



Edith E. Balentine

May 28, 1931 - April 15, 2026

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It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of 94-year-old Edith "Ginger" Balentine. She died peacefully at home on April 15, 2026. She is survived by her beloved daughters Joy (Paul Martino) Balentine , Marta (Michael) Metzger and her brother James Hoey. Edith was preceded in death by her husband David Balentine, and brother Arthur "Tommy" Hoey. She grew up in the Highland Park neighborhood of Pittsburgh and graduated from Peabody High School. Edith spent most of her adult life in the Bloomfield section of Pittsburgh where she was a devoted mother and wife. And she made it a point to bring her daughters on weekly downtown adventures. She was well known for her charm and sense of humor. And was a master of April Fools' day pranks. At Christmas time, she threw a fun and popular tree trimming party! Edith will be greatly missed by the squirrels and birds in the neighborhood. She always left them an ample supply of bread crumbs and crackers on her front porch.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you make contributions to the Humane Animal Rescue in Pittsburgh.

A private burial is planned at the Allegheny Cemetery.

Professional services trusted to D'ALESSANDRO FUNERAL HOME &
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Cemetery Details

Allegheny Cemetery

4734 Butler St.
Pittsburgh, PA 15201

Tribute Wall

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“ *i feel so blessed to have had so many years of Ginger's friendship/ We have had so much fun! Until we meet again, I will find comfort in my memories*

Nancy Bico - April 17 at 08:32 PM

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“ *Thank you Mummy for such a great life!! We are missing you already. I hope you and Daddy are dancing together and enjoying heaven.*

Marta Metzger - April 17 at 05:19 PM