



Emilia Agnes Behr

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Emilia Agnes (Scigliano) Behr, age 87, of Seaford, DE, passed away on Thursday, May 2, 2019 at her home. She was born in Brooklyn, NY, on April 4, 1932, daughter of the late Ernesto and Carmela (Ventimiglia) Scigliano.

Mrs. Behr built a career in administrative work, culminating in retirement as a stat analyst for American Express after many dedicated years. She was a supportive military wife to TSgt Alan Anthony Behr, USAF Retired, with whom she shared 40 wonderful years of marriage. Mrs. Behr was involved with many of the activities at St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Bridgeville, DE, including the free lunch program, clothing locker, and prayer list, among others. Above all, Mrs. Behr was a loving and devoted wife, mother, grandmother, sister, and friend, who will be deeply missed by all who knew her.

Mrs. Behr is survived by her beloved husband, Alan Anthony Behr, of Seaford, DE; her sons: Michael Janow (Shelly) of Santa Clarita, CA and Gregory Behr (Anna) of Hartford, CT; her daughters: Rev. Maria Hammons (Danny) of New London, CT, Theresa Magill (Larry) of Windsor Mill, MD, Leslie Behr of Myrtle Beach, SC, and Jacqueline Behr Crews (Mark) of Gainesville, FL; her grandchildren: Madison, James, Lauren, Brandy, Justin (Candace), Anthony, Christina (Gwendolyn), and Matthew; her great-grandchildren: Daxton and Mia; and her sisters: Maria Vitrano of Great Barrington, MA and Gloria Burke of TX and MI.

The family of Mrs. Behr would like to extend their heartfelt gratitude for continued prayers during this difficult time.

All services will be private. Arrangements are being handled by Watson-Yates Funeral Home, a member of the Parsell Funeral Family.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions in Mrs. Behr's memory to St. Mary's Free Lunch Program, c/o St. Mary's Episcopal Church, PO Box 21, 2 North William Street, Bridgeville, DE 19933.



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Please sign the online guestbook located on this site.



Tribute Wall

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JH

Joan Heslin posted:

Siggy and I were friends since 5th grade in Pequannock, NJ. I will always remember playing ball in the AA field, walking the railroad tracks, and bus rides to the Colonial Theater in Pompton Lakes. She was a very dear friend. Always had your back. My thoughts and prayers are with her family. Love,
Joan Heslin

November 1 at 5:48 PM

CW

Carol M Weaver posted:

My sincere condolences to Maria and all her family. Prayers ascending for love, comfort and peace. Love in Christ, Sister Carol Weaver

May 10 at 6:17 PM

MZ

Michelle Zidek posted:

i am so sorry for your loss. Keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers.

May 9 at 5:24 AM

SF

Sarah Kane & Family lit a candle in honor of Emilia.



May 8 at 3:27 AM

SK

Sarah Kane May 8 at 3:30 AM

Al & family, what a dear soul Emilia was. Always wanting to lend a hand. She was a great neighbor and friend and wonderful babysitter to Olivia and Spencer! We will miss her terribly! In our thoughts and prayers always. Let us know what we can do. Much love, Sarah, Roger, Olivia & Spencer

MA

Marlene posted:

To my wonderful friend Emilia who I met only once but who will stay in my heart and soul forever. Love, Mar

May 7 at 8:31 PM



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Shelly shared 5 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

The unconditional love she showed my daughter, and myself when I married Michael is something I will never forget. From the beginning we were family. Not only Madi and myself, but she reached out to my family. She never missed a birthday or Anniversary. On our wedding day she gave me a blue and white pear ring that she said had been in the family for some time. I will always wear that ring with and carry the memories with me. We lost an amazing women, and she is no longer suffering. She showed strength and courage until the end! I love you Mom!~Shelly Janow~



May 7 at 10:05 AM



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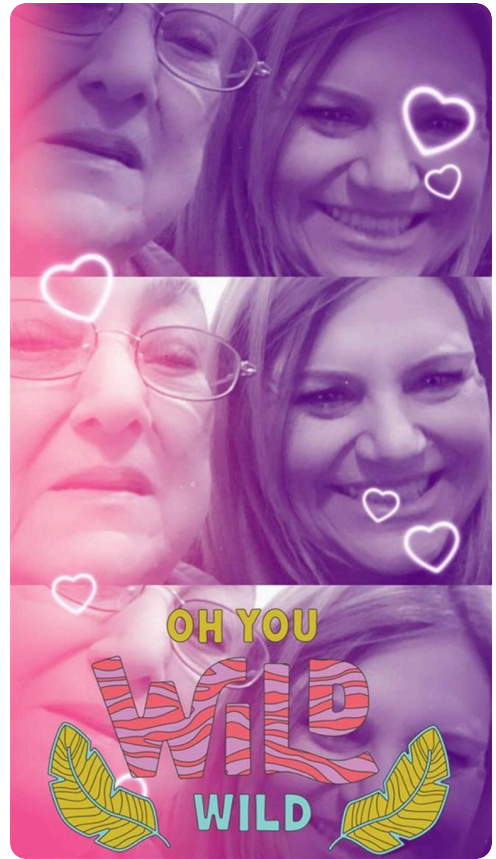




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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Emilia by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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