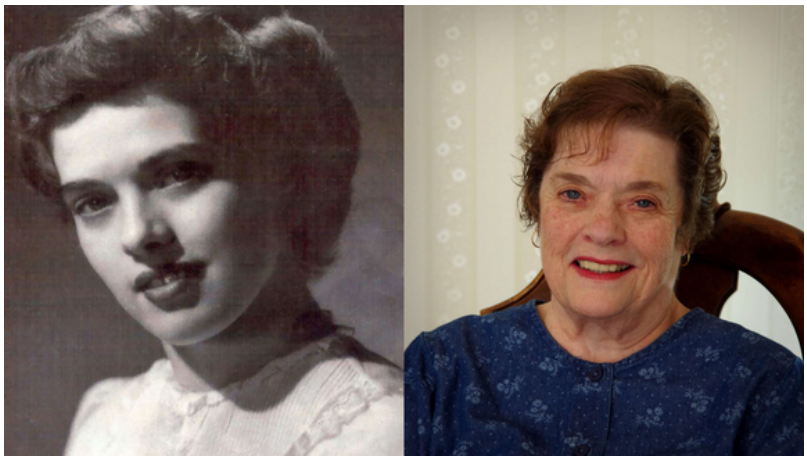

Marilyn Jeanne Pugh Leishman

December 21, 1931 ~ December 17, 2022

Marilyn was a lovely woman. I had the honor of calling her grandma, which she insisted, and completely embodied. I got to know her deeply during one of the hardest times of my life. I could barely make ends meet and she allowed me to work for her; making floral arrangements, organizing the house, maintaining the yard, and decorating for Christmas. We had so many long talks and I came to truly enjoy them. Particularly during the home organization phase when she wanted to tell me the story of EVERYTHING I pulled out of storage. I would let her tell it and then grandpa and I would sneak it into the garbage (haha, shhhh!). She was a very special lady and a pivotal influence in my life. Thank you grandma, I love you.

- Jen Heath Conte Smith

When Brent and Marilyn moved to Bountiful in the late 60s' they were in our ward. I became fast/best friends with Craig and over time, Marilyn became my "second Mom" I spent many hours in her home and ate many meals. She yelled at me and Craig for our teenage shenanigans and I didn't mind. I knew she loved me... All my best to her family.

- Randy Slagowski