



Virginia Funk

August 29, 1926 - June 14, 2020

Virginia Funk (née DeSesa) passed away peacefully at Encore at Turf Valley in Ellicott City, Maryland on June 14.

She was born in The Bronx, New York on August 29, 1926. She was preceded in death by her husband, John N. Funk, Jr.

John and Virginia were married on December 28, 1946 at St. Dominic's Church in The Bronx. Over the years they lived in Arbutus, MD, Louisville, KY, Lawrenceburg, IN, Darien, CT, St. Michaels, MD, and Easton, MD. They also had a second home in Ocean City, MD for many years. They made many life-long friends along the way. Virginia worked previously as a part-time bank teller in Arbutus and Louisville. She loved sewing, interior decorating and the New York Yankees. She was a fabulous cook and passed down many Italian recipes including her famous coffee cake to her daughter-in-law Barbara. She is survived by her sons, John III (Barbara), and Jim (Elizabeth). She loved her two grandchildren, Carly (Evan) and Kelsey, who brought her much happiness and joy.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St. Joseph's in Cordova, MD.

The ceremony will be private.

Memorial donations in lieu of flowers can be made to: St. Vincent de Paul Society, 29533 Canvasback Drive, P.O. Box 783, Easton, MD 21601.

Tribute Wall



“ *Virginia Funk*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Virginia Funk*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Virginia Funk*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *My grandmother, Dorothy Mann, asked me to share her condolences with the family. She and her late husband John, were both neighbors and good friends with Virginia and John, when they lived in Martingham. Our family is very sorry for you loss and is thinking of you.*



Michelle Koll - July 22, 2020 at 09:19 AM



“ *My deepest sympathy, I'm so sorry for your loss. May God bless Family & grant them peace of mind knowing that Virginia is at peace.
I met Virginia & very much enjoyed her company, when I was on a visit with Art & Narelle. Virginia was a very gracious lady.
Pat Rooke (sister to Art & Narelle).*

Patricia Rooke - June 19, 2020 at 05:28 PM

BS

“ I'm sad to hear of the passing of Mrs Funk. She was very blessed to live a long life; I will always remember her spunk and fiestyneess. I knew her for a short while, while doing her hair on a weekly basis. She always had such love and admiration for her 2 granddaughters. She loved her hot tea and a sweet treat to go with it (usually a piece of chocolate was preferable). She would often bring me gifts of chocolates or something to take home for my family. I will think of her yearly as I put the annual st michaels Christmas ornaments that she gave me as Christmas gifts on my tree at Christmas time. Thinking of your family during this time and hope that you are smiling and laughing over all the special memories and funny stories that you are sure to have had throughout the years.
Beverly Saathoff

Beverly Saathoff - June 17, 2020 at 02:55 PM

LN

“ Deepest sympathy on loss off your mother/ mother in law. She was a devoted mom and grandmother .
Laura Nable

Laura Nable - June 17, 2020 at 08:10 AM

SD

“ Virginia was a well known person at Londonderry. I found her to be very proud of the things she could do herself and not need help. We enjoyed having dinner with her. I missed her when she moved. May she rest in peace and condolences to her family.

sara davidson - June 16, 2020 at 04:57 PM

LC

Virginia has been missed since she left Londonderry. She had a wry wit and could come out with some zingers. She loved to tell stories about her travels with her husband. She made a mean Mint Julep for Kentucky Derby race day. She was devoted to her family and loved visits with them. Condolences to John and the family.

Lari Caldwell

Lari Caldwell - June 17, 2020 at 03:21 PM

AN

Narelle and I will miss you Mom and your humour...you were one of a kind! RIP and enjoy being together with Dad once more.

Art and Narelle - June 17, 2020 at 09:33 PM

LO

John and Barbara, we hope you have lots of Virginia's great recipes and will remember good times along with the good cuisine. We have visited with Virginia and the growing family from time to time over the years and we have seen your love, dedication and caring over and over again. You have been a giving son and daughter in law we all can admire.

Loretta and Mike

Loretta - June 18, 2020 at 11:59 AM