



Yvonne Margaret Leininger

August 4, 1925 - September 26, 2020

Yvonne Margaret Leininger, born August 4th 1925, passed peacefully on Saturday, September 26th 2020. She was preceded in death by her father, Charles Andrew Leininger; mother, Josephine Margaret Blessing Leininger; brothers, Charles Andrew “C.A.” Leininger, S.J., Joseph Blessing “J.B.” Leininger, S.J., and Leo Paul Leininger (the late Mary Rosalie Lombardo Leininger); and niece, Catherine Rita Leininger Bitner (survived-spouse David L. Bitner).

She is survived by her niece, Josephine Ann “JoAnn” Leininger; nephew, Charles Joseph Leininger (Dr. Abram Dulaney “Chip” Tipton IV); great-nieces, Katie Rosalie LaBiche Judge (Victoria), Amanda Jude LaBiche Lee (Justin), and Mary Rose Bitner Pedesclaux (Jay); and many great-great nieces, a great-great nephew, many cousins, extended family, and friends.

After starting her career at the Times Picayune, Ms. Leininger headed the bookkeeping department at the Weiner Corporation over 30 years.

A native New Orleanian, Yvonne was a founding member and officer of the Mardi Gras Krewe of Diana (Jefferson, La.). She had a deep love of ballroom dancing, which stayed with her into her later years, confirming to her loved ones that she was doing well by saying, “I’m still kicking, but not high.”

Yvonne lived a life true to her faith over nine decades. A gracious woman who easily went without in order to do for others, she was a devoted parishioner of St. Christopher Parish (Jefferson, La.), a member of the Rosary Guild, Catholic Daughters of America and the Eucharistic Mission Guild.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the Memorial Mass in the Chapel of L. A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home, 2607 Williams Blvd., Kenner on Thursday, October 8, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. The Chapel doors will open at 10:30 a.m. Interment in St. Joseph Cemetery No. 2, New Orleans.

To share memories or condolences, please visit www.muhleisen.com

In lieu of flowers the family asks for donations made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital (www.stjude.org) or the Alzheimer's Association (www.alz.org).

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Cemetery No. 2

2200 6th Street
New Orleans, LA 70115

Previous Events

Memorial Mass

OCT 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

L. A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home
2607 Williams Boulevard
Kenner, LA 70062

Tribute Wall



“ *Yvonne Margaret Leininger*

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ *Just saw the obit. Ms. Leininger and I go back to Weiner Ent. She was a beautiful soul, inside and out. Very loving and giving to everyone she knew. I had the privilege of working with her for 10 years. May she rest in peace and fly high with the angels.*
Carol Austin

Carol Austin - November 03, 2020 at 02:10 PM



“ *remembering Miss Leininger in my prayers & at the altar. I trust she's found rest 'where the light of God's face shines'. Her family and loved ones are especially in my prayers these days*



James M Deshotels, SJ - October 03, 2020 at 03:18 PM



“ *So so sorry to hear about NanYvonne. She was a loving and caring lady. And she loved her nieces and nephew so much. You were her world. ❤️* *Claire Ricca Valentino*

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