



Mrs. Marguerite Ogden

December 10, 2019

Mrs. Marguerite (Hanagriff) Ogden age 93, a resident of Prattvill, AL passed away on Tuesday, December 10, 2019. Mrs. Ogden is survived by her daughter Kathy Diane (Steve) Pratersch; daughter in law Shirley Jennifer Ogden; grandchildren Renee Lowrance (Sam) & Matthew Pratersch; great grandchildren Annabell Lowrance, Samuel Lowrance & Kaylee Pratersch as well as several nieces & nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents Walter Matthew & Sadie (Goins) Hanagriff, husband Howard Donald Ogden & son Ronald Lee Ogden. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be directed to the Salvation Army at <https://give.salvationarmyusa.org/give/164006/> Brookside Funeral Home of Millbrook, AL directing.

Tribute Wall



“ Kathy Ogden-Pratersch sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Marguerite Ogden



Kathy Ogden-Pratersch - February 25, 2020 at 09:50 AM



“ Kathy Ogden-Pratersch lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Marguerite Ogden



Kathy Ogden-Pratersch - February 25, 2020 at 09:36 AM

SP

“ My mother-in-law, Marguerite was very unique and a force of nature. She was Born and raised in Lake Charles Louisiana, and had the charisma and polish of the renown French Cajun; a particular style and flare like no other I've seen. She married a Pennsylvanian man (Howard) and when she learned I was from New York, I then became affectionally known, I think, as “the damn Yankee”. She could spite fire when crossed, but she also had the biggest heart too; and made the best roast beef and gravy I ever had! True to form we had the typical “mother-son-in-law” relationship at first, uneasy and a bit contentious. On one of her visits while we were stationed in Tucson, we all went to visit the San Diego Zoo. The five of us traveled in our 1977 VW camper. I was not exactly pleased with the close quarters, and neither was Mom. We camped at Miramar MCAS and our daughter marveled at the jets that roared by, our son was too young to care. The Zoo visit went remarkably well and our return trip was an all-night drive home. About 1AM I was driving and Mom came up front to sit. The others were asleep, and Mom and I talked about our family and the future. This was the first meaningful conversation I had with her and we got along quite well. Since then I had a renewed appreciation of Mom. Kathy and I took care of her needs for last twenty years and taxied her many times to her second home, “Wal-Mart” and other stores. We did the best we could until she left to be with our Lord. Merci beaucoup for all your wit wisdom, and love, you will be deeply missed Mom! “Laisser le bon temps rouler! C'est Bon!” Steve

Steve Pratersch - February 24, 2020 at 10:09 PM

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“ My favorite memory of Mrs. Ogden was when she would call out of her room for whoever was coming down the hall. She just wanted someone to come in and talk to her for a few minutes. She was always pleasant to talk to and when I left she always said to come back.

Debbie Caudle - December 16, 2019 at 09:10 PM



Thank you Debbie Caudle. Mom always loved to talk to someone who would just listen to her. Thank you for being that someone ❤️

Kathy Ogden-Pratersch - December 20, 2019 at 04:09 PM



“ My mama, there are so many things that can be said. She definitely loved life and lived it to the fullest. She loved people, she would talk to anyone and everyone. Living through WWII, a young teenager married to my Army Air Corps father, she learned the value of a dollar early on. Even as a child I can remember her cleaning foil for reuse, and drying paper towels to use again. She had to do menial things as this because money was scarce. She was loved by many and love was given by her in return. I will miss her deeply. As all mother-daughter relationships, we had our spats, but I will only remember our good times. I love you mama so very much and will miss you just as much. I rest in the assurance you are with our Heavenly Father, daddy and your son Ron. 🌹



Kathy Ogden-Pratersch - December 16, 2019 at 01:48 PM

KP

Happy Birthday Mama, today, Friday, December 27th, you would have been 94 years old. I miss you so much ❤️

Kathy Ogden Pratersch - December 26, 2019 at 11:22 PM