



Olga Stefanchik Minton

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Born April 24, 1925 to Elizabeth (Sabo) Stefanchik and Michael Stefanchik and raised in Carnegie, Pa. Olga passed away on May 31, 2018. Olga was a creative individual, who loved music, sewing, snow skiing, swimming, reading, Opera and art. She grew up during the Depression era, a daughter of a Slovak steel worker and first generation immigrants from Czechoslovakia. She worked after high school as an accounting clerk and met her husband of 45 years, George Harold Minton, Jr. at ballroom dance classes. George was a scientist, a Ph.D. nuclear physicist (Carnegie Mellon), and although he was a naturally reserved individual, he quickly purchased season symphony tickets to lure Olga to marriage. She could not resist. Olga raised two children, Michael David Minton, MD (Nancy) and Cynthia Minton (Steve Piatt), a social worker. She volunteered weekly for many years at Children's Hospital in Pittsburgh where she enjoyed comforting newborn infants in the nursery. Olga was predeceased by her husband George; sister, Aleska Stefanchik; her daughter in law, Nancy (Greza) Minton and her sister in-law Kathleen Stefanchik. She is survived by her brother, Michael Stefanchik; her brother in-law, James Minton; numerous nieces and nephews; her son Mike, daughter Cindy, son in-law Steve; stepsons Joe (Ashley) and Justin Piatt; grandchildren, Lauren (Shane) Tierney and two great grandchildren, Aubrey and Tristan Tierney. She supported such charities as Doctors without Borders, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, and the Jimmy Carter Foundation. She lived

independently in her own home until her death. There will be no visitation.
Arrangements entrusted to the GENE H. CORL INC. FUNERAL CHAPEL
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