



Sandra Ruth Pappas

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Sandra Ruth Pappas, age 71 of Lewes, DE passed away on Saturday, September 29, 2018, at Beebe Healthcare, in Lewes, DE. She was born on August 15, 1947 in Washington, DC, daughter of the late Charles H. and Ruth (Shields) Ferry.

Mrs. Pappas worked full time for the Beebe Tunnell Cancer Center. Her family extends their sincere thanks, appreciation and gratitude to all of her friends and coworkers there who loved and supported her. In her spare time, Mrs. Pappas' enjoyed cruising and traveling.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. Pappas was preceded in death by her husband, Nicholas W. Pappas. She is survived by her daughters: Vicki L. Pappas (Martin Seligh), Jamie L. Pappas, and Cassie N. Battiste (John Battiste); her grandchildren: Cory M. Balderson, Kyle R. Balderson, Nicholas T. Balderson, Dani N. Clark, Stevi L. Clark, Jesse T. Clark, and Jason M. Battiste; her great grandson, Jaxon W. Mulgrew; and three sisters and one brother.

Graveside Services will be held on Saturday, October 6, 2018 at 12:00 PM at Rock Creek Cemetery, 201 Allison Street NW, Washington, DC 20011.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in Mrs. Pappas' name to the Beebe Tunnell Cancer Center, 18947 John J Williams Hwy, Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971.

Please sign Mrs. Pappas's online guest book located in this site.

FLORIST NOTE: PLEASE HAVE ALL FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS DELIVERED TO PARSELL FUNERAL HOMES, LEWES, DE BY 3 PM, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2018.



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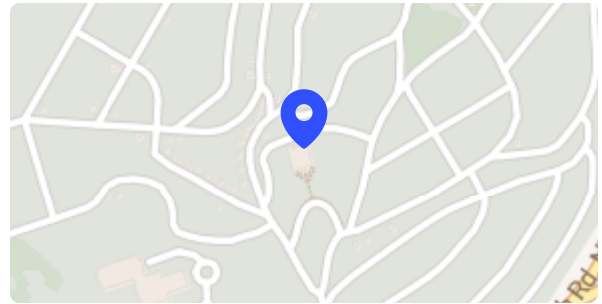
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 12:00 PM ET

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Tribute Wall

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MC

Mary Curry posted:

Sandy was my best friend from before Kindergarten when we were growing up in Silver Spring, Maryland. In grade school we spent many hours riding bikes and exploring the neighborhood. Sandy was a great and loyal friend. I am so sad to learn today that she died last September. My deepest condolences to her family and friends. From Mary Curry on Evans Drive

January 11 at 9:34 AM

TH

The Heinickes lit a candle in honor of Sandra.



October 8 at 7:01 AM

TD

Teri Dolan posted:

Sandy lived life to the fullest. She was an adventurous spirit!...I'll miss her ...My Prayers are with her lovely family...

October 5 at 7:18 AM

SM

Silvana Maio lit a candle in honor of Sandra.

I had the immense fortune to have Sandy as my mentor at Tunnell Cancer Center. With patience (a lot of it, since I asked so many questions!), with sincere desire to make me the best employee TCC could have, she trained me and shared with me everything she knew. She truly wanted me to thrive and grow, and that's what I did. She was a beautiful example to follow. She was always the last one to leave, she worked so hard to make sure nothing would be missed on the clerical side of our job. What an inspiration she has been to me and I am sure, to everyone else at TCC. We shared the love for Greece and almond cookies. I am glad I got to see her and give some from my latest trip to Italy. Like others have said, she loved her family with all of her heart and I loved to hear the anecdotes about her last cruise or what her grandsons or daughters were doing. What I am today, my work ethic, the need to try and always do the right thing, I owe to her. I will miss her so much. Thank you, Sandy, for being a wonderful coworker and friend.



October 2 at 9:11 AM



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PC

Patti R Cornell posted:

I will miss seeing Sandy leave for work during my morning walk with my dog, Charlie. Always friendly to neighbors and I admire her for continuing to work to find her numerous trips. She will be missed by all. Patti Cornell. 20 Aintree Drive, Chapel Green

October 4 at 10:20 AM

DC

Donna Carolan lit a candle in honor of Sandra.



October 4 at 4:41 AM

DP

Doris Person lit a candle in honor of Sandra.



October 3 at 3:16 PM

JE

Jean posted:

To the family of Sandy the community of Chapel Green sends our deepest sympathy. Sandy was a valuable member of our community, she will be deeply missed by all who knew her. Jean Rothenburger

October 3 at 2:39 PM

SM

Sue Mundy posted:

Such a loss - My prayers go out to all of the family and loved ones. She will be very missed, may she rest in peace.

October 3 at 2:13 PM



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Marie Michael lit a candle in honor of Sandra.



