



Margaret R. Hellauer

July 10, 1939 - July 6, 2017

Margaret (Peggy) Ruth Hellauer (age 77) of Pottstown, PA (formerly of Fairfax, VA) died on Thursday, July 6, 2017 of complications experienced from a stroke two weeks earlier. She was born July 10, 1939 in Elizabeth, NJ to the late Edward Roland Knowles and Alexis (Campbell) Knowles.

Peggy is survived by her three children, J. Douglas Hellauer of South Riding, VA, Christine Hellauer of Rockville, MD and Robert Hellauer of Royersford, PA; as well as seven grandsons (Mike, Jason, Steve and Derek Hellauer; Jeremy and Spencer Ollayos; and Josh Hellauer), one granddaughter (Cameron Hellauer), and one great-granddaughter (Claire Hellauer). She was preceded in death by her grandson, Macklin Campbell Ollayos.

Peggy was trained at Grace Yale New Haven Hospital (CT) as an Xray Technologist, a career she resumed in the later years of her life after staying home to raise her children and support her family.

Over the course of her entire life, Peggy continued to enjoy the process of moving from one residence to another. In her years as a military spouse, she lived in Newport, RI, Groton, CT and the Panama Canal Zone. Her twenty year marriage to James C. Hellauer ended in divorce.

Peggy's hobbies included herb gardening, interior design, home decorating, reading magazines and trying out new recipes. Lemon, dill and spinach were among her favorite ingredients. Her favorite holiday was Halloween for which she would dress up in costume to delight the trick or treaters with her convincing cackle.

Peggy will be fondly remembered by her extended family, her nieces and nephews and friends for her kind and generous nature as well as her thoughtfulness and caring heart.

A private memorial service will be held. Memorial contributions may be made in her name to the SPCA or the Humane Society to benefit the animals she so loved. Arrangements are being handled by the Cattermole-Klotzbach Funeral Home, 600 Washington Street, Royersford, PA. Condolences may be offered online by visiting www.RoyersfordFuneralHome.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Susanne, Matt & Zane purchased the Ghirardelli Galore for the family of Margaret R. Hellauer .*



Susanne, Matt & Zane - July 31, 2017 at 02:02 AM

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“ *Hi Christine,
You are my best friend from College, and I was so sorry to hear the sad news about your Mom. You were such a devoted daughter, always making trips to visit her, and help her sort out the complexities of life. I hope you take great comfort in knowing that you did all any daughter could possibly do for a Mom living some distance away. It's obvious to me that your Mother's values of kindness, generosity, thoughtfulness and caring heart were all inherited by you and will be carried on by you for generations to come. When I met your Mom at your Wedding, to me she embodied a quiet, unspoken, but powerful grace I will always remember. I pray she is in a much better place now, and re-united in heaven with Macklin and Quadro.
-Love Susanne, Matt & Zane*



susanne - July 30, 2017 at 11:35 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Margaret R. Hellauer .



July 10, 2017 at 01:28 PM



“ Dear Christine and Curt and family,

We send you comforting thoughts and condolences in the loss of your loved one, and wish you a sense of peace in the sadness.

*Warmly,
Linda and George Walter*

Linda Peterson - July 10, 2017 at 07:36 AM



“ Dear Christine & Family This is Susan (Adams) Rumbaugh sending you our prayers of the loss of your dear mother - my cousin Jane Lindsey e-mailed Larry & I about your mother passing & read the beautiful obituary of her life - it brings back memories of my mother (Margaret) and her wonderful gifts of love to our family, the Knowles, & Simmons. I also consider Halloween my favorite holiday to decorate my home & dress up to see the excitement of the children coming to knock on our door. There is a memorial ornament that I keep close to my mother & father's picture "Those we Love don't go away, They walk beside us every day. Unseen unheard, but always near Still Loved, Still Missed and Forever Dear". Our thoughts are with you Susan & Larry Rumbaugh

Susan (Adams) Rumbaugh - July 08, 2017 at 03:19 PM

DA

“ Dear Christine, Rob and Doug, may your many happy memories of your Mom bring you comfort -- I will always treasure my memories of her and if you ever have to listen to me play the guitar you can blame your Mom!

Dana - July 07, 2017 at 07:49 PM