



## Sally Schutt Ferguson

October 18, 2021

Sally Schutt Ferguson, age 76, of Highland, IL died on Monday, October 18, 2021, after a life well lived. A graduate of Northwestern University, Sally spent 35+ years of her professional life in a fulfilling career at Institutional Research & Studies at Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville. She retired in 2000.

Sally was an active, long-time member of Evangelical United Church of Christ in Highland where, with her husband, she formed an incredible social network of friends. She was a committed volunteer with the Agency for Community Transit (ACT) and the Tri-Township Water District, serving as president of both until her retirement. She was always planning her next trip, traveling to over 70 countries. She was a curious traveler, very interested in genuine local experiences and supporting local artisans. She spent countless hours in her sewing room, designing beautiful quilts and embroidery. She was a constant learner who knew much about many things, and was always eager to share knowledge with any listening ear. She kept a positive outlook on life, despite its heartaches and imperfections. She believed family was everything and will be dearly missed.

She was preceded by her father, Paul J. Schutt; her mother, Margaret Dorr Schutt; and her brother Paul L. Schutt. She is survived by her husband, Edward (Fergy) Ferguson; her children, Doug (Jenn) Ferguson and Katie (David Tolen) Ferguson; her grandchildren; Lane, Kyle and Joshua; her sister,

Lois S. Stocker; her brother, Jerry (Barb) Schutt; and her nieces and nephews.

A Memorial Service will be held at 1:00 P.M. at the Evangelical United Church of Christ, Highland, IL, on November 13, 2021. Visitation will be two hours prior to the service, 11:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.

Memorial contributions may be made to Evangelical United Church of Christ or Myelodysplastic Syndromes Foundation.

# Tribute Wall

LL

“ Love Meta, Susan, Ruth & Loraine purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Sally Schutt Ferguson.



Love Meta, Susan, Ruth & Loraine - November 10, 2021 at 04:19 PM

CS

“ I worked with Sally (indirectly) at SIUE. Sally was smart, professional, kind, and always had the answers! She was a true lady. She will be missed.

Cathy Santanello - November 03, 2021 at 03:31 PM

LM

“ Judge Ferguson was my mentor for the many years that I spent as a Judge. I will never forget his confidence in me and his many kindnesses. I met Sally several times over the years and enjoyed her company and wit. Condolences to Fergy and her other family and friends.

Lola Maddox - November 02, 2021 at 12:30 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sally Schutt Ferguson.



November 02, 2021 at 09:49 AM

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“ *My sincerest sympathy to the family.*  
*Linda Iberg*



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**Linda Iberg** - November 02, 2021 at 01:27 AM

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“ *Rita Rinderer lit a candle in memory of Sally Schutt Ferguson*



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**Rita Rinderer** - November 01, 2021 at 05:08 PM

RR

*Sally was one of our treasured friends  
We had many good times on all the bus trip with her and Friday night supper club  
We will miss her very much  
Prayers for Fergie and her family*

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**Rita Rinderer** - November 04, 2021 at 10:48 PM

PL

“ *Sally was an amazing woman, so intelligent in many subjects. She was a friend everyone could count on no matter what the project involved. She was a faithful volunteer in many ways, especially to the church. The Ferguson family, the community, and the church will miss her but we will hold the memories dear.*

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**Pam & Aimee Lecerf** - November 01, 2021 at 04:50 PM