



Ingeborg "Maria" Sofia Koglin

August 12, 1920 - September 23, 2016

ADRIAN - Ingeborg "Maria" Sofia Melin Koglin, age 96 of Adrian, went to be with the Lord September 23, 2016 at home.

She was born August 12, 1920, in Svano, Sweden, the only child of Erik and Helmie (Lund) Melin. Maria celebrated her third birthday aboard a ship that arrived at Niagara Falls, Canada in August of 1923. She and her family moved to Detroit on November 14, 1924.

On August 29, 1942, she married Lloyd J. Koglin in Fort Riley, Kansas. He preceded her in death in 2004, having celebrated 62 years of marriage.

As a military wife, she moved many times within the domestic United States. Her husband's career spanned thirty one years, going from Army Private to Air Force Colonel, commanding Phelps Collins Air National Guard Training Base in Alpena, Michigan. She was always very proud of her husband's accomplishments. Maria was a gifted seamstress who also enjoyed gardening, canning, knitting and jewelry work.

She is survived by her children, Geary (Margaret) Koglin of Grand Blanc, MI, Lynne (Glenn) Rotier of Rockford, MI, and Geoffrey (Terry) Koglin of Adrian; ten grandchildren and 24 great grandchildren.

In addition to her husband, Lloyd, she was preceded in death by a daughter-in-law, Catherine Koglin and a grandson, David Wagner.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, September 28, 2016 at Wagley Funeral Home with Rev. Gail Blum officiating. Burial will follow at Oakwood Cemetery. Visitation will take place at the funeral home Tuesday

from 6 to 8 p.m. and again Wednesday from 10:00 a.m. until the service. Special thanks to the Brookdale and Hospice of Lenawee staffs as well as Elsie Ploegstra with Home Instead. Memorial contributions are suggested to Hospice of Lenawee. Online condolences and memories may be shared at www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

East Siena Heights Drive
Adrian, MI 49221

Tribute Wall



“ *Ingeborg "Maria" Sofia Koglin*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



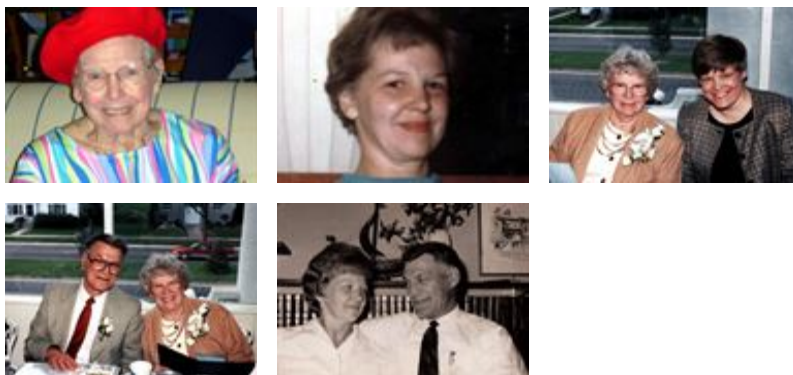
“ *We send our regards from Sweden since we were informed by Kevin Holmstrom that Ingeborg has passed away. When Ingeborg was born on the small island of Svanö, John Nilsson - younger brother of Erik Melin - was already a young man. We hope that he was kind to her, tossing her up in the air or making funny faces. We guess that he was sad when Ingeborg and her parents left for America.*

*We send our thoughts to Ingeborg and her family,
Monika Lindén (daughter of John Nilsson)
Lotta (granddaughter of John Nilsson), Staffan, Rasmus and Jakob Göransson*

Lotta Göransson - September 27, 2016 at 02:39 PM



“ *65 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Wagley Funeral Home - September 27, 2016 at 08:10 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Ingeborg "Maria" Sofia Koglin.*



September 26, 2016 at 09:13 AM



“ *JimTaylor lit a candle in memory of Ingeborg "Maria" Sofia Koglin*



JimTaylor - September 25, 2016 at 05:44 PM



“ *got a message from my cousin, Margaret E. Koglin. Ingebor passed away yesterday, very peacefully. This photo was taken in Margaret and Gearys home on Ingebor 90th birthday. She had a long long life, a sharp mind, a quick wit. I'm sure she was greeted by so many that had gone before her. There'll be a lot of catching up to do, I think of it as a holiday celebration, talking, laughing, all surrounded by love. We'll all be there to join you eventually, hugs, kisses and new adventures.*



Nancy Holmstrom - September 25, 2016 at 04:26 PM

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“ I have loved visiting with Maria at Brookdale for a long time. She sat with my Mom Effie Burke for meals in Independent Living at Brookdale. Many times I also had lunch with them but didn't recognize who she was until one day I mentioned ALPENA and her eyes and ears perked right up! It was then I realized WHO she was (I had never heard her last name).

We attended 1st Baptist Church in Alpena together many years ago. Garry and I remember well Maria and Col. Koglin.

As my Mom moved to Assisted Living and then Maria also went there I visited with her often and she always was so sharp and knew who I was even last week when I greeted her in the dining room. I will miss her each time I go there now.

Know that we care and are praying for all of you but we look forward to visiting with Maria in heaven someday.

Ruby Mae Ostrander - September 24, 2016 at 04:43 PM