



Marie Cals Reynolds

December 2, 1928 - December 18, 2025

Marie C. Reynolds, age 97, died on Thursday, December 18, 2025, in Cincinnati, Ohio. Marie was born in Palo Alto, California to the late Joseph Maurice Cals and Buena Melvin Cals on December 2, 1928.

Marie grew up in Oakland, California, working from an early age in her father's drugstore. She spent many years as a pharmacy assistant for several pharmacies before embarking on a successful career as an employment placement counselor with a personnel agency in Concord, California. In 1967, an opportunity with Care, Inc. brought her and her daughter, Nancy, to Atlanta, Georgia. She later worked briefly with a construction company involved in building many of the original homes in Newnan Pines. Her greatest professional joy, however, was found in sales at Hollberg's Furniture in Senoia, Georgia, where she was finally able to pursue her love of fine furniture and design. Anyone who knew Marie knew of her deep appreciation for beautiful wood finishes and thoughtful craftsmanship.

In 1968, Marie married Lloyd Reynolds, and together they made their home in Newnan where Lloyd served as vice-president and general manager of the William L. Bonnell Company. They shared a love of travel and enjoyed discovering wherever curiosity led them. Marie had a remarkable ability to connect with people through shared memories of places across the United States.

Marie was deeply shaped by growing up in the San Francisco Bay Area during World War II. She generously shared her knowledge and personal

reflections on the war. After 45 years in Georgia, Marie moved to Cincinnati, where she and her daughter, Nancy Lang, were blessed to spend treasured time together.

Marie treated everyone she met with kindness and respect. She will be remembered as a devoted mother, a trusted friend, and a woman who lived a long and meaningful life. May we all be inspired by her example and be so fortunate as to live as fully and graciously as she did.

In addition to her parents, Marie was preceded in death by her husband, Lloyd L. Reynolds, and brother, Raymond Maurice Cals. She is survived by her daughter, Nancy Ann Lang, of Cincinnati, Ohio.

A private graveside service was held at Oak Hill Cemetery in Newnan on December 27, 2025.

Condolences may be expressed online at www.mckoon.com

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“ I met Marie many years ago. I started off by working for her. It didn't take long before we had become friends. Marie was not only a friend to me but she became my mentor and a mother figure to me. Marie was a very wise, honest and kind woman. I will miss her dearly!

I had the great fortune to see her in October and spend several days with her in Cincinnati, OH. Nancy and Marie showed me the sites! We shared meals, memories, and laughs. I will be forever grateful for those few days!! Marie was so very proud of Nancy. I can see those same traits of Marie in her daughter!

I will see you again some day Marie with all of my other loved ones in our Father's kingdom!

Patty Lambert - January 07 at 10:40 AM

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“ Ms. Reynolds was such a wonderful person. Every interaction with her was like the first. Growing up next to her and Lloyd, they were like family. She gave my sister and I Christmas decorations for many years. What a treasure they have become through the years. We will all miss her smile and enthusiasm for life. She made it her hobby to keep up with all the news and stock markets. Sharp as a tack! Hugs to you Nancy. I know you are going to miss her a lot. If you need anything, let us know. Much love...

Renee Carpenter - December 30, 2025 at 04:41 PM