



# Lynn Evans Mand

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### Lynn Mand Obituary

Lynn Evans Mand (nee Hargate), 95, of Elyria, died Thursday, February 6, 2020. She was born May 2, 1924 in Youngstown, where she was a 1942 graduate of Chaney High School. She graduated from Ohio Wesleyan University in 1946 with a B.A. in Education and received her Masters Degree in Special Education from Hofstra University in 1969. For several years she worked as a case worker for the American Red Cross and also the Florence Crittenden Home in Youngstown. From 1952 to 1964, she was the lead singer with the quartet, The Chordettes and produced hits including Mr. Sandman, Lollipop, Eddie My Love, Just Between You and Me and Never On Sunday and were regulars on radio and TV. In 2001, The Chordettes were inducted into the Vocal Group Hall of Fame. Lynn then taught Special Education using her musical talents for 25 years in the Brentwood, Long Island, New York Public School System, retiring in 1989. In 1990, the Chordettes reunited and toured until 1995. Lynn was a member of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, American Association of University Women and the Elyria Musical Arts Society. Lynn is survived by a son, Robert Evans; daughter, Carolyn Evans; grandchildren, Robert Evans II, Sarah Velasquez, Lisa Rhodes and Hannah Gritman; six great-grandchildren and nieces and nephews including her caregiver, Joan VanWormer. She was preceded in death by her husbands, Robert B. Evans in 1977 and The Reverend John L. Mand, Jr., in 1999; brothers, The Reverend G. Russel Hargate and The Reverend Arthur W. Hargate and a granddaughter, Carolyn Ruth VanNostrand. A memorial service will be Wednesday, February 12, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 300 Third Street, Elyria with The Reverend June Hardy Dorsey officiating, assisted by The Reverend Brian K. Wilbert. Burial will be in Union Cemetery, Niles. Memorial contributions may be made to Harmony Foundation



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[email protected] 866-706-802 Memorial Service St. Andrew's Episcopal  
Church Wednesday, February 12, 2020 6:30 PM 300 Third St. Elyria, OH 44035

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JR

**Jo Ross Rochelle** posted:

Remembering Carolyn fondly, both Chaney Hi graduates. She sang with our Rollie Page Dance Band during the war. I played piano, and we were the only two girls. She sang lead in many of our hi school operettas. What a beautiful voice and person! We all followed her when she joined the Chordettes. Loving memories.

April 1 at 8:00 PM

MH

**Michelle & Gary Hartman** posted:

Our hearts with the family.

February 11 at 8:00 PM

SV

**Sarah Velasquez** posted:

I miss you so much Grandma. I know youre singing in heaven.

February 10 at 8:00 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Lynn by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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