



## Virginia A. Porter

November 18, 1935 - May 4, 2017

Virginia A. "Ginny" Porter, 81 of Naples, FL died Thursday May 4, 2017 at North Collier Hospital in Naples, FL. She was born November 18, 1935 in Schenectady, NY a daughter of the late William A. Philo and Grace A. Smith Philo.

On November 5, 1955 Ginny married Gerard "Gerry" Porter of Schenectady, NY. She was a graduate of Mildred Elly Secretarial School in Albany, NY. She was also a member of Trinity Episcopal Church in Findlay, OH. Ginny was CEO of the Porter household and a volunteer leader for the Cub Scouts and Camp Fire Girls. In 1990 Gerry and Ginny retired to Naples, FL and became members of Imperial Golf Club.

Survivors include her husband Gerry Porter; son William Porter and his wife Patricia Porter of Findlay, OH; son in-law Richard Castret of St. Pete Beach, FL; six grandchildren Brock L. Porter, Brent L. Porter, Shelley (Castret) Moore, Erica (Castret) Corini, Lindsay Castret and Christopher Castret; and five great grandchildren Lucas, Jonah, Sophia, Colton and Trenton. Besides her parents Ginny is preceded in death by her daughter Karen Castret.

Friends will be received Thursday May 11, 2017 from 1:00 P.M. to 2:00 P.M. at Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home, 28300 Tamiami Trail South, Bonita Springs followed by a funeral service at 2:00 P.M. Interment will take place following

the service at Naples Memorial Gardens.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorial contributions to the American Cancer Society or a charity of one's choice.

On line condolences may be left by visiting [www.ShikanyFuneralHome.com](http://www.ShikanyFuneralHome.com)

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Naples Memorial Gardens

525 111th Ave. No.  
Naples, FL 34108

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 11. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home  
28300 Tamiami Trail So.  
Bonita Springs, FL 34134  
(239) 992-4982  
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## Funeral Service

MAY 11. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Virginia A. Porter*

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *Hello Porter family.....Just wanted to send my heartfelt thoughts to the whole family. Thinking of you always and sending our love. Wish we could have been with you but just cannot make it work but as we told Gerry we will be coming to see him soon. Ginnie, we have such fond memories of times we spent together and you are in our hearts and thoughts forever. Love, Pam and Gary Burns*

**Pam Burns** - May 10, 2017 at 11:40 AM



*Ginny was one of the finest woman to know and spend time with. I will miss her friendship and laugh at me and even herself. She loved Gerry and her ever growing family so much. I had thirty great years with her and will miss her so much. I will never forget her and will have so many great memories to hold on to. Thank you Gerry for bringing her to the shop not once but twice a week. My prayers to you and your wonderful family. Love you Ginny. RIP*

**Linda Bertram** - May 10, 2017 at 09:25 PM