



Roberta Catherine Maykrantz

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FLORIST NOTE: PLEASE HAVE ALL FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS DELIVERED TO GRACE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH AT 12:30 PM ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 24, 2019.

Roberta Catherine Maykrantz, nee Walsh, age 82, of Seaford, DE, passed away at Delaware Hospice Center in Milford, DE on July 20, 2019. She is survived by her husband of 65 years, Walter Maykrantz; three children, Kellie Bergen (Edwin), Glenda Roberts and George Maykrantz; five grandchildren: Erin Rice (Judy), George Roberts (Camilla), Rhiannon Combs (Daniel), Danielle Molnar (Ethan) and William Wallace; and three step-grandchildren: Edwin R. Bergen (Holly), James Bergen (Nicole), and John Bergen (Sabrina). She is the great grandmother, GIGI, to 19 blessings who have added joy to her life. Janice Williams (Michael) of Smyrna, DE, who is lovingly referred to as her baby sister, also shares her memory. Other surviving family includes nieces and nephews: Colleen Jacobs, Kathy Moore, Kevin Patrick, and Matthew Walsh.

Roberta is predeceased by her parents, Robert and Orla Walsh and sister, Dorothy Patrick, brother in law, George Patrick, and niece, Laura Patrick.

After graduation from Chamberlain High School in Washington, DC, Roberta enjoyed a career in the printing industry which included National Publishing Co, McCall's Printing, Judd and Detweiler, Shenandoah Valley Press, and Editors Press. Her love for music spreads through collecting 78's and 45's to singing karaoke, the glee club and church choir. Blue Grass, especially The Country Gentleman, and Hank Snow were her favorites. Between her exposure to printing playbills and love of music, taking her children on outings to the Kennedy Center for a treat was a life highlight. Always joiners, Walter and Roberta belong to camping clubs including The Road Runners who had their own live band and the Masonic camping club, and the Square Riggers. Redskin football and NASCAR racing were also family traditions.

Roberta served as secretary for many years for the Seaford Elks Lodge and was their ENF Chair. She has had 50 years in the American Legion Auxiliary, most in Cheverly, MD, Post 108, recently at William T Spooner, Post 17, in Lewes, DE.



Obituary

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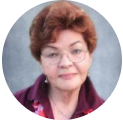
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Roberta served as a choir member, created the church directory and newsletter and was co-chair for the SPARC at Grace U.M.C for 15 years. She served as an officer for the local AARP chapter as well as doing taxes for AARP members.

A celebration of life will be held at Grace United Methodist Church, 7 S. King Street Georgetown, DE 19947 at 1:00 PM on Wednesday, July 24, 2019. A luncheon and time for visiting will follow in the Marvel building at the church.

In lieu of flowers please send donations to Grace United Methodist.

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



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Deliver Flowers by



Wednesday, July 24, 2019

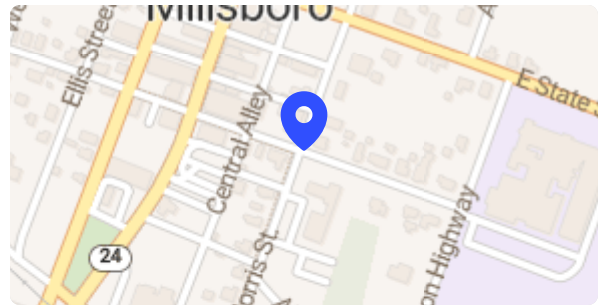


12:30 PM ET



Grace United Methodist Church

330 East Church Street, Millsboro DE 19966





Tribute Wall

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Jane Whaley lit a candle in honor of Roberta Catherine.



July 24 at 6:49 AM



Jane Whaley posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you, Kellie and family, at this difficult time Cherish the memories She is a beautiful angel RIP Roberta

July 24 at 6:49 AM



Dave And Nadine Roberts And Family sent an Enchanted Cottage to the Maykrantz family.



July 24 at 6:07 AM



Leah lit a candle in honor of Roberta Catherine.

I met Roberta while working at Judd & Detweiler and then ironically met Glenda at Newsletter Services and became fast friends...even though it has been many years, I was able to visit with Roberta time to time when seeing Glenda. Roberta was a smart, sensational conversationalist, and an all-around good person. The world is a lesser place now that she is gone but heaven has gained a beautiful angel - until we meet again...



July 23 at 2:37 PM



Anonymous sent a Country Basket Blooms to the Maykrantz family.



July 23 at 1:47 PM



Michael & Melissa Mulligan sent a Florist Choice Bouquet to the Maykrantz family.



July 23 at 12:16 PM



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JB

John Battista posted:

I first met Roberta when we coworkers around 1975 @ Judd & Detweiler. I spent a lot of time with this lovely person and remained friend with her for the last 44 years. Her friendship and smiling face will be dearly missed and remembered. My thought go out to Walter and Glenda. Roberta was special.

July 23 at 10:47 AM



Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Maykrantz family.



July 23 at 10:00 AM

KM

Kathleen Moore lit a candle in honor of Roberta Catherine.

My thoughts and Prayers are with you all at this time 🙏🙏🙏 love to you all ♡ Aunt Roberta ❤️ we love you and will miss you ♡ I know you make a Beautiful Angel as you were a beautiful person ❤️



July 23 at 3:26 AM

CO

Colleen ? posted:

Love you Aunt Roberta ❤️ Uncle Walter, Kellie, Glenda, George & rest of family just know your in my thoughts & prayers....

July 22 at 6:21 PM

JG

Janice Groves posted:

So very sorry for your loss, I remember Roberta from Editors Press. We worked in different departments whenever she came though the bindery she would stop to say hello and chat for a few minutes. Love and prayers to your family. Janice Groves

July 22 at 6:01 PM



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SH

Sherry posted:

It is difficult to sum up a special person in a few sentences that has been in and out of my life for fifty years. Funny thing is I don't remember ever calling her by her name. She was and is always "Kellie's Mom" to me. I remember our adventures in her car, her sauerbraten, and her defending me and staying by my side when several people turned their backs. I remember when she quit smoking and wanted to hit me for not giving her a cigarette when Erin was born. Lol. She thanked me later. I'll miss her red hair, blue eyes and personality lighting up the room. I hope her and my dad are enjoying a drink and a laugh together in heaven. Sherry

July 22 at 5:20 PM

KB

Kellie Bergen July 22 at 5:45 PM

Sherry. I felt every memory and knew each event you recalled. Thank you.

MJ

Melissa Jakotowicz posted:

My prayers go out to her family

July 22 at 4:57 PM

MJ

Melissa Jakotowicz posted:

She was such a godly women and a blessing she will be missed by so many. she always made me feel welcome at church..i will miss u she always was there and had postive saying. And such a postive person. I know she up in heaven singing and being so postive .god gain amazing angel she will be missed bt so many

July 22 at 4:55 PM

RF

Roberta Lea Filleaux July 23 at 2:00 PM

Kellie I am so sorry for your loss. Please know my prayers are with you during this difficult time. Love & Prayers Bobbie Filleaux

KW

Kim Wilson` July 23 at 7:32 AM

Kellie I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Kim Wilson

KB

Kellie Bergen July 22 at 5:47 PM

Thank you.



Memories only last if you share them

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



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