



Marilyn J LeComte

July 18, 1930 - June 14, 2021

Marilyn Joan LeComte, age 90, of Murrells Inlet, South Carolina, went to be with The Lord on Monday, June 14, 2021 surrounded by her loving children. Marilyn was born in Brooklyn, New York, on July 18, 1930 to the late Ettore & Rubina Cattaneo. She married her grade school sweetheart, Bob, and together they raised their 5 children in Wilmington, Delaware.

Marilyn was an executive secretary for many years at ICI Inc. in Wilmington. She dabbled in many other “money making” ventures including Avon, Tupperware, Crossing Guard, yard sales, crafting dusties, plaques, \ baskets, and her beloved tassels. Marilyn even manufactured and marketed her own “Marguerite’s Walnut Cookies,” named in honor of her mother’s original recipe. Marilyn and Bob retired to Murrells Inlet in 1992 and enjoyed life to the fullest. She was an avid tennis player, known on the courts as “Super Senior”. She also organized her walking group, lunch group, bridge group and many other social events. Marilyn’s energy, enthusiasm and love for her family and friends was boundless.

In addition to her parents, Marilyn was preceded in death by her husband of 62 years, Robert LeComte Sr., sister, Yolanda Burke, and her granddaughter, Reneé Wilkinson.

Marilyn is survived by her 5 children, Denise Wilkinson (Nelson), Robert LeComte Jr. (Suzanne), Jocelyn Cooney (Michael), Claudia Coker (David), Annette Johnson (Paule), 15 grandchildren, and 13 great grandchildren, and her brother Ettore “Buster” Cattaneo (Barbara).

Affectionately known as “Gamies,” she was famous for her Italian cooking, most notably her meatballs. Gamies insisted you would feel better if you ate! A Celebration of Life will be held 11:00 AM, Saturday, August 7, 2021 at the Precious Blood of Christ Catholic Church. There will be a reception at the church hall following the service.

In lieu of flowers, please consider memorial donations to Circle of Hope, in honor of Marilyn’s granddaughter, Reneé, (gacircleofhope.org), or Miss Ruby’s Kids, (missrubyskids.net). or Precious Blood of Christ Catholic Church.

For those who are unable to attend, the church will be livestreaming the Celebration of Life at <https://pbocchurch.com/>.

To sign an online guestbook, please visit www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com.

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is serving the family.

We love you Mom and are so proud to be your children. See you in heaven!

Previous Events

A Celebration of Life

AUG 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

Precious Blood Catholic Church
1633 Waverly Rd
Pawleys Island, SC 29585
(843) 237-3428

Tribute Wall

CC

“ Just heard of Marilyn's passing today and wanted to share my condolences. She and my Grandmother were friends and met in Wachesaw Plantation through some of the ladies groups there. She would often call and check in on my grandmother after learning of her diagnosis of Alzheimer's. She was a very sweet lady, always enjoyed my conversations with her. My grandma passed away this past January from her disease, her name was Val Watkins. So sorry for your loss, prayers to your family during this time.

Christian Caglione - July 13, 2022 at 08:52 PM

JJ

“ I am going to miss Marilyn so much...I met her many years ago on the tennis court and from there we developed a wonderful relationship...knowing she is with Bob gives me peace

JoAnne Jackson - August 05, 2021 at 10:01 AM

WT

“ With love, Chris, Bridget & Teddy purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Marilyn J LeComte.



With love, Chris, Bridget & Teddy - August 05, 2021 at 08:30 AM

TA

“ Greg and Charlene Atkinson send condolences to all the family of Marilyn. She and Bob are together now as they were since childhood and may all your memories reach back through your lives with your mom and find you with peace laughter and happiness.

the Atkinsons - August 04, 2021 at 05:43 PM

ED

“ I first met dear Marilyn at water aerobics. I have so many wonderful memories of her. She always came looking so put together. A real lady. We had lots of long chats about our families and she was so proud of hers and shared lots of stories of her late husband. I will miss her.

