



Lois Leatherman Blough

April 23, 2017

Lois Leatherman Blough, 80, of Lititz, PA, passed away at the Lancaster General Hospital on Sunday, April 23, 2017. She was a resident of Landis Homes. Born in Tanzania, East Africa, she was the daughter of the late John and Catherine Garber Leatherman. Her devoted husband, James W. Blough survives her.

For forty years, Lois worked as a social worker in various capacities, such as the New York City school system and private practice. She was a long-time member of Community Mennonite Church of Lancaster. She loved books, music, birds, and art.

She will be lovingly remembered by her children, Ann Bomberger, wife of Patrick Bywater of Erie, PA and Kurt Bomberger of Middletown, NJ, her three grandchildren; Maya Bywater, Alexandra and Benjamin Bomberger; and her brother, Andrew Leatherman of Coatesville, PA. She was preceded in death by her brothers, Bill and Steve Leatherman.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to Celebrate Lois's Life in a Memorial Service to be held at Community Mennonite Church of Lancaster, 328 W. Orange St., Lancaster, PA on Wednesday, April 26 at 4:00 p.m. with the Rev. Susan Gasho Cooke officiating. The family will receive friends at the church on Wednesday, April 26 from 3:00 p.m. until the time of service.

Parking is available at Fred F. Groff Inc., 234 W. Orange St., Lancaster.

If desired, memorials may be sent in Lois' memory to either Bridge of Hope, Lancaster and Chester Counties, 1516 Olive Street, Coatsville, PA 19320 or The Lancaster Public Library.

If you would like, flowers may be sent to the CMCL Church office at 332 W. Orange Street, Lancaster.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 26. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Community Mennonite Church Of Lancaster
328 West Orange Street
Lancaster, PA

Memorial Service

APR 26. 4:00 PM (ET)

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328 West Orange Street
Lancaster, PA

Tribute Wall



“ *Lois Leatherman Blough*

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of Lois' passing. I always appreciated her smile and our friendly exchanges when we bumped into each other at CMCL she will be missed.*

mary gattis - April 26, 2017 at 09:02 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Lois Leatherman Blough.*



April 25, 2017 at 05:11 PM



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April 25, 2017 at 05:09 PM

MH

“ Having known the Leatherman family since childhood (parents were friends of John and Catherine; I went to Christopher Dock with Steve and my brother Hal was good friends with Bill; enjoyed art class with students Gerry and Beth . . .), it was a delight when Lois first came thru the door at Community Mennonite with her radiant smile!

We always enjoyed one another, and I fully intended to visit her in the hospital as she improved. We shared many interests, and I can't yet believe she is no longer going to come thru the door.

She will be greatly missed by us and certainly by her dear family. Remembering each of you with fondness.
Mary Lou Weaver Houser

Mary Lou Weaver Houser - April 25, 2017 at 03:29 PM

DH

*To the family of Lois,
I am so sorry for your loss. I met Lois when she was a mentor for Bridge of Hope Lancaster & Chester Counties and now since I've been attending Community Mennonite Church. I knew her sister-in-law, Dot Leatherman well through Bridge of Hope. You will be missed Lois.
Love be with you,
Deb Cone Halsey*

Deb Cone Halsey - April 25, 2017 at 11:35 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Lois Leatherman Blough.*



April 25, 2017 at 01:42 PM

CB

“Lois was truly a sweet and classy lady...always a joy seeing and chatting with one another at family gatherings. She was my great niece Alexandra and great nephew Benjamin's Grandma who shared her love. Lois I will miss you lovely lady...God called you home..it was a blessing to know you.



Carla Busardo - April 25, 2017 at 11:43 AM

DB

“Doris and James Bomberger purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Lois Leatherman Blough.



Doris and James Bomberger - April 25, 2017 at 10:04 AM

MW

“Lois was a friend in high school and a roommate in college. Our roommate get togethers were always special as were our long phone conversations. She was always a model of a close and personal relationship with God for me. I also enjoyed her new interest in painting and the cards she sent showing some of her new creations. Her efforts to connect with her children, and grandchildren and husband showed how important family was for her and her great love for them. A thanks to her family for sharing her with me. Love to all of you.

Mary Wilfong - April 25, 2017 at 05:19 AM