



Myra Lou Detlefs

December 10, 1927 - December 13, 2024

Myra Lou Detlefs, 97, of St. Augustine, died December 13, 2024 at the Bailey Family Center for Caring. She was born December 10, 1927 in Elizabeth, NJ, daughter of the late Henry R. and Violet M. Lammerding. She has resided in St. Augustine for over 30 years, moving here from Sydney, Australia. While living in St. Augustine Myra was very active in various civic organizations in volunteer and leadership roles. She was a member of St. Anastasia Catholic Church. Never idle, Myra always had a deck of cards, a recipe card, knitting or sewing needles in her hands. A private interment was held at Florida National Cemetery where she was laid to rest with her late husband, John Jacob Detlefs.

She is pre-deceased by her son, James Detlefs, Sydney, Australia. Myra is survived by two daughters, Virginia Swalley, Killeen, Texas, and Nancy Buchanan, Asheville, NC, and two stepsons, Robert Detlefs, Fishkill, NY and John Detlefs, South Salem, NY. In addition, many grandchildren and great grandchildren across several states and three continents will mourn the loss of their GrandMyra.

St. Johns Family Funeral Home and Crematory is in charge of arrangements.