



Donna Mae Orlove (nee Scheckerman)

October 16, 1941 - October 14, 2023

Donna Mae Orlove of Bradenton, Florida, formerly of Chicago, IL and Highland Park, IL passed away on October 14, 2023. Graduate of New Trier High School, and the University of Illinois with a Bachelor of Science degree in Occupational Therapy. President of Theta chapter of Phi Sigma Sigma sorority, Sweetheart of Pi Lambda Phi, member of Alpha Lambda Delta scholastic honorary, and Shai honorary society and Angel Flight. Registered occupational therapist for 24 years in Chicago northshore nursing-rehab facility. Member of Ort and National Council of Jewish Women. Donna was an avid water color artist and a sculptor, and a member of Temple Sinai in Sarasota, FL.

Donna was preceded in death by her parents, Harry and Bertha Scheckerman. She is survived by Jeff Orlove, the love of her life in marriage for over 61 years. She is also survived by her two daughters, Sheryl Orlove, and Erica Orlove and two granddaughters, Emily Weinberg and Brooke Weinberg, all of whom she loved very much. She is also survived by her brother Joel Scheckerman (Bobbi), her step sister-in-law Barbara Kantoff (Sheldon), and several cousins and nephews.

A graveside service will be held at Beth Shalom Cemetery in Sarasota, FL on Tuesday, October 17, 2023, at 1:00pm EST with arrangements made by Toale Brothers, Sarasota, FL.

The graveside service can be viewed by live streaming via the below link:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mV0yF29SxXA>

A celebration of life may be held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, donations to American Cancer Society are appreciated.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

OCT 17. 1:00 PM (ET)

Temple Beth Sholom Cemetery
801 Circus Blvd
Sarasita, FL 34232

Tribute Wall

LL

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Louise Lipsey - October 17, 2023 at 02:14 AM

IA

“ Donna, A kind and good friend and fun times together. You will be dearly missed. May your memory be for a Blessing. Love. Irma & Lew.

Irma & Lew Amsel - October 16, 2023 at 08:56 AM

AP

“ Sorry to hear about Donna. We send our condolences with sincere heartfelt sympathy for the loss Al and Marla Plotnik

al plotnik - October 15, 2023 at 09:29 PM

CS

“ To Jeff and family. My deepest sympathy. Donna was the first one to introduce me to the Manatee Art Center. I will always remember her kindness and hospitality. Corky



corky Schwartz - October 15, 2023 at 07:55 PM

VI

"Donna will be greatly missed. May I offer my deepest condolences?"
Victoria

Victoria - October 16, 2023 at 01:38 AM

RL

Donna will always be alive in my heart

Rona

Rona Lipshitz - October 17, 2023 at 01:21 AM

LL

*Dearest Donna, what a wonderful friend and great blessing you have been in my life. Throughout our close friendship growing up, you were always kind, beautiful both inside and out, and fun to be with. And it was a joy to continue connecting with you, no matter how far apart we lived. I will greatly miss you dear Donna, and send my deepest sympathy to your devoted husband Jeff and all your family. With love,
Louise*

Louise Lipsey - October 17, 2023 at 02:11 AM

MP

We are saddened by donna's passing. May she rest in peace. Saralee & Manny

manny price - October 17, 2023 at 01:09 PM

CF

So very sorry to hear of Donna's death. We were high school friends and she was a wonderful, warm and kind person. RIP Donna! Carol Moss Front

Carol M Front - December 03, 2023 at 11:36 PM

BC

I am so sorry to hear about Donna's passing. I was a classmate of Donna's at the University of Illinois in the occupational therapy department. I went to her wedding and wedding shower.. She was always so sweet and super bright. She and I were the only ones who graduated cum laude. We sometimes studied together. She and Jeff were so in love and it sounds like they were throughout their marriage. I was just sitting here today and thought of her. I googled her and found this bad news. I am so happy to have known her. Beverly Elliott Catron

Beverly Elliott Catron - October 01, 2024 at 04:57 PM