



## Riette P. Wicks

October 24, 1949 - June 23, 2021

Riette P. Wicks, age 71, of Merrillville formerly of Chicago, IL passed away June 23, 2021. She graduated from Hirsch High School, class of 1968. Riette received her degree from the University of Chicago, and her master's degree from Chicago State University. She was a retired grade schoolteacher in the Chicago School System. Riette was preceded in death by her father- Luke Z. Wicks. She is survived by her daughter- Mercedes Green of CA; mother-Katherine Wicks of Crown Point; sisters- Anita Mann of Merrillville, Maria Wicks of Chicago; brothers- Luke (Wanda) Wicks of Las Vegas, Paris (Pam) Wicks of Chicago; several nieces and nephews, cousins, relatives, and friends. Funeral services are pending. Burns Funeral Home, Crown Point, entrusted with arrangements. [www.burnsfuneral.com](http://www.burnsfuneral.com)

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“ I am so saddened to hear this. May you rest well and in peace 🥹

-Arwann Boyd

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