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Shirley F. Truran, 86, died peacefully on August 21 with family at her side. Born in Dry Brook, New York on May 28, 1929, Shirley grew up on a farm in the Catskill Mountains and moved from Arkville, NY to St. Augustine in 1982 with her late husband Reverend Kenneth B Truran. A charming, spirited woman loved and admired by many, Shirley enjoyed nothing more than helping others, spending time with her family and friends and being "Mama" to her two cats. Shirley was the proud mother of Keith Valk, Oneonta NY; Kevin Valk of New Kingston, NY; Suzann Maass, St Augustine, FL; Sandra Valk of Fleischmanns, NY and Stacy Valk Boice of Pomona Park, FL. She was also the proud Ginga or Grandma to Paul Maass of St. Augustine; Orion Hinkley of Brooklyn, NY; Chamberlain Hinkley of Roxbury NY; Kaleb and Justin Valk of Oneonta, NY; Charity Valk Mack of Stone Ridge, NY; and Thaddeus Valk, Kingston, NY and 8 great-grandchildren. Shirley is also survived by her brother Allen Fairbairn; daughters-in-law Gail Valk and Priscilla Valk; sons-in-law Clayton Boice, Ken Maass, Tim Hinkley, Franz Edlinger, Ray Ploutz; and two nieces, one nephew. A memorial service will be held August 28, 2PM at the St. Augustine Shores United Methodist Church. Visitation with family will be held from 1-2PM. An informal graveside service is planned for September 12, 2PM at Clovesville Cemetery, Old Rte 28 in Fleischmanns's, NY. In lieu of flowers please consider donations in Shirley's name to the St Augustine

Humane Society or Feline Canopy of Care, St Augustine. St. Johns Family Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.