



Elizabeth J. Deak

August 29, 1932 - September 2, 2018

Saugerties ---Elizabeth J Deak died peacefully at home on September 2, 2018. She was 86 years old.

Liz was born on August 29, 1932 to Henry and Barbara “Betty” Seissler (Krines) and grew up in Queens. She married Ronald B Deak on October 17, 1953. She was a sixth grade teacher and a Realtor before successfully running a business for over 30 years, which most recently was named Wallpaper World, all while lovingly raising a family.

As the most caring and patient of people, she was a devout Roman Catholic, was an incredible cook, an avid tennis player, a talented decorator, and a whiz at playing Bridge. In retirement, she volunteered at her local hospital in different ways, and also manned a help line for pregnant teens in crisis.

Liz is predeceased by her husband who passed just six days before her. She is survived by five children, Suzanne and her husband Ludwig Wittig, Ronald, Jr. and his wife Leeann Deak, Dianne and her husband Thomas Hunt, Betsy and her husband Raymond Lastner, and James and his wife, Kristen Deak. She is also survived by six grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

A combined funeral for Liz and Ron Deak is planned. Friends may call Friday, September 7, from 3:00 PM until 5:00 PM and 7:00 PM until 9:00 PM at Buono Funeral Service, Inc., 100 Main Street, Saugerties, NY. A funeral procession will form at 9:15 AM on Saturday, September 8, 2018 at Buono Funeral Service, and then proceed to St. Mary of the Snow, located at 36

Cedar Street, Saugerties, where a 10:00 AM Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated. Interment will follow immediately at the St. Mary of the Snow Cemetery, Route 9W in Barclay Heights, Saugerties. Please offer your condolences for Liz and her family online at www.BuonoFuneralService.com. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to either the Alzheimer's Association at: <http://act.alz.org/donate> or NH Right To Life at: <http://donate.nhrtlpac.org>.

Cemetery Details

St. Mary of the Snow

3210 Route 9W
Barclay Heights
Saugerties, NY 12477

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 7. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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Visitation

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Mass of Christian Burial

SEP 8. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary of the Snow
Post & Cedar Streets
Saugerties, NY

Tribute Wall



“ Elizabeth J. Deak

October 20, 2022 at 08:34 PM



“ Dear Sue, Ron, Dianne, Betsy and James - So sorry to read about the passing of your parents. I look back with fondness of the time I worked at Wallpaper World. I'm remembering your dad patiently showing me how to mix custom paint colors and how to cut window glass; I'm remembering the trailer full of wallpaper (priced by the single but sold by the double); the 'how to hang pre-pasted wallpaper classes' Sue taught while I was pregnant with my first daughter. (If a pregnant lady can do it, so can you!) They were so kind and caring when my first baby was on the way. And that daughter is still using a mahogany dresser your mom gave me when they down-sized to the condo! Your parents were very classy people. It was an honor knowing them --- take care - Joanne McCullen (April 1984-September 1986).

JOANNE MCCULLEN - December 17, 2018 at 08:00 PM



“ Dear Ron and Family,
Everyone from Richards Funeral Home and
The W. C. Brady's Sons, Inc. Funeral Home
send you their deepest sympathy at this time
of your great loss.



Richard Vigilo - September 07, 2018 at 02:58 PM

BE

“ Liz and Ron, you were the Maid of Honor and Best Man at our wedding. George was the Best Man at your wedding the next weekend. Thirteen months later your first and our first child were born just 10 days apart. Those were great years and we shared so many good times together, visits, playing canasta, having fun with our children.

We will always remember you with love and prayers!

Barbara and George ENDRES

Barbara A Endres - September 07, 2018 at 03:00 AM

BE

“ Barbara A Endres purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Elizabeth J. Deak.



Barbara A Endres - September 07, 2018 at 02:35 AM

JB

“ Our condolences to the family. We met Liz in 1974 when she worked for Mary Scafidi Real Estate. Liz drove us around in her blue Dodge looking for the perfect house, and she helped us find it in Woodstock. We lived there happily for 38 years. Liz was always kind and patient and we were blessed to have known her. *Requiescat in pace.*

Adrienne and Jim Becker

James Becker - September 06, 2018 at 05:36 PM

JL

“ To the Deak family. We are sorry for your loss and wish to extend our Prayers and Condolences.
Old friends from Saugerties, Joyce and Frank Lauffer.

Joyce & Frank Lauffer - September 06, 2018 at 03:40 PM

SP

“ A full life that now rises tin eternal travels with her husband Ron.
Your family was blessed.
Salvatore Pusatere

Salvatore Pusatere - September 06, 2018 at 09:39 AM

NC

“ Dianne, I have wonderful memories of your parents. Sending my prayers your way.

Love, Nancy Houser Collins

nancy collins - September 05, 2018 at 05:22 PM

LF

“ Love and prayers, Liz Reimiller Felter & Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Elizabeth J. Deak.



Love and prayers, Liz Reimiller Felter & Family - September 05, 2018 at 12:44 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elizabeth J. Deak.*



September 05, 2018 at 09:26 AM



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“ *You were my big sister and I always looked up to you. You helped me in so many ways, some which no one will ever know. Mostly, just want to say I love you and thank you for being such a great sister.*
Barbara

Barbara Ross - September 04, 2018 at 09:45 PM



Dear Betsy,
I'm so sorry for your loses and I'm sure that they both knew how fortunate they were to have you as their child.
We miss you,
Chris

Chris Grady - September 06, 2018 at 08:51 AM