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Sue Chasins



Mayflower Community resident Sue Chasins, 99, died peacefully on April 10, 2022. Sue was born in Indianapolis in 1922. Over the years, she lived in and near New York City and Philadelphia before moving to Grinnell in 2011. Sue attended Swarthmore College, graduated in 1944, and worked as a journalist and editor for several newspapers and news organizations, including the Women's News Syndicate.

Sue was an active member of each community in which she lived, volunteering on PTA committees, a Community Action Board, for public libraries, with the Audubon Society, and at Boscobel

Gardens, among other causes and organizations she supported. Sue also served as a Girl Scout leader and as president of the Phillipstown, New York Chapter of the Garden Club of America. She enjoyed gardening, history, and bridge.

Sue was devoted to her family. Her beloved husband, Ed, died in 2008. Sue is survived by her son, Dan, and her daughters, Maggie and Harriett, as well as six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Sue did not wish to have a funeral or memorial service. She was an avid reader and supporter of public libraries. Memorial donations may be directed to Drake Community Library.