



Beth Kornfield

September 18, 2022

Beth Kornfield, 95, was a resident of Fickes House at Homestead Village located in Lancaster, PA. She passed away on Sunday, September 18, 2022.

She was born in Washington, DC to Vivan McKenneth Hart and Sadie Sarah (Yuschinsky) Hart. Due to her father's early death and her mother's illness, Beth, who was Jewish, was moved to the B'nai B'rith Orphanage for Children in Erie, Pennsylvania. She had very fond memories of those years. Eventually she was taken in and raised by her aunts Dora Rose and Yetta Pinsky in Camden, New Jersey.

Beth graduated from the Jersey City (New Jersey) Medical Center as a Registered Nurse (RN). World War II ended before she earned her RN certificate, so she did not get to travel and do her part for the war effort. However, during her RN medical training, she met and married a war veteran, Norman B. Kornfield, M.D. After 48 years of a beautiful marriage, Norman pre-deceased her in 1995.

She leaves behind her three sons: Donald L. Kornfield (wife Brenda) of Myrtle Beach, SC; Jerome M. Kornfield (wife Cathy) of Leola, PA; and Kevin Hart Kornfield (wife Roberta) of Lancaster, PA. Five grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

Beth enjoyed volunteering with the St. Joseph Hospital Auxiliary. She was a long-time member of the Lancaster Tennis and Yacht club where she enjoyed playing tennis. She was a member of the Iris club where she was an active actor in plays. Beth and Norman had many years of boating adventures, fishing, and winters in Marco Island, Florida.

There will be no funeral or memorial service. If you wish, you may make a donation in Beth's memory to the Alzheimer's Association. Her family wishes to express sincere appreciation to Homestead Village, Visiting Angels of Lancaster, and Country Meadows for their wonderful care and kindness to Beth for many years.

Tribute Wall



“ *Beth Kornfield*

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM

PJ

“ *I am happy to have had the pleasure to have so many years sharing & of taking care of Beth & princess! It was my honor!! I truly loved Beth like a Grandma!! I will always cherish & treasure our time together!! I will miss you forever Beth!! You were "One in Million" to me! I will Love forever! ❤️*

Patti Janiszewski - October 12, 2022 at 09:20 PM

MB

“ *Hello to Mrs. Kornfield's sons and family. I often think of your wonderful Mother. In fact, I recently had a conversation with my oldest daughter about her, plus the Florida hurricane made me wonder where she was! Unfortunately I did not know she had been just down the road from me. If I had known I would have visited her. I am truly sorry for your loss. I pray all is well with you and your family! She will be missed, I am sure. Memories of a true, kind, always thoughtful lady!*

*Blessings and prayers,
Mary Bair (Mary Mason's daughter)*

Mary Bair - October 05, 2022 at 07:03 PM

DH

“ *I met Beth when my mother and stepfather were residents at Country Meadows. She was charming and witty, and I sought her out each time we visited my folks. Beth was a bright spot during increasingly difficult visits as my mother was slowly lost to me. I wish you, her family, peace as you travel the road of grief that death always brings. You are blessed to have been in Beth's circle. God's grace to you all.*

Deb Hiester - October 03, 2022 at 04:57 PM

AL

“ *I cared for Beth at Country Meadows for nearly six years. She was a wonderful woman with a beautiful heart. My love and prayers go to her family.*

Amanda Lechner - October 03, 2022 at 02:18 PM