



Louise Virginia Westgate

June 14, 1928 - April 6, 2022

Louise Virginia Humphries Westgate, age 93, of Alexandria, VA passed away peacefully on Wednesday, April 6th, 2022. Louise was born on Flag Day, June 14th, 1928 to the late George W. and Louise R. Humphries.

Louise grew up in Alexandria, VA where she met and fell in love with Ralph J. Westgate. They married on September 10th, 1948 and raised their 4 children in the Northern VA. Louise had an open door policy and all were welcome in her home whether family or friend. The home on Greendale Road held many barbeques, crab feasts and family wiffle ball tournaments. Louise especially loved children and spent summers watching her grandchildren grow up. Louise was an avid Bingo player and loved vacationing at the beach. She also enjoyed watching the Chicago Cubs, her daytime stories, an ice cold Budweiser and above all, her family.

Louise was predeceased by her beloved husband Ralph and two grandchildren, Tommy Westgate, and Jamie Westgate. Survivors include her children: Gary (Bev) Westgate of Stafford, VA, Debbie (Phil) Gaughf of Angier, NC, Wayne (Algene) Westgate (Swayzee, IN) and Ricky Westgate of Chester Gap, VA; eleven grandchildren and twenty three great grandchildren.

There will be a visitation at 10 am with a funeral service to follow at 11 am on Wednesday, April 13th, at Jefferson Funeral Home located at 5755

Castlewellan Drive, Alexandria, VA 22315. Following the service, graveside service will be held at Mount Comfort Cemetery at 6600 S. Kings Highway, Alexandria, VA 22306. After the service, all are welcome to a reception held at the Schulze Residence located at 14521 Chamberry Circle, Haymarket, VA 20169.

Previous Events

Viewing

APR 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Jefferson Funeral Chapel
5755 Castlewellan Drive
Alexandria, VA 22315
(703) 971-7400
info@jeffersonfuneralchapel.com
<https://www.jeffersonfuneralchapel.com>

Funeral Service

APR 13. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Graveside Service

APR 13. 12:00 PM (ET)

Mt. Comfort Cemetery
6600 South Kings Highway
Alexandria, VA 22306

Tribute Wall



“ Louise Virginia Westgate

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Louise Virginia Westgate.



April 12, 2022 at 11:36 PM



“ *To my old high school buddy, Wayne, and the rest of the family. It has been a long time since I saw your Mom (or you, for that matter!)-----and I cannot say that I knew her very well. But I do recall her as a very sweet, lovable-type with a sense of humor. Now I find out that she was also a Cubs fan (over the many years, to be a Cubs fan you HAD to have a good sense of humor). In any case, my sincere condolences to the entire extended family (including the many grand and great-grandchildren). I will keep your whole family in my prayers. You will, I am sure, find solace in the fact that she had a very long, wonderful and family/friend-oriented life!*

Mark Haas - April 12, 2022 at 11:21 PM

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“ Deb, Gary, Ricky, spouses, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Wishing each of you my condolences in the loss of your mom, mother-in-law and grandmother. I was lucky enough to become friends with Debbie in the 7th grade and spent many, many days, nights and years at the Westgate house with the family. Louise was like a mom to me and I loved her sense of humor "of course Deb would always bring out the best in her" and Gary was always in front of the mirror. I have so many wonderful memories of Louise and all of the family. She will be missed by all that had the pleasure of knowing her. RIP my dear Louise you will never be forgotten. Love, Sharon



Sharon Duckett - April 11, 2022 at 10:34 AM

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“ With love, Sharon Duckett purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Louise Virginia Westgate.



With love, Sharon Duckett - April 11, 2022 at 10:07 AM



“ Rainbow Reflections Basket was purchased for the family of Louise Virginia Westgate.



April 10, 2022 at 09:51 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Louise Virginia Westgate.*



April 10, 2022 at 03:27 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Louise Virginia Westgate.*



April 09, 2022 at 04:32 PM



“ *mrs. westgate was a longtime customer at the hayfield giant. always a sweetie, always a smile. i'm guessing that's how all 4 of her children turned out so nice! my condolences to all of the family.*

lynne gomez - April 08, 2022 at 04:06 PM



“ *Chuck & Deb Dunham and family purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Louise Virginia Westgate.*



Chuck & Deb Dunham and family - April 08, 2022 at 02:47 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Louise Virginia Westgate.*



April 08, 2022 at 01:53 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Louise Virginia Westgate.*



April 08, 2022 at 10:51 AM



“ *I will miss my Mother-in-law, especially her funny sayings, i.e, "You irritate my facilities. She loved to play poker and when she would win she would always say, "I got it on the last card." Bingo was a passion of hers also. Everyone knew her at the assisted living place because of Bingo. She would always win. She wasn't Irish but certainly had the luck, lol.
Love you Ma.
Bev*

Beverly Westgate - April 08, 2022 at 09:57 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Louise Virginia Westgate.*



April 08, 2022 at 09:25 AM

CG

“ *Crossroads Community Church Small Group purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Louise Virginia Westgate.*



Crossroads Community Church Small Group - April 08, 2022
at 02:56 AM

JK

“ *Deb, we are so sorry for the loss of your precious Mom. While I didn't know her personally, I could see all the family love from the pics you shared of her. I know she was so dear to you and all the family. I am praying you are comforted by the many wonderful memories and through God's mercy. May God Bless you and all the family. Much love and in prayer for you guys.*
Love, Joan and Curtis

Joan King - April 08, 2022 at 02:07 AM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Louise Virginia Westgate.*



April 07, 2022 at 10:08 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Louise Virginia Westgate.



April 07, 2022 at 04:17 PM