



Dorothy June Fowler

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Dorothy Fowler, a long-time resident of West Hartford, died Thursday the 12th of March at her family home. Born in 1921 in Detroit, MI, the daughter of the late Carl and June (Bostwick) Keiser, Dorothy was preceded in death by two loving husbands, Bill and Irving, and by her only sister, Marijane. She is survived by her daughters Deborah and Sarah. During the Second World War, Dorothy was a photographer in the Women's Army Corps (WAC) and got a pilot's license while in the service. After the war, she continued her education at the State University of New York at Buffalo where she received a Masters Degree in Social Work. Her long and varied career culminated as Director of Services to Military Families and Disaster Services at the Connecticut Red Cross. She retired from that position in her early sixties and continued working, on a part-time basis, on assorted projects and as a volunteer. Dorothy's interests included travel, photography, painting and drawing. For many years she was an active member of the Unitarian Society of Hartford during which time she served as President of the Board. Memorial gifts may be made to America's oldest public art museum, Wadsworth Atheneum, 600 Main Street, Hartford, CT 06103. A memorial service will be planned for this summer. Notification to follow.