



# **Bobbie Jean Fowler**

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**B**obbie Jean Fowler age 82, passed away Monday November 2, 2020 due to complications from Parkinson's. She was born March 7, 1938 to Charles E. and Mary E. Morton in St. Petersburg, FL. She was an only child until she was 9 when her sister Nina Jo was born followed by her sister Betty Ann the following year. Her first job was at Webb's City where her father was a Vice President. She graduated from St. Petersburg High School in 1956 and married Joseph C. Phelps the same year. Daughter Jody was welcomed in 1958 followed by son Charles in 1959. Son John was born in 1962 with the Christopher being born in 1965 to round out the family. She worked at Florida Power and in 1976 became a single mom. She married Marty Fowler in 1981 giving us a blended family. She welcomed Mark, Sean, and Jill as her own. She obtained her AA degree from St. Petersburg Junior College in 1990 at the age of 52. After retiring from Florida Power, she worked for a few years at Wallace Welch and Willingham. She was diagnosed with Parkinson's in 2005. She fought this disease with grace and dignity and was a true inspiration to her family and all who knew her. Mom made friends wherever she went and was loved by many. She stayed strong due to her faith in God letting us take comfort in knowing that her faith never left her no matter how bad her health got. She was loved, she will be missed but never forgotten. She was predeceased by her parents Charles E. and Mary E. Morton, brother-in-law Michael Tomasieski; step son Mark, granddaughter Paige. She is survived by her husband Marty, sisters Nina, Betty (Billy) , daughter Jody (Glenn), sons Charles (Lisa), John (Lisa), and Chris (Kim), step son Sean, step daughter Jill (Jeff). She is survived by her grandchildren Autumn, Joshua, Alysha, Ashley, Morgan, Nolan, Hilary, Brad, Greg, Valerie, Mike and Carolyn. Also, her great grandchildren Hunter, Madelyn, Chloe, Anabelle, Janelle, William, Oliver, Noah, Madeline, Emma, Reece and Max. She also leaves behind many nieces and nephews as well as friends at Magnolia Gardens. A visitation is planned for Saturday, November 14, 2020 from



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10:00 am until 11:00 am followed by a memorial service at 11:00 am at Memorial Park Funeral Home, St. Petersburg.

In lieu of flowers expressions of sympathy may be made to Parkinson's Foundation for research.

To view the memorial service online go to the photos and videos tab and click on webcast at 11:00 am EST. If you have any questions please feel free to call the funeral home.



# Events


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## Visitation

 **Saturday**, November 14, 2020

 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET


 **Memorial Park Funeral Home and Crematory**  
5750 49th Street North, St. Petersburg FL 33709



## Memorial Service


 **Saturday**, November 14, 2020


 11:00 AM ET

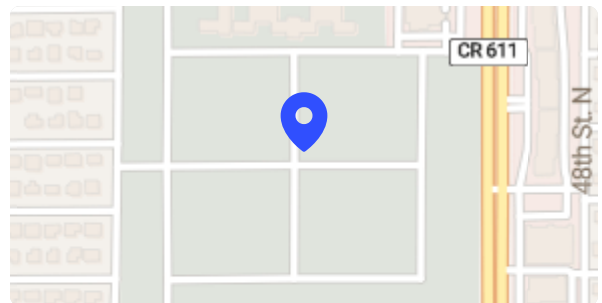
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## Cemetery Details

 **Memorial Park Cemetery**  
5750 49th Street North, St. Petersburg FL 33709

 **(727) 369-8228**





# Tribute Wall

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**Memorial Park Funeral Home** shared a **Webcast Video**.



November 9 at 9:11 AM



**Ashley Phelps** posted:

My grandma was a beautiful soul and always had a smile on her face whenever I saw her. She always called me when there was a storm headed towards New Orleans (Where I live) to make sure I was safe. I'll miss our phone calls and I'll miss her "Oh Hi Honey's". I couldn't have asked for a better grandma and I know that my dad is who he is because of her. I couldn't thank her enough for raising him to be the dad he is. She always stayed positive even when she was suffering and that is a true testament to her character. I love you, I'll miss you forever, and I'm glad I'll have another guardian angel looking down on me.

November 14 at 8:01 AM



**Ashley Phelps** shared an album called **The Life of Bobbie Jean**.



November 5 at 3:17 AM



**Stella Whitlock** posted:

Bobbie Jean you were a very special person and a great friend. We met in 1956 so it has been a long and loving friendship. Frank and I will never forget all the good times we had with your family. Sitting around the table for hours just visiting and having a good time. Thanks for all the great memories and oh how I'm going to miss our phone visits. Thanks for being my friend, you are going to be missed. So long for now until we meet again. Love, Stella and Frank ♥

November 13 at 8:08 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Fowler family.



November 10 at 5:12 PM



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**Susie Ferraioli** posted:

Bobbie was a kind, loving and beautiful lady. She was one of my best friends. I enjoyed the many talks we had about life. She has a wonderful and loving family who were very kind to me. I will have many wonderful memories of her. Love you Bobbie, Prayers for the family.

November 10 at 2:27 PM

KN

**Kim Nolen** posted:

My beautiful Aunt Bobbie connected with me because we loved so many of the same things - little knick knacks that now adorn my house. But what I admired most about her was her perseverance, strength, and intelligence. Every time we got together, I would look over her book shelves, at the range of things that interested her, and think to myself how much I admired her. She was smart and witty and intelligent and yet so down to earth and humble. I will miss you so, Aunt Bobbie and I'm happy that you are free from the mental and physical chains of Parkinson's Disease.

November 5 at 5:38 PM

NT

**Nina Jo Morton Tomasieski** posted:

Heaven has gained another Angel. Thank you my beautiful sister for 73 years of love, laughter and sisterly friendship. I will miss you terribly, and I will see you in my heart until we meet again. Soar like the eagles in heaven! I love you dearly.

November 5 at 3:17 AM



## Media

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November 9 at 9:11 AM





**Ashley Phelps** shared 12 photos to the **The Life of Bobbie Jean** album.

November 14 at 7:00 AM



**Bobbie Jean with her sisters Nina and Betty**



**Bobbie Jean with her Parents**



**Bobbie Jean with her Mother**



**Bobbie Jean**



**Media**

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Bobbie Jean with her granddaughter Ashley



Bobbie Jean with her great grandkids  
Chloe and Janelle





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Bobbie Jean, Jody, Chuck, John, and Joe



Bobbie Jean with her kids and grandkids



## **Memories only last if you share them**

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



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