



Mrs. Josephine F. Lilly

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79, of Seminole formerly of St. Petersburg, passed away peacefully on 12/25/09 at Hospice House Woodside. Born in Philadelphia, PA, she graduated from Friends Select School, class of 1949 and attended Drexel Institute of Technology. She met and married John S. Lilly, MD in 1956. They lived in Toledo, Oh for 14 years and then moved to St. Petersburg. Jo was active in many school projects, Board member of the Science Center, President of Bowling League of PARC at Skyway Bowl, Vice President of Maximo PTA, and a volunteer to many other organizations. She was the Social Director at Sea Towers Condominium and retired after 20 1/2 years of employment. She was preceded in death by her husband, John Lilly; her son, James; and a sister, Anastasia Hartley. She is survived by her beloved son, Jeff Lilly and his lovely wife, Carlie, of Seminole and a brother-in-law, Edwin Lilly, MD., of Panama Beach, FL. A celebration of life will be held at 11 AM on Wednesday 12/30/09 at Memorial Park Funeral Home - 5750 49th ST. N. St. Petersburg, FL 33709. In lieu of flowers, family suggests donations to Suncoast Hospice Foundation - 5771 Roosevelt Blvd Clearwater, FL 33760.



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CD

Cindy Dearmit posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. My prayers and thoughts are with you both.

July 31 at 3:10 PM

EV

Elizabeth (Lilly) Varanese posted:

Dear Jeff and Carlie, Aunt Jo was truly a special person. I have a lot of memories of her kindness and spirit during our family visits to Florida, and during your family trips to Ohio. Although I see you only rarely, know that your family is frequently in my thoughts, and especially now at this very difficult time. Love, Beth

December 31 at 10:09 AM

PR

Pamela And Raven posted:

Ms Lilly was a wonderful woman. Always smiling, always polite while still speaking her mind, full of experiences and a wonderful listener. I wish my daughter and I had spent more time with her. She was cheerful and generous until her passing, and I hope I can gain the same outlook when it is my turn.

December 30 at 4:54 AM

MH

Mary L. Hosmer posted:

My heartfelt sympathy in the loss of your mother. When mothers leave they leave such a void in our heart. May the memories you cherish help you in the days ahead. God's love will see you through. I will truly miss her. She was so very special. With love and sympathy. Mary Hosmer

December 29 at 9:09 AM

SA

Sue (Lilly) Andorfer posted:

Jeff and Carlie- My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. I have such fond memories of Aunt Jo and especially looked forward to her Christmas cards every year. This year's I will keep and treasure forever. Her smile always lit up the room, I wish we could have spent more time together. She was a lovely lady and had a beautiful spirit, we are all blessed to have had her be a part of our lives. She will be truly missed but now is in God's arms forever. Love to you both, Susie

December 29 at 8:09 AM



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KT

Kris (Lilly) Thomas posted:

Jeff and Carlie, My thoughts and prayers are with you in this difficult time. I have fond memories of your mother always smiling in her beautiful, bright flowered dresses. For a long time I associated palm trees with visiting Aunt Jo in St. Pete when I was young. Love, Kris

December 29 at 6:49 AM

BP

Bonnie Poynter posted:

Jeff and Carlynda, I know how much you are hurting right now. My thoughts and prayers are with you both. I know how hard it isto lose your mother. She has no more painnow and that is a blessing. God be with you both.

December 28 at 7:37 AM

AN

Anne posted:

Dear Jeff, Your mother was a pure "gift" not only to you but to all she befriended in life. She will be so very missed with her beautiful smile and loving heart. A friend such as her is found only once in a lifetime. Anne

December 28 at 5:26 AM

TF

Trish Barnard And Family posted:

Although I did not know Mrs. Lilly, I do know Jeff and Carlynda and they have been good friend for many years. Our prayers are with them in this time.

December 27 at 12:37 PM

MF

Millie Fernandez posted:

Dear Jeff, You already know how sorry I am for your loss. What you may not know is that I so love and respect you for being such a kind, loving and caring son. Jo was a special lady and I will miss her. Mil

December 27 at 8:18 AM



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MF

Mr. & Mrs. Richard Hoffman And Family posted:

Jo was a good friend for many years. She will be deeply missed. Will miss her free spirit. She was very giving, always thinking of others. Love and prayers to Jeff and Carlie. Keep in touch. Sincerely Dick and Evelyn Hoffman

December 27 at 6:39 AM

DG

Dawn And Steve Gowski posted:

OUR PRAYERS AND THOUGHTS ARE WITH THE BOTH OF YOU. MAY YOUR MEMORIES OF YOUR MOTHER BRING JOY TO YOU AS YOU ALWAYS REMEMBER HER LIFE. LOVE DAWN AND STEVE

December 27 at 5:50 AM

DK

David & Nancy Kahl posted:

Nan and I are here if u need us... Luv ya

December 26 at 7:37 PM

JM

John J Moore posted:

Very sorry Jones for your great loss!

December 26 at 5:42 PM

CL

Carlynda Lilly posted:

It was a honor to be her daughter n law - she will be forever in my heart and never forgotten - Carlie

December 26 at 4:01 PM

HM

Harry And Roseann Mead posted:

Our prayers are with you. May she rest in peace. We love you. Tia and Uncle Harry

December 26 at 3:47 PM



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December 26 at 3:44 PM

JL

Jeff Lilly posted:

Mom you will be forever in my heart. I loved you very much and will miss you. You were in my eyes the worlds greatest mom. I wish you nothing but love on your journey back home to God. Say hello to Dad and Jim and Aunt Nancy for me and I will see you when I return. Love you!!!

December 26 at 3:18 PM

TH

The Staff At Memorial Park Funeral Home posted:

We extend our condolences to Jeffry, Carlie, and the family at this most difficult time.

December 26 at 10:35 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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