



Emiko Murano Grzesik

February 19, 1931 - March 10, 2023

Emiko Murano was born in Tokyo, Japan on February 19, 1931. She met Joseph Grzesik when he was a contractor working for RCA in Japan in the 1950's. They married in 1957 and came back to Central Falls, Rhode Island where Emiko became a US Citizen. They started their family and moved to Rome, NY and then Glenn Dale, MD where they finished raising their three children.

Emiko was a talented artist, seamstress, knitter and crocheter. She created and sold beautiful Japanese silk pictures and made many crocheted and knitted family heirlooms. She loved to visit her family in Japan and enjoyed traveling as much as she could, visiting Thailand, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Hawaii and many places in the United States. She worked at Japan Food Corporation (JFC) for many years and made many lifelong friends there.

She was preceded in death by her husband Joseph Grzesik in 2003 and 6 of her siblings: Syozou Murano, Mitsunaga Murano, Sigeo Murano, Yasuko Yukawa, Miyoko Murano, Isamu Ikeda.

She is survived by her two sisters in Tokyo Japan, Itsue Morohoshi and Tomie Furuie, along with her three children: Stephania Papi (Keith), Anthony (Sandra) and Christine Costa (Steve), 8 grandchildren, 5 great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

The family will have a private celebration of life.

Tribute Wall



“ *Emiko Murano Grzesik*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *My sincerest condolences to the family. Though I never met her, I know that she was a wonderful woman who was very loved. I know this from the wonderful son she raised, Tony Grzesik. I will keep the family in my prayers. Much love to you all*

Atlene Brooks - March 30, 2023 at 02:05 AM



“ *3 files added to the album Mom's life*



Tony Grzesik - March 28, 2023 at 05:49 PM



“ *Enjoyed visiting with Emeko, she had such a nice smile. Pleasant personality. Enjoyed the few Japanese words we shared.*
Love,
Lemar and Carol Ford

carol ford - March 24, 2023 at 05:17 PM

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“ 7 files added to the album *Mom's life*



Tony - March 24, 2023 at 04:16 PM

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“ *She will be missed at Heartland House*

Virginia Perry - March 19, 2023 at 02:04 PM