



Sophie Magnuson

November 23, 1923 - December 18, 2020

Sophie Magnuson passed away December 18, 2020 in Leesburg, FL at the age of 97. She was born in Manhattan, New York City and moved to Leesburg, FL in 1946 after her husband, Lloyd, got out of the Navy during WWII. Lloyd died in 1973. Sophie worked at Carver Middle School for 28 years, starting as an aide and then worked in the office. She retired in 1998 at the age of 74.

Sophie was a member of the St. Paul's Catholic Church since it was built. She enjoyed going to plays at the Melon Patch Theatre, going out to eat, reading, and watching TV soaps and movies. In her younger years, she spent many hours watching and carpooling her grandchildren.

Sophie is survived by her sister: Eleanor Daley of South Carolina; daughters: Christy (Harry) Mantor of Leesburg, Susan (Bill) Norton of Flagler Beach; son: Steve (Kathy) Magnuson of Lady Lake; 8 grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her younger daughter Karen (Roger) Danesky, who passed away in Leesburg in 2014.

There will be no visitation or services. Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home of Leesburg, FL.

Tribute Wall



“ *Beyers Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Sophie Magnuson*



May 11, 2022 at 07:14 PM



“ *Dear Steve and Family, My deepest sympathies on the loss of your mother. Please know you will be in my thoughts and prayers during this sad and difficult time. I know it is difficult losing your Mother and if there is anything I can do to help, please let me know. Sincerely, Anne Louise Smith*

Anne Louise Smith - December 23, 2020 at 09:27 PM



“ *Dear Steve and family,
Oh Steve, I'm sorry for your loss. Your mom was such a sweet lady. It's always hard to lose a parent. You're in my thoughts and prayers.*

Debbie (Zabor) Andrew

Debbie Zabor Andrew - December 22, 2020 at 09:11 PM

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“ Steve and family,
I was so sorry to hear about Sophie. She was so good to work with all those years at Leesburg Junior High and then Carver. She was a sweet, sweet person. I haven't seen her in recent years but I'd see her once in a while at Melon Patch. I was surprised to see her age. Didn't seem that old - she had a good productive life. My prayers are with all of you.

Sanna Henderson - December 22, 2020 at 12:19 PM

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“ I have known Mrs. Magnuson for many years and really enjoyed catching up with her after mass on Sundays. She was very proud of her children and grandchildren. Very sorry for your loss.

Susan Sapp - December 22, 2020 at 11:56 AM

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“ Dear Steve and family,
We are sorry to hear about the loss of your mother. We know it's always difficult to lose a parent. Your mom was always so sweet. Keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers.

Larry and Nancy Humes

Nancy Humes - December 21, 2020 at 07:58 PM

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“ Sophie will leave a warm spot in our hearts. We enjoyed her friendship very much. Our condolence to the family.

Diane & Jerry Le Blanc - December 21, 2020 at 01:40 PM