



Gloria S. Koons

April 21, 2017

Gloria S. Koons passed away peacefully on April 21, 2017.

Originally from York, PA, Gloria has lived in the Sarasota Palmetto area for the past 40 years. She is survived by her daughter Karen (Karen Held) Koons, of Sussex, WI; son Jeff (Justine) Koons of New York City and York, PA; grandchildren Shannon (James) Fox, Ludwig Koons, Sean Koons, Kurt Koons, Blake Koons, Eric Koons, Scarlet Koons and Mick Koons; great-grandchildren Kayla, Megan, and Jaclyn Fox.

Gloria was a loyal friend and enjoyed spending time with her book club, going to the cabaret and the theatre, as well as enjoying her many friends in the international art world. She was a devoted wife to her late husband Henry J. Koons, and exceptionally proud of her children's many accomplishments. She was known for her sharp wit, her indefatigable memory and her love of life. She will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved her.

Visitation will be Tuesday, April 25, at Toale Brothers Colonial Chapel from 10:00 am until 11:00 am.

Services will be at 11:00 am at Colonial Chapel with burial to follow at Skyway Memorial Park, Palmetto, FL.

Tribute Wall

CE

“ Jeff, Karen, and family, I apologize for the late response. We just learned of Gloria's passing. We are deeply saddened and would like to extend our sympathy to your family. Please let us know if you need anything.

Cousins Howard and Robert Eckstein - August 09, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ Karen & Jeff, my condolences on the loss of your mother. Great memories. God Bless.

Larry Wintermyer - May 01, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Jeff, Karen and family, Lou-Ann, myself and Bob Harling extend our sympathy to your family. Gloria was a special person and friend.

Jeff & Lou-Ann Fenstermacher - April 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ My deepest sympathy to Jeff and family on the loss of your mother. May happy memories help you along the way.

Sue Duncan Wilkinson - April 24, 2017 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Deepest sympathies on the loss of your Mother. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. May happy memories of your time with her live forever in your hearts.
- Kathy and Ken Severance

Kathy Severance - April 23, 2017 at 12:00 AM

SL

“ Condolences to Jeff, Karen and family. So sorry to hear of you mother's passing. Gloria was a dear friend for over 45 years. She always reminded me that we were Gemini Twins and enjoyed many of the same things. She never forgot my birthday, in all these years. I have many fond memories of shopping together, riding in her convertible, shopping for my prom gown, our trip to Florida and the visits she and Henry made to my parents' farm. They delighted in showing me places that I had never been and experiencing new things. I was with them when they fell in love with Sarasota. I treasure our phone calls, over the years; we always had something to talk about. I am so glad that my husband and I were able to visit her at her lovely home, in Florida. I will miss her. She was a beautiful lady.
In Sympathy,
Shelly Livingston

Shelly Livingston - April 23, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ Dear Family and Friends of Gloria. When I worked at Condo on the Bay I had the great Joy of knowing Gloria. We had many wonderful and funny times together. She showed me beautiful picture of her on her horses and when Jeff bought the farm she use to live on it was one of the happiest days of her life. She would share wonderful stories when all of the family would gather for holidays at the farm. She will be truly missed by many. Jean Tuttle

Jean Tuttle - April 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM