



## Florence Ruth Kostka

November 11, 1926 - March 25, 2016

Florence Ruth Kostka

Of Springfield, Virginia, passed peacefully on March 25, 2016. Preceded in death by husband of more than 50 years, Col. Bohuslav Kostka; mother of Peggy (Randy) Meyer, John (Leiny) Kostka, Bobbi (Greg) Treadwell, Steve (Lea) Kostka, and Jim (Theresa) Kostka; grandmother of 14 and great-grandmother of six; sister of Ruthie Johnson. Mass and a celebration of life will be held Thursday, April 28, 2016 at 10:30AM. Contributions in lieu of flowers may be made to: Alzheimer's Association, P.O. Box 96011, Washington, DC 20090-6011 or to St. Jude Children's Hospital, 501 St Jude Pl., Memphis, TN 38105.

# Tribute Wall



“ Florence Ruth Kostka

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October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



“ Though the years have passed every so quickly I remember the days the Fox kids and the Kostka kids, you Peggy, John, Bobbi, Steve and Jimmy, played together in each other's homes or in the neighborhood. The hours Bobbi and I would play cards and laugh. I remember Bobbi, how your Mom taught you how to make 'hospital corners' when putting clean linens on the beds. To this day I can still see your Mom going on her fast paced walks in the neighborhood and beyond. What a little bundle of energy she was. She said things like they were - I liked that about her. I'm sorry to say I won't be able to make the service but I will be remembering your Mom and all of you as you honor your Mom while your Dad welcomes her to her final resting place with him. Love to all of you.

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April 07, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ Peggy, John, Bobbi, Steve, and Jim, I have very fond childhood memories of being at your house and playing in your yard. I will always remember how your Mom was always welcoming to all of the neighborhood kids running around her house and yard. I will also remember all of the times she hosted us as cub scouts and the time we had a bonfire in the backyard. She was a fun lady and I am glad to have known her and to have had her in my life. My condolences to you for the loss. I am sure she is smiling happily in heaven now.

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April 07, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ I loved Aunt Florence. She never failed to send me a birthday card with a short, chicken-scratch note about my cousins and her garden. After I had Michael, she sent me Mother's Day cards also. I loved having her in Virginia to write to. She was a very special person and I am sad for myself and everyone left here without her. I know she is in a better place, now. She is home with Bo and my Dad and Alice. Rest in peace and love.

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March 30, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ Aunt Florence was a very special woman who provided many fond memories to me and my family throughout the years. Memories ranged from shoveling out the entire Martin Farm driveway with her during the blizzard of 1978, driving from Fort Bragg to her home in Springfield to visit her and Uncle Bo, listening to her fascinating stories of life as a military wife, to just sitting around reminiscing about old “Grandma Martin” stories. Aunt Florence lived a long and eventful life and will be missed by all.

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March 29, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ I had the pleasure of meeting Florence when I was working with the Older Adult Ministry at Grace Church, Springfield. She was one of our regulars at BUNCO and we all loved her! I feel very blessed to have known her.

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March 28, 2016 at 12:00 AM