



Margaret "Peg" Salinger

October 15, 1939 - February 12, 2013

Margaret M. "Peg" Salinger, 73, wife of Robert G. Salinger for 50 years, passed away on Tuesday, February 12, 2013 in Phoenixville, PA. Peg was born in Hazelton to Bernard and Margaret (Carr) Morris. She was a graduate of Reading Central Catholic High School. Her achievements in higher education included a B.S.N. from Georgetown University and a M.S.N. in administration from Villanova University. She had a long and distinguished career as a registered nurse. Her positions included: community health nurse for Visiting Nurses (1970-72); staff nurse at Phoenixville Hospital (1981-1985); independent contractor at Eagleville Hospital (1985-87) and Nurse Manager at Coatesville Veterans Hospital (1987-2005). She also volunteered her time and expertise at The Clinic. Peg was a member of St. Teresa of Avila R.C. Church, Trooper, PA. In earlier years, she volunteered at many of her children's school functions and organizations in a leadership role. She was a member of the League of Women Voters and president of the Valley Forge Chapter. Participation in political campaigns was also an interest of hers. She was a member of the following: Audubon Gourmet Group, Friday Night Dance Club, Book Clubs, and Rivercrest Landscape Committee. In retirement she and her husband traveled extensively. A notable recent trip was to Egypt just prior to the civil unrest. She was an accomplished artist and painted many scenes from her travels. She also volunteered in the reading program at Evans Elementary. In addition to her husband, she is survived by her children: Kathryn Himsworth (Michael) of Chester Springs; Carolyn Halmy (Christopher)

of Charlotte, NC; Christine Sites (Frank) of Collegeville; and James Salinger (Katharina) of Los Angeles, CA; and her grandchildren: Elizabeth, Daniel, Claire, Sophia, Kathryn, Brendan and Raymond. Her Funeral Mass will be held on Friday, February 15, 2013, at 10 AM at St. Teresa of Avila R.C. Church, 1260 S. Trooper Rd., Trooper, PA 19403. Viewing will be from 8:30-9:45 AM at the church. Burial will be private for the immediate family. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to The Clinic, 143 Church St, Phoenixville, PA 19460 or the Cancer Support Community of Philadelphia by visiting www.cancersupport-phila.org

Tribute Wall

DS

“ My deepest sympathy to the Salinger family in the loss of your wife and Mother. We worked together on Boards of nursing organizations. She was a very skilled, talented, giving, perceptive, humble woman who will be truly missed by so many .I am grateful for my opportunity to have shared our time together She is truly with our Lord Blessing to all your family for healing your hearts In His love Dottie

Dorothea Shoemaker - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

DH

“ It's been a long time since we've been in touch, but I wanted to send my condolences. I remember your mother as she was in the late 80s, early 90s - vibrant and engaged, with that knockout Salinger smile. My deepest sympathies to all of you.

Doni Hines - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

DN

“ My deepest and heartfelt sympathies in the loss of your dear Wife, Mother and Grandmother. It is especially hard to cope with the loss of one who always shows you unconditional love. May you find comfort and solace in the One whose love we imitate because He first loved us. Jehovah God has promised us that; "The righteous themselves will possess the earth, and they will reside forever upon it."-Psalm 37:29 proving that we will indeed be with our loved ones again right here on a restored paradise earth! I have found the scripture at John 5:28 & 29 to be most comforting to me. I hope you will find that to be true for you as well. ! May we do all that we can to be there to greet our loved ones upon their return. The Bible tells us how. I encourage you to investigate Jehovah God's true promises for us all. Sorrowfully and respectfully submitted, Denise Brown Neiceybrown-mail@yahoo.com www.jw.org

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FJ

“ We count among our life experiences the trip to Egypt, and we know it was the people we traveled with, and made new friends. I remember the laughs, Peg and the October birthday ladies dancing in that sakkara restraurant, the dress up night on the boat cruise and bob with his rendition of talkback. Thank you Peg and Bob for your friendship. We will remember you both.

Frank and Joanne - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

KK

“ Bob, Our prayers are with you during this difficult time. We will always have the fond memories of Egypt to remember Peg by. Keith & Debbie Berger

Keith & Debbie Berger - kwbhome@comcast.net - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

CC

“ Dear Bob and family, Vito and I are so shocked and sad to hear of Peg's passing. She was a lovely, fun woman and our trip to Egypt and the memories we shared with you and Peg will forever be ours to keep! Please know Peg, you and your family are in our highest thoughts and prayers and if there is anything we can do, please let us know! Take care Bob! Cindy & Vito

Cindy & Vito Cerruti - ccerruti@mc3.edu - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM