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Anne Crosby Green(1914 - 2018)

Green, Anne Crosby

The indomitable spirit of Anne C. Green has left this earth on Oct 28, 2018 in Alameda, CA after almost 104 years of life.

Born in Muskegon, MI to Frederic Gifford Crosby and Edna Campbell on Nov 18 1914, she grew up with 4 rowdy brothers in Oconomowoc, WI, across the street from the Pabst family "who always had kegs of beer on the porch". She attended nursing school in Boston, where she once went sailing during a storm with two friends and capsized, almost lost at sea but for a lucky rescue.

As a young lady she was a registered nurse at Boston Children's Hospital until she married Arnold J Green in 1939 and settled down to housewifery on historic John St in Providence RI and begat two children, Erik & Edith, with whom she frequently played hockey in the kitchen. Their country cottage on nearby Pojac Point became a full-time residence in 1970, where she lived until moving to Amelia Island, FL in 2004 and Alameda, CA in 2011.

Anne loved Dixieland jazz, martinis, and above all her husband Arnold, who she lost in 1999 but never stopped talking about. Her longevity was as extraordinary as her relentlessly positive attitude, and she kept us laughing every day until her final graceful exit.

She is survived by her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, and preceded in death by her husband, siblings, and parents.

A funeral service will be held on Tuesday, November 13th, 2018 at Swan Pt Cemetery at 11am.

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