



## Marie McDermott

March 4, 1938 - November 13, 2023

WATERLOO – Lillian Marie McDermott, 85, died on Monday, November 13, 2023, at her home.

She was born on March 4, 1938, in Waterloo, IA, the daughter of Keith and Cecelia (Mayer) Williams. She graduated from Sacred Heart High School in 1956. On September 15, 1956, she was united in marriage to Richard McDermott in Waterloo. Throughout her career she worked roles at Clark's Department Store, Rath Packing, Type House of Iowa, the Waterloo School District, and ran an in-home daycare.

Marie is survived by her daughters, Kelly (Dan) Maxcy of Johnston and Kristee (Kim) Kuenstling of Dysart; granddaughter, Katie (River) Walsh of Johnston; great-grandchildren, Lachlan and Isla Walsh; brothers, Tom Williams of Cedar Falls, Mike (Patti) Meinders of Waterloo, Mike (Roberta Williams of Priest Lake, ID, and Robert Williams of Polson, MT; and sister, Tami (Jim) Jahner of Kalispell, MT.

She was preceded in death by her husband; parents; brother, Steve Williams; and sister, JoAnn Slickers.

Memorial mass will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday, November 17, 2023, at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church in Waterloo with a visitation one hour prior to the

service at church. Inurnment at Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Waterloo.

Memorials may be directed to the church or Cedar Valley Hospice.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Olivet Cemetery

4th and San Marnan  
Waterloo, IA 50701

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 17. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church  
650 Stephan Avenue  
Waterloo, IA 50701

## Memorial Mass

NOV 17. 10:30 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album Marie McDermott Tribute Video



Richardson Funeral Service - November 16, 2023 at 12:07 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Marie McDermott.



November 16, 2023 at 09:20 AM



“ Ken S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Marie McDermott.

Ken S. - November 16, 2023 at 09:20 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Marie McDermott.



November 15, 2023 at 08:27 PM

LA

“ Love Lillian, Tim, Christine and Anthony planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Marie McDermott.

Love Lillian, Tim, Christine and Anthony - November 15, 2023 at 08:27 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Marie McDermott.



November 15, 2023 at 12:06 PM

PW

“ Patrick W. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Marie McDermott.

Patrick W. - November 15, 2023 at 11:29 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Marie McDermott.



November 15, 2023 at 10:36 AM

JC

“ I always told Marie she was the "sweetheart" of Regency North. She would get so embarrassed! It was fun to see that an 80+ year old could still giggle and blush. We all love her . (Jayne Cornish)

Jayne Cornish - November 15, 2023 at 09:09 AM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Marie McDermott.*



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November 15, 2023 at 07:37 AM



“ *Pope's... Marge, Joe, Tom, Lesha & Josh planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Marie McDermott.*

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**Pope's... Marge, Joe, Tom, Lesha & Josh** - November 15, 2023 at 07:37 AM



“ *Our deepest sympathy to Marie's family and friends.*



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**Sacred Heart High School Alumni** - November 15, 2023 at 12:26 AM



“ *Kelly , Kristee and your families, thoughts and prayers for all. I will miss her very much. We had great talks when I brought her commuion. 💖*

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**Bernice Einck** - November 14, 2023 at 07:28 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Marie McDermott.*



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November 14, 2023 at 07:09 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Marie McDermott.*



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November 14, 2023 at 04:45 PM