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Member Tribute

Mildred Vergara

Mildred Vergara loved art and it played an important part in her life. In her early painting career she created a painting called "City Of The Future". She was awarded first place in a New York City Contest.

She earned a fine art degree and was accomplished in all art and enjoyed painting plein air or any art out-of doors. She joined a group of women that journeyed to Africa. Mildred made many journeys to Mexico with her husband. Watercolor was the media she liked the most to work in. Loved going to art galleries.

Her art ranged from pen and ink sketches to wall paintings. She recently turned to mixed media and liked to paint her friends with light hearted humor. Of friends she had many. She was a fun loving, kind and gentle person, loved by everyone that knew her.

She was born in South Dakota and has a lot of relatives there. New York and Arizona were where she lived the most. She and Joe were active in PAG and she is very much missed by her friends who feel lucky they got to know her.

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& Joe Vergara