



## **Alpha Gamma Delta Former International Council Member Enters Chapter Grand**

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[INDIANAPOLIS, February 21, 2023]— It is with great sorrow that we report the death of beloved alumna Frances Sells Ryan, Lambda-Northwestern University. Frances entered Chapter Grand on February 3, 2023.

Frances, a 1940 initiate, was a devoted member of our organization and held an extensive service record volunteering for many years. She served on International Council as Grand Treasurer and National Panhellenic Council Delegate from 1967-70.

While serving as an International Officer for Alpha Gamma Delta, she earned her Master's in Counseling and Guidance from Purdue University in 1970. Frances worked as a counselor at the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire before earning her Doctor of Jurisprudence in 1975. After serving as an attorney and judge for 15+ years, she was ordained in the Episcopal Church and served as a Deacon for several years.

Sympathy cards may be mailed to Alpha Gamma Delta International Headquarters at 8710 N. Meridian Street, Indianapolis, IN 46260, to be collected and forwarded to the family. Alpha Gamma Delta will deeply miss and appreciate Frances for her dedicated service to the Fraternity and the Foundation.

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