



Marie Evelyn Laughman

June 28, 2016

Marie Evelyn Laughman, 73, of Cobblestone Lane, Lancaster, PA, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, June 28, 2016 at South Miami Hospital, Miami, FL.

Born in Lancaster, PA, Marie was the wife of the late Donald E. Laughman who passed away in 1990. She was the daughter of the late Amos B. and Blanche Finger Shuman.

Marie will be remembered for her bubbly style as she worked for 40 years in the hospitality industry spending 40 years with the Lancaster Host Resort as their Catering Sales Manager. She was a member of CONTACT Lancaster. After retirement, Marie was a welcomed employee for the Fulton Steamboat.

She is survived by three children; Kenneth R. Laughman, Lancaster, PA, Donald E. Laughman II, husband of Sherry Laughman, Ephrata, PA, and Cathy Thompson, Pequea, PA; four grandchildren, Michelle, Liz, Donnie III, and Lona, and six great grandchildren; four siblings, Lois Daily, Lancaster, PA, Kenneth, husband of Kathy Shuman, Lancaster, PA, Donald E. Shuman, Lancaster, PA and Patricia Ramos, Lancaster, PA, and her loving cats, Mia and Maddy. She was preceded in death by a brother, John Shuman.

Relatives and friends are invited to Celebrate the Life of Marie E. Laughman at her Memorial Service at The Groff's Family Funeral and Cremation Services, Inc., 528 W. Orange Street (corner of W. Orange and Pine Streets), Lancaster, PA 17603 on Monday, July 18, 2016 at 5:00 P.M. Private interment will take place at the convenience of the family. The family would like to receive friends following the service to share wonderful memories from The Groff's Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be sent to the Humane League of Lancaster, 2195 Lincoln Highway East, Lancaster, PA 17602.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUL 18. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Marie Evelyn Laughman*

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Marie Evelyn Laughman.*



July 15, 2016 at 04:34 PM



“ *My wife and I worked with Marie for many years. With regret, we will be unable to attend the celebration of her life.*

Throughout the years we enjoyed working with her at the Steamboat. Her sense of humor was infectious. We spent many of our shifts together laughing at Bill Horn's jokes and at each other's foibles. However, when it came to doing her job she took it very seriously. She was loved by the entire staff and was respected for her fairness and her knowledge of our business. We all learned a great deal from Marie.

She and my wife had a special bond – the love of cooking. To my wife's surprise, one day Marie presented her with Shuman/Laughman Family Cookbook. Not just a box of recipes but a three ring binder with laminated recipes. My wife was honored. It is kept in a prominent place in our home.

I mentioned that we are learned a lot from Marie but never as much as we learned during her last months. She was always upbeat and never appeared frightened. We all knew that she was holding everything inside of her. Her determination to fight was inspiring.

We miss you.

Bob and Lisa Sprague

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“ So long ago but I still remember her smile and welcoming heart. Keeping you all in our prayers!

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“ Marie and I had some great times, laughing, telling jokes, and carrying on with each other at the Fulton Steamboat Inn where I entertained for 7 years. From the time she came on board as hostess, everything brightened up with her personality and laughter. I sure will miss her. While she was going through the last several months, I called her at home to check on her to see how she was doing each week. She was always upbeat about her illness when I talked to her and I encouraged her to keep positive. Life is so short, and we all have to enjoy life while we are here. Laughter is the best medicine and Marie and I did it to the best of our ability.

Bill Horn

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A surprise birthday party for Marie's 72. Her smile could light up a room.

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