Lou Ann Kosier

Passed away peacefully on July 14, 2022

Lou Ann was born to Leroy (Bill) and Ann Ferguson of Altoona, PA, on August 19, 1934. She completed her nursing education at Harrisburg Hospital School of Nursing (Harrisburg, PA) in 1957 and began her career in central Pennsylvania. She was also introduced to Howard Kosier by his oldest sister, Pat Kosier, a fellow nursing student, and they were married later that year. During Howard's 4 years in the Marines, they had Keith (born in Quantico) and Kim (born in Oceanside). After the military, Howard's work took the family from California, to Chicago, then to Edison, NJ, Lewisburg, PA, and western Michigan (Plainwell) through "the college years", before Lou Ann ultimately settled in West Chester, PA.

Along the way, Lou Ann was able to pursue her passions of nursing and interior decorating as she raised her family. In Edison, she worked at JFK hospital and for a pediatrician in private practice. She also found time to work for an interior designer out of NYC. In Plainwell, she and a friend owned a design and furnishings store called "The Furniture Crate". Once back in West Chester, Lou Ann finished her career at PIMCO (Pennsylvania Insurance Management Co.) where she became a specialist in assisting quadriplegics, and as a manager of rehab nurses.

She was engaging, determined and always willing to lend a hand. Whether helping her patients through their therapy, shoveling snow for her neighbors in West Chester, or helping others in need, Lou Ann was about "finding a way". She rarely met a stranger and was gifted at making friends, even after the stroke she suffered in 2018 (necessitating her to relocate to Atlanta). She loved to shop, adored her 3 grandchildren - Emily, Maddie & Olivia - and was passionate about her Fighting Irish football team.

Lou Ann was an amazing daughter, mother, mother-in-law, grandmother and friend. Her life and love of her family and friends will always be cherished in the lives of those who knew her.

Her final days were challenging and we want to thank all our friends and family for their love and support to help us through. We know Lou Ann held a special place in your heart and we are grateful that you could join us for this celebration of her life – a life well-lived.

A CELEBRATION OF THE



Lou Ann Kosier

August 19, 1934 - July 14, 2022



August 20, 2022 11:00 a.m. Cecil B. Day Chapel of Perimeter Church

Revelation 21:4

And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; And there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, Nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: For the former things are passed away.

Order of Service

Psalm 33:20

We will wait in hope for the LORD; He is our help and our shield.



In Lieu of Flowers

In lieu of flowers, The family has requested that donations be made in Lou Ann's memory to Heartbeat International www.heartbeatinternational.org



Please join us for a Reception

Following the service, the family invites you to join them to gather downstairs for a reception.

Slideshow

Family Processional Amazing Grace

Cameron Bible

Presentational Song Ave Maria

Rev. Herschel Hatcher

Mark Salcedo

Welcome and Prayer

Rev. Herschel Hatcher

Scripture Reading

Trena Hargreaves

Congregational Song Holy, Holy, Holy

Rev. Herschel Hatcher

Cameron Bible

Tributes

Betsy Wetherby Emily Schoone Iohn Schoone

Presentational Song 10,000 Reasons

Rev. Herschel Hatcher

Cameron Bible

Pastoral Message

Rev. Herschel Hatcher

Prayer

Rev. Herschel Hatcher

Congregational Song How Great Thou Art

Rev. Herschel Hatcher

Cameron Bible

Benediction

Rev. Herschel Hatcher

Family Recessional I Can Only Imagine

Cameron Bible