



Rosalyn Landres

August 8, 1932 - January 10, 2017

Norfolk - Rosalyn Landres, 84, daughter of Nathan and Frances Davidson, passed away peacefully on January 10th surrounded by family. She was preceded in death by her husband Ezra (Zeke) Landres of New York. She is survived by her four children, Julie Krachman and husband Al, Diana, Mark and husband Bryan, Jack and wife Lisa, and four grandchildren Natalie, Elyse, Alexa and Ellie.

Roz was born in Boston, Massachusetts and graduated from Boston University with a degree in English. She was a member of the drama club and through this developed a lifelong love of theater and opera. She went on to teach English and volunteered helping teach Granby Elementary students to read. Her passion for education led her to later establish the Ezra Landres Fund for Excellence in Education.

In 1955, Roz moved to Norfolk after marrying Zeke and joined Temple Israel where she was an active member for over sixty years in all aspects of the synagogue from the Sisterhood to the choir to the minyan. She served on the board of the Jewish Women's International, the Norfolk JCC, Young Audiences where she helped bring professional performing artists into schools, and the Board of the United Jewish Federation of Tidewater. She also served as President of Jewish Family Service, President of the Hebrew Ladies Charity, and was a lifetime member of Hadassah, Brandeis and B'nai B'rith Women.

Roz had a love of travelling and travelled the world including many trips to

Israel. Wherever she travelled she met and made friends and typically ran into people she knew! Her most recent summers were spent on Mackinac Island where she would celebrate the 4th of July with her son Jack, sending all of her grandchildren pounds of the Island's signature fudge.

Roz was a devoted wife, mother, aunt, great-aunt, grandmother and friend who will be missed dearly.

A private service will be held Friday, January 13 in Northern Virginia.

Donations may be made in her name to the Northern Virginia Temple Rodef Shalom Building Fund.

Tribute Wall



“ *Rosalyn Landres*

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