



Beverly A. Jensen

February 27, 1940 - February 6, 2017

Beverly A. Jensen, 76, of Leesburg, Florida passed away on February 6, 2017 after a long and valiant battle with cancer. She passed peacefully at home surrounded by family. She was born on February 27, 1940 in New Hampshire where she lived until meeting the love of her life, Charles Jensen. They were married October 3, 1959 and moved to New York City/Long Island to raise their 4 children. Her devotion to her family and her love of traveling kept her busy and filled her life with joy. She lived her life with a passion and joy that was contagious. She found a way to laugh often and find the best in everything and everyone. She cared for the people in her life and left a lasting impression on all the lives she touched.

Beverly is predeceased by her parents Stuart and Stella Carter. She is survived by her husband of 57 years, Charles, their children; Linda (Robert) Franklin of Rochester, NY, Lorie (Lowell) Benjamin of Rochester, NY, Lisa Manes of Medford, NY, Charles (Christine) of Pleasant Valley, NY. She is also survived by her sister Gail Bicknell, Step-mother Irene Carter, step-brother David (Catherine) Carter. She is predeceased by sister-in-law Joan Lovetro and survived by brother-in-law George Lovetro also of Leesburg, Florida. She has 8 grandchildren Jenny (Jack), Julie (David), Jillian (Peter), Justin (Colleen), Taylor, Autumn, Amelia and Charley, as well as 6 great-grandchildren Benjamin, Cole, Natalie, Theo, Tyler and Olivia. She also leaves behind many beloved cousins, nieces, nephews, and friends.

She is home with God and will be missed more than words can express. She will be laid to rest at Hillcrest Memorial Gardens. A Memorial Mass will be held at 8:30 AM on May 13, 2017 at St. Paul Catholic Church, Leesburg, FL.

Comments



“ Beverly, cousins are special, and you were one of a kind. I will always remember the too few times I enjoyed the pleasure of your company, with Nana, and especially your Aunt Milly, my mom. -- A visit from you just lit up Mom's world! You were always so easy to talk to, and you possessed the remarkable quality of making us laugh, so hard, all the while, maintaining such a serious face. I can't help but smile on the inside, remembering this extra special gift that is part of the legacy you are leaving behind. Your life was a blessing, and your memory is a precious treasure to your family and everyone who had the privilege of knowing you. -- Charlie, Gail and all of Beverly's family, may you all be comforted, daily, by loving memories. God bless you with His strength, His peace and His comfort for you. -- All Our Love, Sherry & Kieran

Sherry A. Landers - February 14, 2017 at 03:24 PM



“ I remember so much, beginning from when I was an extremely over-active toddler and my cousin, Bev, used to cradle my head and count the bumps thereon. At that time, I referred to her as "Bevy-Gail", probably not differentiating between her and her sister. During the ensuing years, I remember spending many Thanksgivings and some Christmases at Nana's with her and her family. I also had a few summertime adventures with her when she lived in Rye. After she got married, my family and I spent a few memorable days in NYC with her and Charlie. Then, many years passed, and we were not able to re-connect until a few years ago, at her house in Leesburg. I must say that during all those years that I knew and loved her, she changed so very little. She always had a quick wit and great sense of humor, she was always uber-organized and a hostess-with-the-mostess, and she was always so gracious and accommodating. Aging did nothing to her ready smile and her "laughing eyes". In fact, the only real change that I ever noticed was her strong Long Island accent -- and I found that strangely endearing!
Bev, you'll be missed, but never forgotten! Love, Brett & Jan

Brett Halvorson - February 14, 2017 at 01:21 PM



“ My dear cousin Beverly, I will always remember your loving generosity and low key sense of humor that was always comforting. I did not see you enough but my memories are precious. Thanksgiving at Nana's house. Thanksgiving at your house in Long Island ,at a particularly vulnerable time in my life. You and Charlie coming north to see us at Chickwolnepy in NH (and risking your life in riding with me in Grampa Percy's Model A). You and Charlie visiting me and the kids during that same vulnerable time . You and Charlie coming to our wedding and celebrating with us making it truly a memorable family affair. Thank you. You will be sorely missed. You leave a legacy of love and kindness. Love Scott and Sheila

Scott Halvorson - February 10, 2017 at 08:12 AM



“ Bev was a one-of-a-kind treasure to have as a friend and neighbor. She was always upbeat and especially courageous during her long illness. She and her beloved husband, Charlie, were both generous of spirit and generous in sharing their wonderful family with us. We will miss her dearly. Rest In peace, dear friend. Love, Pat and Patti

Patrick and Patricia - February 08, 2017 at 06:06 PM



“ "Your Word has been my comfort and a refuge when I'm weak, expressing feelings dear to me in words I cannot speak. Please build in me the faith and trust that Your Word does impart. And help me always know Your Love is greater than my heart."
Psalm 4:1
1 John 3:20

Lorraine Denson - February 08, 2017 at 11:56 AM