



# Irene Tenenbaum

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## **Irene Tenenbaum**

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**I**rene Tenenbaum (nee Sandin), age 100, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, November 10, 2021. Beloved wife of Perry Tenenbaum (deceased). Devoted mother of Debby Tenenbaum. Dear sister of Carl Sandin (deceased), daughter of Sarah and Max Sandin (deceased). She always valued free spirited joy in her life, and enjoyed holiday celebrations, her monthly scrabble game with good friends, and socializing with her friends and neighbors at the RH Meyers apartments. Irene enjoyed a fulfilling career as the Registrar at the Case Western Reserve University Law School for more than twenty years. She retired in 1988. Irene had a deep passion for the arts and the wellbeing of the greater community. Her philanthropic giving and numerous volunteer hours at the Cleveland Playhouse Square theaters and the American Cancer Society Discovery Shop were a testament to her abundant kindness and generosity. She was a valued member of the Jewish Secular Community of Cleveland. Irene's passing will leave an empty space in the hearts of all who knew her. A private service will be held at a later date. Inurnment at Lake View Cemetery. Memorial contributions can be made in Irene's memory to the ACLU or Doctor's Without Borders.



## Tribute Wall

Irene Tenenbaum



**Mary Scibana** posted:

I met Irene at The Discovery Shop where we both volunteered. I got to know her as an intelligent, interesting, fun person who was always dressed in the time. She could fool anyone of her age!! I remember taking her grocery shopping after working four hours on our feet. I offered a couple of times to take her list and do shopping for her. She would have none of that. She was perfectly willing to do her own shopping plus she liked to pickup a few packs of cigarettes as her last purchase!!Irene loved the large chocolate muffins that I introduced her to and the last few years would wrap for her birthday. She always got a kick out of that. I have 2 in my freezer now that I was saving to give her for Hanukkah. They will stay there for a while to remind me of Irene.Yes, I will miss her and am only sorry I did not know her longer. She was an outstanding woman. I did have the privilege of sharing her 100th birthday with her at Picnic Hill and that was special. It is a good memory and there are others that I will remember until the day I leave this earth.Rest in peace dear friend. I love you!Mary Scibana

November 20 at 9:28 AM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

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



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