



Eva Fisch Desrosiers

June 10, 1930 - October 12, 2023

Passed away on Thursday, October 12, 2023 in Reston, VA. Beloved wife of the late Russell Desrosiers; cherished mother of James Desrosiers (Martha), Mary Ellen Desrosiers, Michael Desrosiers (Megan) and Michelle Desrosiers-Chavez; grandmother of 10; great-grandmother of 15, great-great grandmother of 1. She will truly be missed by family, friends and her neighbors at Stratford Park Place. Graveside service will be held at Columbia Gardens Cemetery, 3411 Arlington Blvd, Arlington, VA 22201 on Sunday, October 15, 2023 at 9AM with a Celebration of Life following at 10AM. Memorial contributions may be made to The United States Holocaust Memorial Museum at www.ushmm.org

Cemetery Details

Columbia Gardens Cemetery

3411 Arlington Boulevard
Arlington, VA 22201

Previous Events

Graveside Service

OCT 15. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MD

“ *Eva was a warm-hearted and dear colleague, with a ready smile, and eager to lend a helping hand. Her memory will be kept alive in my heart. With deepest sympathy, Martha Daza, Springfield, VA*



Martha Daza - October 15, 2023 at 08:40 AM

MC

Thank you for your words about my Mom.

Michelle Desrosiers Chavez - November 05, 2023 at 08:24 AM

GS

“ *Lit a candle in the memory of my dear friend*



Gladys Segal - October 15, 2023 at 07:34 AM

MC

Gladys thank you for your years of friendship with my Mom. It was wonderful that you came to see her earlier this year when you ran into other family members. All the best to you and your family. ❤️

MICHELLE DESROSIERS CHAVEZ - November 05, 2023 at 10:14 AM

GS

Michelle, it was a privilege to have your Mom's friendship. I have no words to convey what it meant to me to be her friend. In a fiercely competitive world, a true friend has been an amazing and uniquely rare gift.

Gladys Segal - November 25, 2023 at 01:26 PM

MF

“ *Matilde J Farren lit a candle in memory of Eva Fisch Desrosiers*



Matilde J Farren - October 14, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ *Oma Eva! Your kindness and generosity were immeasurable. I will always fondly remember the hospitality you gave to me and David whenever we visited. Your cooking skills were exquisite and delicious. I will miss our phone calls, our greeting card exchanges, but most of all, I will miss you. And no matter what, I will fulfill the promise you asked me to make. Rest peacefully, Oma. Te quiero con todo mi corazoncito.*



Darlene Campos - October 14, 2023 at 10:25 PM

XD

Dios le siga bendiciendo Darlene, Oma hablaba con mucho cariño de Usted

Xavier Desrosiers - October 16, 2023 at 05:48 PM

MC

Thank you Darlene. I am glad you and David got to see her earlier this year.

Michelle Desrosiers Chavez - November 05, 2023 at 08:26 AM

JJ

“ *Eva always came across to me as someone who, with a simple smile, expressed wisdom, joy, experience, and a lesson to share. It was a real honor to know you, Eva.*

JAMES W PLUNKETT III - October 14, 2023 at 04:46 PM

MC

Thank you for your kind words.

Michelle Desrosiers Chavez - November 05, 2023 at 08:27 AM

VB

“ *I don't remember exactly the day I met Eva and it surely was with many other interpreters, but I have many isolated memories of times spent with her. The most outstanding characteristic in my memory is her happy disposition. The eternal smile that greeted you whenever you saw her. She was good with jokes and double entendres, always looking for life's sunny, funny side. I always felt comfortable around her, because even when her knowledge and experience surpassed mine, she was never judgmental, always encouraging. I am sure she has left a warm, ever-joyful spot in the hearts of many. She definitely did in mine.*

Veronica Barzelatto - October 14, 2023 at 04:06 PM

MC

Thank you. She definitely was very loved.

Michelle Desrosiers Chavez - November 05, 2023 at 08:28 AM

MG

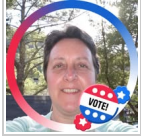
“ *Eva will always be remembered for her wonderful warmth and sense of humor that have left behind so many memories of shared laughter. It was a great privilege to work side by side with her, she was an incredible professional who set the bar high for all of us. Bright, kind, caring, there are so many words to describe her as a beacon for all of us she loved as a wife, mother, friend, and colleague. You will always be in my heart.*
Marta Sofia Goldstein

Marta Sofia Goldstein - October 14, 2023 at 03:44 PM

MC

Thank you.

Michelle Desrosiers Chavez - November 05, 2023 at 08:29 AM



“ I will miss Eva. She was the niece of Olga Fisch, whom my beloved mother, Renata Taube, helped with her folklore business in Ecuador, where they all had immigrated to escape the Nazis. I first met Eva and her husband Russ, and their family, in the early 1990s, I believe, when my family would go over to their house in Virginia for very fun pool parties. I will always remember them with fondness. Eva impressed me with her gregarious spirit. My heart goes out to her family and friends.



Vivian Taube - October 14, 2023 at 03:38 PM

MC

Thank you Vivian. ❤️

Michelle Desrosiers Chavez - November 05, 2023 at 08:30 AM

JC

“ There was always a twinkle of laughter, amusement, and a little mischief deep in eyes. She was always kind, never spoke ill of anyone. Strong, devoted and hard working, ever willing to put herself aside in service. So intelligent, so perceptive, and she had lived such a rich life, had so much experience. Hers was one of those souls whose kindness and bright outlook push away darkness and bring ever more light to those around her. It is a privilege to have know her. Eva, you will always be loved.

Jaime M de Castellví - October 14, 2023 at 02:41 PM

MC

Thank you, Jaime.

Michelle Desrosiers Chavez - November 05, 2023 at 08:31 AM

JC

“ Jaime M De Castellví lit a candle in memory of Eva Fisch Desrosiers



Jaime M de Castellví - October 14, 2023 at 02:33 PM

TS

“ Eva's kindness and generosity of spirit will always be my everlasting memory of her. When I first made the move to court interpreting, she was the only one of the "old guard" that encouraged and guided me, and I will be forever grateful. I thought of her as my "interpreting mother," and will always have her in my heart. .Rest in peace Eva, you had a well-deserved long and fulfilling life.

Teresa C Salazar - October 14, 2023 at 01:03 PM

GS

A colleague, a friend, an example. Eva graced us with her presence for Jewish Holidays. I learned about her bravery and her humility. To the very end she was graceful and funny and lovely. I will forever cherish hanging out with you in Reston this spring: a spirited walk in the company of your grand daughter and baby great grand daughter. Rest in peace my friend. You will never be forgotten.

Gladys Segal - October 14, 2023 at 05:46 PM

MF

A sharp wit, a mischievous sense of humor, an incredible memory right up to the end. A generous colleague, a true social being, a realist with her feet on the ground and a heart of gold. Happiness to share the home she made with Russ, as well as her incredible life history. Her delight in just being alive, together with her overflowing sense of gratitude for the blessings she received in life, setting aside the evil she must have felt so close. These are but a few of the feelings that come to me as I think of Eva. What a privilege to have known her. Descansa en paz, Eva.

Matilde J. Farren

Matilde J Farren - October 14, 2023 at 11:31 PM

MC

Gracias.

Michelle Desrosiers Chavez - November 05, 2023 at 08:33 AM