



Anne Theresa O'Brien

August 20, 1936 - September 28, 2019

Anne Theresa O'Brien, 83, of Cary, NC passed away peacefully on September 28, 2019. Anne was born on August 20, 1936 in Brooklyn, NY to Michael and Pauline LaBarbara. Anne is survived by her husband of 59 years, Edward O'Brien and their three daughters, Pauline D'Ambrosio (spouse-Marc) of Kansas City, MO; daughters: Lexi Anne (26) and Maggie Nicole (20), Erin Monasterio (spouse-Alex) of Apex, NC; children: Alexander Edward "AJ" (14), Caleb James (11), Chloe Anne (11), Zachary Alexander (9), and AnneLouise O'Brien (spouse: Michelle) of Charlotte, NC; daughters: Hollis Rose (6) and Bellamy Erin (2).

Anne and Edward met in 1958 at the bowling alley Anne's father owned on Patchogue, Long Island. After they were married and had a family, Anne enjoyed participating in school and church activities with her children. She and Ed bowled together on leagues for several years and gained many friends and memories along the way. Anne loved to travel and was fortunate to visit many places here and abroad and enjoyed family vacations each summer.

Anne, Ed and their children lived in south Florida for almost 30 years before moving to Cary, NC 15 years ago where Anne realized a dream she had always had of living in a log cabin on a pond. They lived near their daughters and enjoyed many holidays and family festivities together over the years.

Anne's heart was filled with an abundance of love and pride for her children and grandchildren. Her devotion and strong emphasis on family will be carried on by her daughters and their families for generations to come.

A funeral mass was held for her immediate family on Tuesday, October 1 at Saint Andrews Catholic Church in Apex, NC, where she will be reposing in the church columbarium. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Dementia Alliance of North Carolina donate to Dementia Alliance of NC

Tribute Wall

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“ Aunt Anne,
Though it's been years since I've seen or spoken to you, I will always have wonderful childhood memories visiting you in Fl. May you rest in eternal peace with Grandma and Grandpa, Uncle Mikey, and Uncle Richie.
Love, your niece Kelly

Kelly Wolowksi - October 10, 2019 at 01:53 PM

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“ Dearest Anne,
Saddened cannot describe what my heart is feeling right now. You were a true friend for many years and I can never forget how your generous heart welcomed me into your family. I know you always wanted me to come up to Cary once you moved. It was unfortunate that I spent the last 26 years working one day short of 2 full-time jobs and could never get up there. I regret not being able to see and spend time with you. The physical absence does not take away from the love I have for you in my heart. Rest in the peace of the Lord, my dear friend.
Love Always,
Donna

Donna Pustizzi - October 05, 2019 at 11:17 PM