



Joyce M. Murphy

January 23, 1926 - July 24, 2012

Joyce M. Murphy (nee Knowles), 86, passed away peacefully at home on July 24, 2012. Born on January 23, 1926 to Mildred and Virgil Knowles in Winter Garden, Fl. She spent her youth in Jacksonville, Fl.

Joyce met the love of her life, George when he was stationed in Florida. They were married and he went off to fight in Europe during WWII. When he returned, they spent 70 wonderful years together.

Joyce shared her time between Deptford, NJ and the gulf coast of Florida. She treasured spending time with her family and her many friends. She enjoyed playing bridge and golf at the Woodbury Country Club where she excelled. Joyce was a woman of faith that spent countless hours working to establish the Most Holy Redeemer parish and school in Deptford. She gave of herself to the community as a school board member and as the “first female” school board president in Deptford Township. She also found time to support the Little League baseball and youth football athletic teams in Deptford.. Joyce was a strong-willed woman that left her mark on the community where she lived, and in the hearts of the people that she loved.

Beloved wife of George Frances Murphy of Deptford. Loving mother of Pamela McLaughlin (Robert) of Palmyra, Joyce Boody (Stan) of Wenonah, Patricia Watson (David) of Deptford and the late Timothy G. Murphy and infant son James. Grandmother of Marcella (Paul), Michael (Sharon), Daniel (Jenn), Meredith, James, Samantha and Alex. Great-grandmother of Brendan, Declan and Mackenzie. Predeceased by her sisters, Frances Foster, Marjorie Ellis

and her brother, Kenneth Knowles. Loving daughter-in-law of Marie Murphy. Relatives and friends are invited to visit with the family Saturday 10am to 11am at Holy Angels Parish at St. Patrick's Church, 64 Cooper St., Woodbury. Mass of Christian Burial 11am at the church. Interment New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to American Cancer Society, 1851 Old Cuthbert Rd., Cherry Hill, NJ 08034.

Tribute Wall



“ *Joyce M. Murphy*

November 27, 2022 at 03:45 PM



“ *Dear Pam and family I am so sorry for your loss. May your mother now rest in peace with the angels. JJ*

Joanna Johnson - August 02, 2012 at 09:10 AM



“ *We were so sad to hear of the passing of Joyce. She was a very kind, loving person. She never had a cross word to say about anyone. She was a great asset to the Murphy Family. Everyone loved her. We cherish the memories of our trips down the shore, the many family parties. We enjoyed spending time with Mrs. Knowles, Ken and the rest of Joyce's family. She will always be in our hearts with love. Pat & Ed*

Pat & Ed McGrody - July 28, 2012 at 10:24 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Joyce was very nice and she always had a smile on her face. She was always good to the Wood family.*

Barbara (wood)kealey - July 27, 2012 at 08:40 PM

MR

“ To Pattie and family,
I am so sorry for the loss of your mother. I have some good memories of our earlier years. My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.
Margie (Shaw) Rapkin

Margie Shaw Rapkin - July 27, 2012 at 10:34 AM

MM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time.
God Bless you.
Sincerely,
Mary Ann and Bill

Mr. and Mrs. William McCormack - July 27, 2012 at 08:43 AM

HF

“ Dear Joyce and family, Please accept my sincere sympathy on the loss of your Mother. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. Helen Fowler

Helen Fowler - July 27, 2012 at 06:52 AM

CM

“ John and I are very sorry to hear of the passing of Mrs Murphy. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the entire family .
Cheryl

cheryl and John Mclaughlin - July 26, 2012 at 05:54 PM

LD

“ Joyce M. Murphy

Lauren Dale - July 26, 2012 at 12:15 PM

EH

“ *Mr. Murphy & family, Our thoughts & prayers are with you at this sad time. We know Mrs. Murphy (Joyce) is with Our Lord in heaven. We have many happy memories of her. Lovingly, Ethel & Doug*

Ethel & Doug Hauser - July 25, 2012 at 10:22 PM