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Rose M. Quinn, Spunky and Talented Lady

Rose Margaret Quinn, 96, of Lewes died the morning of Wednesday, September 13 at Beebe Healthcare. She was born June 4, 1921 in Linwood, Pennsylvania.

After attending Immaculate Heart business school in Chester, Pennsylvania, Rose went to work for Scott Paper Company. She worked in the paper plant during WWII and ended her career as an executive assistant, staying with the company for more than 35 years. She moved to Lewes over 30 years ago from Media, Pennsylvania and swiftly created a community of close friends with her husband Sam. She was an avid golfer, winning many tournaments into her eighties. She travelled extensively with her husband and friends, enjoying cruises in the Baltic, Caribbean excursions, and escapades across Europe.

Rose was a talented crafter, creating beautiful embroidered samplers, wonderful quilts, and custom clothing for her family. She and Sam were known for hosting many an enjoyable happy hour and his martinis and sense of humor have been much missed since he passed in 2008. Rose was a great cook and known for specialties that she had perfected over many years, such as coconut custard pie, rice pudding, and of course her spinach balls.

Rose is survived by her daughter Maureen Quinn; her granddaughter, Julia Ortiz; her grandson-in-law John Marotta Jr.; her sister Emily Gallione; and numerous cousins, nieces, nephews and cherished friends and neighbors. She lived life to the fullest, was an inspiration to us all and will be much missed.

Services will be held at Arlington National Cemetery at a later date.

Please sign Rose's online guestbook located on this site.



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TQ

Tom Quinn posted:

Our Aunt Rose was so talented in the kitchen she gave us many delish dinners through the years. She always made time for family especially when dealing with surgeries and offering to help. We admired her so much, how strong she was, how independent and never complain about life. Our children and grandchildren enjoyed visiting and spending time with her and she enjoyed seeing them. We lost a great family member but ROSE will live on in our hearts and in all our memories. Love to Maureen and Julia. Tom and Kathy Quinn

October 5 at 5:10 AM

JV

Jane Vachon posted:

Our deepest sympathy to all the family on the loss of this bright spirit. We will always remember Rose's twinkling eyes, stubborn independence, and sparkling sense of humor. We knew her as the mother of our dear friend Maureen, and always enjoyed when we got a chance to share a visit. May the memories of many happy times comfort you. Take time to watch the sunset -- she would like that. Love, Jane and Dennis Vachon

September 30 at 8:05 AM

ST

Susan Scurlock Theiler posted:

Deepest sympathy for the loss of your dear mother. from Susan Scurlock Theiler

September 20 at 6:20 PM



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BS

Betty Lou Schiedenhelm posted:

I remember meeting Aunt Rose & Uncle Sam when I was 17...although we are not related by blood they have always been part of my family. My former in-laws are Dan & Catherine Pihlkar ...Dan & Rose met when they worked at coke cola in New York when they were 20something and had remained friends for a lifetime. As a matter of fact we all moved here because they were here and shared with us what a wonderful place Lewes Delaware is to live. I have been here for 30 years now. They have always been loving people to everyone & a positive to everyone's life that they have ever met. Sam use to go watch my sons Daniel & Jason Pihlkar wrestle at the school and encourage & support them and me. I would see them at Happy Hours with many friends always lots of laughter going on; they are special people and the world is less of a place because of their passing. I love you both with all my heart; you will always be thought of with love. May god hold you dear to his heart. I am sure they are happy to be together in heaven. Maureen, if there is anything I can do please call me 302-430-7558 & leave a message I will get right back to you. God Bless you & your family. Love Bettylou

September 18 at 9:13 PM

JO

Julia Ortiz posted:

We're so grateful for everyone who has reached out in person and online with their condolences. I have many happy memories of my grandmother and her spinach balls - here is the recipe for all who have asked. - JuliaSpinach Balls 2 10 oz. packages chopped spinach (thawed and drained) 4 large eggs 1 cup grated onion ¼ cup parmesan cheese ¼ cup melted butter ½ tsp. salt ½ tsp. dried thyme leaves ¼ tsp. pepper ¼ tsp. nutmeg 2 ½ cups herb seasoned stuffing (1 cup ground very fine) Beat eggs slightly and add the rest of the ingredients, butter last. Form into golf ball size balls and bake at 350 degrees until done (they should be a little crispy, about thirty minutes).

September 18 at 7:17 AM

NW

Nadine Wick posted:

Although neighbors, I didn't know Rose very well but everytime I asked her if our group could put a sign in her yard to fight overdevelopment, she was always more then willing. I know she was a gracious lady. She'll be missed, nadine wick

September 16 at 6:48 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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