



## Eleanor (Ellie) Kimbrough

December 15, 1928 - February 16, 2017

Eleanor (Ellie) Kimbrough – 1928-2017

Ellie passed away on February 16, 2017 peacefully with family by her side. Born in Napa on December 15, 1928 to Albert & Eleanor Lallement, she attended local schools. Ellie graduated from Napa High School in 1946. It was there she met the love of her life, high school sweetheart, and future husband Rex. They were married on August 18, 1950.

Ellie had a long career working for Napa County in the Clerk's Office and eventually became the Recorder for Napa County, a position she was reelected to several times. Ellie retired from county government holding the position of County Clerk/Recorder in 1990. Ellie enjoyed performing marriage ceremonies as one of her duties while County Clerk and continued to do so after leaving office. Ellie performed the wedding ceremony for her oldest grandson Keith and his wife Amanda on August 18, 2012, her and Rex's 62nd wedding anniversary.

Ellie was very active in sports over the years including skiing, tennis, and later became an avid golfer, playing often with Rex and with the women groups at Kennedy Park Golf Course and Silverado Country Club. Ellie enjoyed spending time with family and friends at the cabin she and Rex had built at South Lake Tahoe. Ellie went on many trips around California and the west

coast, some were to California Recordors Conferences as well as trips to Australia, Japan, and Europe. She also attended several U.S. Open Golf Tournaments across the United States and enjoyed trips to Hawaii. Over the past few years annual trips to Sun River, Oregon and Palm Springs were a highlight of the year.

Ellie was a member of several organizations including Native Daughters of the Golden West, Soroptimist International of Napa, and the Napa Chamber of Commerce.

Ellie is survived by her husband, Rex of Napa, sister, Sally of Rancho Murieta, son, Kriss (Maureen), of Napa, daughter, Staci (Eric) of Red Bluff, grandsons, Keith (Amanda) of Napa, Nicholas (Jessica) of Cordelia, Trent of Eugene, Oregon, and Garrett of Napa, great grandson Skyler of Napa, and great granddaughter Penelope of Napa, nephew Todd Lallement and niece Lori Petrovsky.

Ellie was predeceased by her parents, Albert and Eleanor Lallement, brother and sister in law, Bert and Betty Lallement, mother in law, Fern Brown, and brother in law, James Paravantes.

She was a devoted mother, grandmother, and great grandmother, and loved all of her family and friends.

There will be a Celebration of Life for Ellie on March 1, 2017 at 3:00PM in the Augusta Room of the Member's Clubhouse at Silverado Country Club, 1600 Atlas Peak Road, Napa.

Donations to Queen of the Valley Foundation, Collabria Care Napa, or a charity of the donor's choice.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

MAR 1. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (PT)

Silverado Country Club  
1600 Atlas Peak Road  
Napa, CA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Eleanor (Ellie) Kimbrough*

September 29, 2022 at 04:54 PM



“ *Eleanor (Ellie) Kimbrough*

September 29, 2022 at 02:55 PM



“ *We have many fond memories of Ellie. She was a very special person. We send deepest sympathy to Rex and all the family. Very sincerely, Joe and Angela Peatman*

**Angela and Joe Peatman** - February 27, 2017 at 01:50 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss Kriss. Prayers and thoughts for your family.*  
*Vicki Robinson*



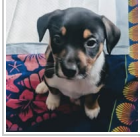
**vicki robinson** - February 27, 2017 at 01:24 PM



“ *Joyce Chase lit a candle in memory of Eleanor (Ellie) Kimbrough*



**Joyce Chase** - February 27, 2017 at 10:57 AM



“ Hi Staci&Eric, (Jami from Walmart)  
Sorry to hear about the loss of your mother...I hope you can contact me while in Napa @707 307-8069 call me

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**Jami Aldridge** - February 26, 2017 at 11:54 AM

LR

“ I met Eleanor when I was doing the background history on the house her parents built on Georgia Street. She told me what she remembered about the house. Very nice lady. I am sorry for your loss.

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**Linda Rodman** - February 25, 2017 at 01:25 PM

KB

“ Rex, Kriss, Staci and families...

*We were saddened to read of Ellie's passing. Although no words can really help to ease the loss you feel, please know our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time.*

*Sincerely, Kathy and Lance Bonds*

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**Kathy Bonds** - February 25, 2017 at 12:15 PM

MP

“ Michael and Lori Petrovsky purchased the Heavenly Heights Bouquet for the family of Eleanor (Ellie) Kimbrough.



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**Michael and Lori Petrovsky** - February 25, 2017 at 12:45 AM

MP

“ *Michael & Lori Petrovsky lit a candle in memory of Eleanor (Ellie) Kimbrough*



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**Michael & Lori Petrovsky** - February 24, 2017 at 11:30 PM

LP

*Dear Rex,*

*My mother, Susie Pritchett, is saddened to learn of Ellie's passing. She and Ellie have been friends and known each other since grammar school. I always inform my mom of the local obituaries especially when it's someone as important to her as Ellie and you.*

*She sends her most sincere sympathy to you and your family.*

*My mother now lives in Santa Rosa in a wonderful senior community called Villa Capri. She did not have your address and is not too computer savvy so I took it upon myself to contact you for her.*

*I, too, knew Ellie. She was one of the loveliest women I ever met. My deepest sympathy to you as well.*

*Sincerely,*

*Lynn Pritchett*

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**Lynn Pritchett** - February 25, 2017 at 11:04 AM