



Paula E. Kenney

March 24, 1946 - July 20, 2024

Paula E. Kenney (née Lawhorne), 78, passed away on July 20, 2024, in Alexandria, VA. Born on March 24, 1946, in Washington DC, she was a devoted and compassionate individual known for her loving nature and hardworking spirit.

Paula began her career at the Library of Congress and later transitioned to the legal field, working at various law firms before retiring from Watt, Tieder, Hoffar & Fitzgerald in 2006. Beyond her professional life, Paula was deeply committed to serving others. She was passionate about adopting families during the holidays and organizing winter coat drives for the less fortunate. Her favorite times were spent with her family, especially her grandchildren, with whom she shared many joyful vacations at the Outer Banks, cherishing moments spent crabbing or searching for shells on Pea Island.

She is survived by her children, Joseph Kenney and Jacqueline Lilly (Jim); grandchildren, Stephen Kenney, Sr. and Bethani Accatino (Jeff); great-grandchildren, Stephen Kenney, Jr., Faith Kenney, Kayla Barragan, and Elise Accatino; and siblings, Brenda Klepper (Johnny) and Jeffrey Lawhorne. Paula was preceded in death by her parents, Curtis and Gertrude Lawhorne; brother, Danny Lawhorne; and grandson, Jonathan Crowther.

A graveside service will be held on Saturday, August 17, 2024, at 10:00 am at

Mount Comfort Cemetery. Attendees are requested to arrive by 9:45 am.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Comfort Cemetery

6600 South Kings Highway
Alexandria, VA 22306

Previous Events

Graveside Service

AUG 17. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MP

“ Your mom had such a huge heart and welcomed all with open arms. I remember her kindness to me and Angell and the fact that she put up with our crazy antics and would still make me a sandwich was so flippin awesome
You all have another Angel warching over you as she is there in heaven with Jonathan
May the lord bless you with strength and love during this difficult time

melissa peckhaus - August 16, 2024 at 08:06 PM

JL

“ Jackie I am so sorry. I know it must be very difficult for you right now and my heart goes out to you. I know that words can never touch what you're feeling but just know that I'm thinking of you and you're in my heart

Joyce Lilly - August 16, 2024 at 08:58 AM

CB

“ Chris, Kathy, Joey and Marlene Brasco planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Paula E. Kenney.

Chris, Kathy, Joey and Marlene Brasco - August 13, 2024 at 12:53 PM



“ Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of Paula E. Kenney.



August 13, 2024 at 12:53 PM

EJ

“ *Jacki, I know there are no words that can ease your pain. Just know that I'll always be here for you no matter what. Sending healing prayers and comfort during this tough time. Love Ericka and Avery*

Ericka Johnson - August 13, 2024 at 09:57 AM

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“ *The PR team purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Paula E. Kenney.*



The PR team - August 13, 2024 at 09:52 AM