Matriarch will forever live in our hearts.

Margaret, the mother, grandmother, mentor, and helper of women needing to find their place in the world, will forever reign through Creation Woman. This online community is an ongoing representation of her legacy.

Order of Service

The Mourners Kaddish

Exalted and hallowed be God's great name
in the world which God created, according to plan.
May God's majesty be revealed in the days of our lifetime
and the life of all Israel — speedily, imminently,

To which we say: **Amen.**

Blessed be God's great name to all eternity.

Blessed, praised, honored, exalted,
extolled, glorified, adored, and lauded
be the name of the Holy Blessed One,
beyond all earthly words and songs of blessing, praise, and comfort.

To which we say: **Amen.**

May there be abundant peace from heaven, and life, for us and all Israel.

To which we say: **Amen.**

May the One who creates harmony on high, bring peace to us and to all Israel.

To which we say: **Amen.**

Praise and Worship
Prayer

Obituary
Eulogy

Family Remarks by Antoinette Miles
Recessional— Psalm 23

Celebration of Life

Tuesday June 15 at 1:00 pm
The Dwelling Place, Cleveland, Tennessee
Pastors~ Jamie Tuttle & Judy Jacobs Tuttle

Memorial Service and Interment

Wednesday June 16 at 1:00 pm
Spring Grove Cemetery, Cincinnati Ohio
Pastor~ Rev. Charles King

Acknowledgement

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In lieu of Flowers the family request honorariums be made in Margaret Moran's name to The Caring Place, PO Box 5334, Cleveland, TN 37320 or thecaringplaceonline.org.

Honorary Pall Bearers & Flower Bearers

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Tanisha Bibb
Jasmine Riggins
Marilyn Coleman
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