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Betty J. Simmons, age 64 of Lewes, DE passed away on Monday, February 11, 2013 at Beebe Medical Center in Lewes after a courageous four year battle with lung cancer. Ms. Simmons was born on November 5, 1948 in Wilmington, DE, daughter of the late Robert Simmons and Ruth (Lord) Simmons of Rehoboth Beach, DE. She was also preceded in death by her aunt Jean Leipold.

Ms. Simmons attended William Penn High School graduating in 1966 and earned her Associates Degree in Business from Wilmington College. Ms. Simmons retired to Lewes in 2002 after working for 35 years at Christiana Hospital. Once settled at the beach, Ms. Simmons worked for the Delaware Eye Institute as an Office Manager in Rehoboth Beach, DE until the time of her passing. She enjoyed traveling to Key West, going on cruises and most of all, spending her free time on the beach. Ms. Simmons was a loving and caring person with a terrific sense of humor. She was an excellent friend and co-worker who will be missed by all who knew her.

In addition to her mother, Ms. Simmons is survived by her longtime companion, Paul A. LeVasseur; her uncle Milton Lord, Jr. and wife Janet; her aunt Frances Marshall; and numerous cousins.

A Memorial Service will be held at a later date. Arrangements are being handled by Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium, Lewes, DE.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Gideons International, P.O. Box 140800, Nashville, TN 37214-0800 or online at www.tgi@gideons.org.

Please sign Ms. Simmons' online guestbook at this page.

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SQ

Sharon Quinn posted:

Betty, although i never had the chance to know you or to meet you I want top thank you for the life you gave me. without your ability to be selfless and to put others before yourself i would have never had the chance to experience the blessing you have given me in my life. There are so very few people in this world that can give a gift like you did and i will always be grateful to you for that gift. i will meet you one day when it is my turn to meet God and i will be there with my arms stretched wide. Thank you mom for what you have given and taught me!!!! I will always love you!

March 16 at 6:13 PM

TC

Thelma C posted:

R.I.P. Betty,for a little one you sure were a strong person.You will be missed.I already miss you on the intercome "Anne X1010" You are not without pain.

February 22 at 8:00 PM

LL

Lisa Lilly posted:

Betty will be sadly missed.

February 20 at 8:00 PM

CB

Cathy Bell posted:

My contact with Betty was through working at the Delaware Eye Institute--we were diagnosed with cancer at the same time--Betty's attitude and perserverance were an inspiration to me--She seemed to understand her her health situation, but strived to make each day her best

February 17 at 8:00 PM

TM

Teri Moore posted:

May Betty finally rest in peace. Thoughts and prayers are with her mother at this sorrowful time.

February 14 at 8:00 PM



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Andrea Connolly Rogers posted:

Dear Ruthie, My parents, Jack and Ann Connolly, and my entire family were very sorry to hear about Betty Jean's passing. We all have fond memories of her throughout the years, and I enjoyed seeing her often at Christiana before she retired. Our thoughts and prayers are with you, Paul, and your family and friends. Please accept our deepest sympathy for your loss.

February 13 at 8:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Betty by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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