

# Monarch Society

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## Lois Himes

( October 23, 1923 - December 15, 2018 )

On Saturday, December 15, 2018, peacefully in her home, Lois Virginia Himes passed away at the age of 95.

Lois was born on October 23, 1923 in Buffalo, NY to James and Ruth Hickey.

Lois attended Otterbein University in Westerville, OH at the age of 16. There she met the love of her life, Richard Carl Himes. They were wed on June 21, 1947. Lois and Dick raised two daughters Susan Lynn, and Janne Anita and one son Richard Carl Jr. Lois was preceded in death by Dick, her husband of 64 years, as well as her son Richard Carl Jr.



Lois is survived by her two daughters, Janne and Sue, daughter in law Liz Himes, and son in law John Mack; four Grandchildren, Lara and husband Paul, Seth and wife Pam, James and wife Ariel, and Megan and wife Shannon; and nine great grandchildren; Gunther, Cyrus, Lillith, Orion, Raven, Juniper, Ireland, Coraline, and soon to be baby Buhler.

Lois was an incredible wife, mother, grandmother and friend. One of Lois' most memorable qualities was her sense of humor and quick wit that was with her until the end. Lois and Dick were able to travel the world together and enrich their lives in the culture of others. The two traveled to 58 Countries post retirement, and some countries more than once. Frequently these trips included Birding and spotting wildlife. Most of all though Dick and Lois loved spending time with their family. Lois was an avid golfer, loved going to the theatre and the biggest Denver Broncos fan.

Friends and Family are welcomed to gather at Littleton United Methodist Church at 1pm on Thursday, December 20, 2018 to celebrate Lois' beautiful life. Lois will be inurned with her husband at Ft. Logan National Cemetery, Denver, Colorado.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests a donation to the National Parks <https://www.nationalparks.org/> or the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society <https://www.lls.org> .