



## Mary Ann Virgil

February 12, 2024

Mary Ann Virgil, 77, of Willow Street passed away peacefully on Monday, February 12, 2024, after a two-year battle with pancreatic cancer. Born in Lancaster, Mary Ann was the daughter of the late John Fulmer Boyer and Marie Shertz Boyer. She was the wife of Robert Thomas Virgil they were married for 42 years before his passing in May of 2006.

Mary Ann graduated from JP McCaskey, Class of '64, marrying her high school sweetheart. She raised her family as she began a 30-year career in the mortgage business working for financial institutions National Central, Hamilton Bank, Wells Fargo and M&T. Mary Ann concluded her career in the L-S School District working in the before and after school programs for children.

Mary Ann had a passion for the Celtic Thunder, an Irish musical group, she especially followed Emmet Cahill. She enjoyed working in the yard with her flowers and plants. Mary Ann also loved animals and her pet cats. She had a large collection of snowman figurines. Most important to her was doting on her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She was a longtime Lutheran attending Zion Lutheran and then St. John's Lutheran in Lancaster.

Mary Ann is survived by her two daughters: Michelle Lownsbery, wife of Steve of Lancaster and Stacey Banzhof, wife of John of Obetz, OH. She loved her grandchildren: Kristi (Mac) Edwards, Shane Banzhof, Shawn Banzhof (Ariel),

Marisa Lownsbery and Caitlin Lownsbery, and her great-grandchildren: Gavin, Emma and Mackenzie Edwards, Madison Banzhof, Colton and Carson Reynolds; her brother-in-law, Gary (Tina) Virgil. In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by her siblings: Jane, Betty, Jimmy, Norman, Gladys, Mim, Peg, William, and Robert.

Family and friends are invited to Mary Ann's Memorial Service at The Groffs Family Funeral Home, 528 W. Orange Street, Lancaster on Thursday, February 29, 2024 at 2:00 p.m. with Pastor Margaret Kassees officiating. The family will receive friends from 1:00 p.m. until the time of service. An interment will be held after the service at Riverview Burial Park, Lancaster.

Memorial contributions may be made to The Ann B. Barshinger Cancer Institute.

# Cemetery Details

## Riverview Burial Park

South Duke Street  
Lancaster, PA 17603

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **29**. 1:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary Ann Virgil*



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**The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc** - February 27, 2024 at 03:40 PM

LG

*Your mom always had such a beautiful smile. You can tell she was well loved.*

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**Laura Gillichbauer-McMillen** - February 28, 2024 at 11:10 PM

JM

“ *Judy M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary Ann Virgil.*

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**Judy M.** - February 27, 2024 at 09:40 PM



“ 70 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc** - February 27, 2024 at 03:38 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *Mary Ann Virgil*.



February 23, 2024 at 05:53 PM



“ *School Age Child Care* planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of *Mary Ann Virgil*.

**School Age Child Care** - February 23, 2024 at 05:53 PM

DK

“ My deepest condolences and prayers to your family on the loss of Mary Ann. I worked with Mary Ann in the mortgage department of Hamilton Bank, many years ago. I knew very little about mortgages when I started, and Mary Ann was a wonderful, kind and patient teacher about all that was involved in the process and the documents involved after the purchase of a home. We became friends, and she was my first mentor of my 30-year career in mortgage. I am so fortunate to have known her and I know she will be missed. Rest in Peace, Mary Ann. Donna Kilgore

Donna L. Kilgore - February 23, 2024 at 01:29 PM

KB

I am so sorry for your loss. I worked with Mary Ann at Hamilton Bank and at Keystone Financial Mortgage. She was a good friend. RIP Mary Ann. Kathy Brubaker

Kathy Brubaker - February 25, 2024 at 06:27 PM

CA

“ Went to school with Mary Ann as well as joining her on Reunion Committee and breakfast once a month. She was always a kind, sweet person. We will miss her at breakfast. I shall always remember her with a smile on her face. She fought a good battle the last two years and she hid her pain and struggle with that insidious disease.

Cheryl Amey - February 22, 2024 at 12:11 PM

LJ

“ Love, Norm & Judy purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mary Ann Virgil.



Love, Norm & Judy - February 21, 2024 at 07:15 AM

FF

“ *From Phil and Kate Fascetti purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Mary Ann Virgil.*



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**From Phil and Kate Fascetti** - February 20, 2024 at 10:47 PM