October 3 at 1:40 PM



Marie Michael October 3 at 1:44 PM

Sandy was a beautiful full of life person who I had the honor of knowing. I had a car accident last year and came close to being up there waiting for Sandy to arrive. But it wasn't in the cards for me yet. She was a special co worker who I wished I had the opportunity of saying one last goodbye to. But I know we will meet again. Take care and keep the rest of us in line Sandy. God bless you.....Love Marie



Lorraine Anderson posted:

Sandy and I go back 70 years. She was my oldest dearest friend. Even though we lived on opposite sides of the country we would pick up right where we left off. We were planning a big trip together in April 2019. I will miss her smile and laugh that filled all with joy. All I can think is that Nick missed her terribly and talked God unto bringing her home way too early. She loved her family, children, grandchildren sisters and brother so much, I will miss you so much, love you, Susie

October 3 at 9:52 AM



Melanie Hudson lit a candle in honor of Sandra.

Sandy has touched so many lives here at the Cancer Center, our lives and so many of our patients lives, many who will never know just how hard she worked for them to get the care they received. We will miss our dear friend and colleague, her laughter and awesome spirit can never be replaced. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all, we light a pink candle for Sandy in honor of breast cancer month and all the lives she touched. Thank you for sharing this beautiful picture. Melanie, Kim and Lisa TCC Radiation Nurses



October 3 at 9:37 AM



Sandra Coyle posted:

Sandy was the first neighbor I met when we moved to Chapel Green, so friendly, helpful and encouraged me to start the community breakfast up again. With much help, it has become a hit. I will always miss talking to her out our back doors. God's Blessings to her family she was a special lady. Sandee and Jim Coyle

October 3 at 7:16 AM



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AB

Alygia Blank lit a candle in honor of Sandra.

There are not enough kind and beautiful words to describe Sandy. She always had a smile on her face that only grew bigger when speaking of her family and her travels. She was so compassionate about her job and truly loved her co-workers. My memories are full of her spirited laugh and infectious smile. My prayers go out to her family and I can only hope that knowing how much of an impact she made on all she came in contact with will bring them peace and comfort. Forever in my prayers. Alygia Blank



October 3 at 7:04 AM

SR

Sharon Ruscansky posted:

Our prayers and thoughts go out to Sandy's family. May she rest in peace. Sharon & Jack Ruscansky (Chapel Green neighbors)

October 3 at 6:37 AM

AC

Annette Cornell posted:

Sandy was one of the first people I met when I moved to Chapel Green. She has always been so friendly and helpful. When my husband was receiving treatment at the cancer center, she came and talked to us and wanted to make sure we were being treated well. She will truly be missed and I am just shocked to hear of her passing.

October 3 at 6:29 AM

RG

Roseann Gibbs posted:

I'm going to Miss Sandy and our mahjong nights together, she will always be remembered as a good friend. My deepest condolences to the family.

October 3 at 6:04 AM



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Karen Mayercsik posted:

Sandy immediately became family upon working at the Cancer Center. She was friendly, pleasant, compassionate, empathic and as Dr. Costleigh always said has an 'amazing work ethic". Sandy basically had every good attribute available to man! She loved all the get-togethers, parties and celebrations with her fellow employees, She absolutely adored her family and we can all remember the joy in her face as she told stories and showed pictures of them all. She liked the slots and I truly believe she unlocked the key to winning on them. She was quite the 'social butterfly' and lover of cruise ships. When she walked into our office, she put a smile on my face. I don't think anyone will ever fill her shoes and I am already missing her. I pray that our Lord and Savior can bless the family with peace and comfort during this difficult time.

October 3 at 5:04 AM



Pat & Vic Guempel (Chapel Green) posted:

Condolences to the family. May she Rest in Peace...

October 3 at 4:24 AM



Rebecca Anderson (Chapel Green) lit a candle in honor of Sandra.



October 3 at 2:22 AM



Rebecca Anderson (Chapel Green) October 3 at 2:23 AM

Prayers for her family



Gloria Leary posted:

So sorry for your loss and your families loss. Sandy ran the social club in ChapelGreen for a number of years that's where I got to really know her then reconnected with her to play mahjong. It was truly a shock. Prayers for all of you . Gloria Leary

October 2 at 6:30 PM



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TB

Tina Balderson posted:

We are deeply saddened Hy the news of Sandy's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Tina and Dave Balderson

October 2 at 3:06 PM

ST

Stephanie lit a candle in honor of Sandra.

What fun spirit Sandy was, at work and outside of work! She will be missed dearly - I've got some wonderful memories documented in the form a pictures, from some years ago - out gallivanting through Rehoboth! So much love and prayers go to Sandy, and her family. Steph



October 2 at 11:22 AM

SD

Susan Dodge posted:

I worked with Sandy, at Tunnell, since early 2007. I am one of the computer support staff here. I never minded her coming to me with a problem, as she was so kind and so much fun. Missing her...

October 2 at 10:36 AM

TF

The Balderson Family sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Pappas family.



October 2 at 9:11 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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