Ella Dolan - August 04, 2021 at 10:30 AM

JS

“ So sad to see Marilyn depart this life. What a great addition to both Wachesaw's golf and tennis. I remember that she always was looking to give and receive a hug. So, here's to you Marilyn...a big hug from both Gary & Judie Schaal

Judie Schaal - August 03, 2021 at 12:19 PM

GH

“ Water aerobics. Such a good sport 😭

Gillian Hough - August 03, 2021 at 12:05 PM

JG

“ I met Marilyn at Magnolia’s while eating lunch, in early summer. She immediately reminded me of my father, a person who never met a stranger. She was there with 3 precious Great Grandchildren and her daughter Denise. While Denise was tending to the children, Marilyn shared the kindest praises of her daughter. In a millisecond she drew me into her life, that was my only time around her and she left her sweet mark on my heart. With love, Jeannette Godwin

Jeannette Godwin - August 03, 2021 at 10:37 AM

BK

“ Everyone should be lucky enough to have an Aunt Marilyn. My Aunt Marilyn was full of energy and life. The best thing to me about my Aunt Marilyn was that we always knew we were loved. Rest peacefully Aunt Marilyn. We loved you very much and will always miss you.

Barbara Kokindo - June 24, 2021 at 07:50 PM

PY

“ Our sincere condolences to all the children 🙏 Ms Marilyn was such a classy, thoughtful lady. She always spoke and genuinely cared about others. I know she will be at peace meeting Bob again.

Patti Yahnis - June 23, 2021 at 02:27 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Marilyn J LeComte.



June 23, 2021 at 12:42 PM

AM

“ *Most sincere condolences to the whole family.*

Andrea Mattei - June 23, 2021 at 12:36 PM

KA

“ *Jocelyn, My deepest sympathy to you and your family on the loss of your beloved Mom. Hugs n love, Katy A.*

Katy A. - June 21, 2021 at 03:09 PM

AD

“ *Jocelyn I'm so sorry for your immense loss. May the wonderful memories of your Mom be with you always.*

Anne DAlessandro - June 21, 2021 at 12:08 PM

GC

“ *We send our deepest sympathy to Marilyn's family. My husband played golf for many years with Bob and we got to know Marilyn over those years. We also shared many years of fun with the DuPont World Golf Tournament there in Myrtle Beach. She was such a lovely woman who was kind, thoughtful and shared so much. A very special lady. We hope the wonderful memories you have will continue to be with you going forward.*

George & Joan Capriotti - June 20, 2021 at 12:51 PM

CS

“ *Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord and may eternal light shine upon her. Carl Swanson*

Carl E Swanson - June 19, 2021 at 09:13 AM

K(

“ I remember on my wedding video that Aunt Mari was getting all the girls upfront to get a picture! Lol I also remember telling me she can come to my house and do a tag sale! Lol I know she has been welcomed with open arms from all that have been waiting! Although her Mother in-law might be saying oh know I have to share Bob now! Lol So many fun get togethers! A story behind each event! Rip Aunt Mari



Kristen Capozzi (Manton) - June 17, 2021 at 06:48 PM

JJ

My sweet Marilyn, I met and learned to love her on the tennis court. We had many lunches together and I took lunch to her not long ago and we sat and talked about Bob and her beautiful family. I will miss her terribly.

JoAnne Jackson - June 20, 2021 at 08:03 AM

BB

I met Marilyn when we moved to Wachesaw three years ago. In such a short time, I have so many nice memories. WOW, our card games, classes at Fitness Edge and then a quick lunch at Hardies where all the help knew Marilyn and exactly what she wanted for lunch!

I cherish Marilyn's cookbook filled with all her favorite recipes!

She always looked fabulous, even if it was only going to a doctor appointment!! She was a great inspiration to all of us!! Miss you, Marilyn!

Barbara Busskohl

Barbara Busskohl - August 03, 2021 at 08:39 PM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Marilyn J LeComte.*



June 16, 2021 at 05:40 PM