



## Marilynn Potter

June 11, 1921 - May 1, 2008

Marilynn V. Crawford - Potter, 86, of Dixon passed away Thursday May 1, 2008 at Lee County Nursing & Rehabilitation Center after an extended illness . Marilyn was born June 11, 1921 in Dixon, the daughter of George and Viola (Fleming) Crawford.

She married Ronald Potter Dec. 1, 1945 in Dixon. He preceded her in death January 25, 1977.

She was the owner of Potter's Cleaners in Dixon prior to her retirement in 1987.

Marilynn enjoyed immensely her wedding invitation and Christmas Card business and always took great pride in fulfilling her customer's needs. You could always count on Marilyn for the perfectly styled invitation to your event. Marilyn found her beloved cats most dear to her heart which was evident by the cat shirts and sweaters that she would wear. She always provided a loving home and luscious meals for her treasured feline friends.

One of Marilyn's favorite pastimes was the endless donation of her time for others. She thoroughly enjoyed the time she donated to the Gingerbread House and the many endless hours she would spend working on her high school class reunions. Her countless efforts in these causes will be sadly missed by all.

She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Dixon, the A.C. Club and the WA-TAN-YE Club.

She is survived by one son David Potter and daughter in law Amy Potter of

Dixon, one grandson Brady, and many loving friends. She was preceded in death by her mother and father, daughter Lisa, son Steve and a brother George Crawford.

Funeral services will be held Friday May 9, 2008 at 10:30 AM in the Jones Funeral Home with the Rev. Steve Joos officiating. Burial will follow in Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be on Thursday from 4:00 to 7:00 PM in the funeral home. A memorial has been established in her memory.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Marilynn Potter*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Marilynn Potter*

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *Heartfelt sympathy to Aunt Mert's family and friends. I'll remember her funny sense of humor. It was wonderful to see her last year at my grandmother's funeral. Rest in Peace Aunt Mert as you are reunited with your daughter, son, husband and friends. Loveinly, Colleen*

**Colleen Dennis** - May 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ I am so touched to hear of your mom's passing. I have often wondered where she was and how her health was.

*She was like a mother to Charlie. He always said that she was more of a mother to him than his own ever was.*

*Charlie passed away last September. Didn't know how to get a hold of you. Can hardly believed that Marilyn outlived him.*

*She was a fine lady. I ALWAYS enjoyed being with her. God broke the mold after he made her. She was one in a million. I loved her so.*

*I'll always remember the time that we all spent together especially at Piper's wedding. I was so pleased that you and Amy came and brought her too. You are in my prayers and thoughts. You both have a special place in my heart.*

*I can't be with you for the funeral or visitation because I will be in California. Piper is having a baby this week. She has had a high risk pregnancy (high blood pressure) and is delivering boy \* 3 this week. I am flying out on Thurs. May 8*

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**Linda May** - May 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ dear david potter (my second cousin)

*your mom was very much loved by all us here in the los angeles area; ruth crawford, seville crawford, jim and diane lievan, marilynn and don pletz (lievan) and my folks walt and dottie*

*still surviving of course are brother dave and me, jaydenne and wally weppreight (jim and diane's daughter) and kimberly pletz (daughter of marilynn and don)*

*i first met marilynn in arcadia california in 1980 at great aunt seville's home and subsequently in dixon when we met you as well*

*we loved her very much and are grieving with you as she gave us all great joy and grand humor*

*all the best*

*tim minnihan*

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**tim minnihan** - May 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ David,

*I am so sorry for your loss. Your mother kept Dot and I laughing at lunch every Sunday at the Parkway when I lived in Nelson. She had such a good sense of humor. Her stories about Cooper's antics were hilarious. She loved her Pina Colada, chicken wings and peanut butter pie. Marilynn was a great friend and I will miss her.*

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**Doug Burke** - May 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ *We are sorry we weren't able to be there for your mothers funeral David. We thought a lot of her. Sincerely, Doug & Claudette\**

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**Doug & Claudette Potter** - May 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM