



Anna Sommers

February 10, 2012

Obituary of Anna Sommers

Loving Mother and Grandmother, Anna Marie Sommers, 76, of Fruitland Park, FL passed away Friday, February 10, 2012 in Leesburg, FL. In 1988 she moved to Fruitland Park from Chatham, NY where she had been a volunteer at the Mac-Hayden Theater, an EMT and EMT Instructor for the Chatham Rescue Squad and a member of the Chatham Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary. Anna had been the Co-Owner and CFO of Sommers Construction Co. in Canaan, NY. She formerly worked as a draftsman for General Electric, the Association of Retarded Citizens and Berkshire Farms School for Boys. Anna retired as a Seamstress/Costume Coordinator for Walt Disney World in 2001. She enjoyed sewing, crafts and served as a swimming instructor. Anna was known for her gift of encouragement and sense of humor. She was a member of New Life Presbyterian Church, Fruitland Park. Anna was the beloved mother of 5 children, Alice (Allen) Bassen, Becket, MA, Diana Eckler, Troy, NY, Linda (Jerry) Crofts, Lockport, NY, Teresa Sommers, Virginia Beach, VA, Sean (Jennifer Haskins) Sommers, Pittsfield, MA, and the late Thomas Sommers. Anna was a loving grandmother to 10 grandchildren and 1 great-grandson. She was preceded in death by her brother, John Doherty formerly of Fruitland Park, and sisters Rosemary and Irene.

Memorial Services will be held Monday, February 13th at 12 noon at New Life

Presbyterian Church with Rev. Dan Baumann officiating. In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorials be made to New Life Presbyterian Church, 201 LaVista St. Fruitland Park, FL 34731.

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Memorial Donations

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Tribute Wall

KE

“ So sorry for your loss. Please accept our heartfelt condolences

Kathleen,Paul,Elizabeth and Emily - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BP

“ My deepest sympathy to all of her family and friends. She was an amazing person who did much good throughout her life. I was enriched, as were so many, by having her for a friend. Rest easy, and give 'em what for when they need it up there, girlfriend.

Barbara Peduzzi - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LJ

“ My sincerest condolences to all of Ann's children. Your mother and I had to tell very bad news to a dear friend many years ago. I was in my early 20's. I will never forget the compassion she showed to my friend nor the grip she kept on my hand to help keep me standing up. May you all use your loving memories to light the darkness that has descended on you. <3

Laurie Starks Johnson - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ You Mom has put her mark on Chatham. She is remembered by so many! I must say She has helped me through a number of times when I needed someone to talk things over with. She gave me a gift of laughter and an eye to see the love our children give with out asking. I have always kept her in my heart and will until we meet again. As you continue in life keep her alive and pass on that laughter and love she had for people. God be with you and your families in this time of loss.

Barbara Stevens - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ We were so sorry to hear of your Mothers passing. Our prayers are with you.

Ken and Barb Crofts - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BP

“ I'm so sorry for your lose. i have many good memories stay with your family .i miss the not keeping in touch with the hole family. God bless Aunt Ree and her family

Barbara Pallschi - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ Condolences from the Gavin Family (Rosemary and Raymond).

Anne Gavin Figueroa - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I have very fond memories of our families being together when we were kids. I'm sorry we lost touch over the years, I do think about all of you from time to time. I will be keeping you in my thoughts and prayers. ~Susie Gardner~

Susie (Gavin) Gardner - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM