



## Suzanne Frances Brooks

January 20, 2023

Suzanne (Sue) Frances Brooks of Nokesville, VA passed away peacefully on January 20 at the age of 85. She was born in Baltimore, Maryland to Stephen and Louise Lauer.

Sue was preceded in death by her husband of 37 years, Lt. Col. George Walter Brooks III, USMC (Ret.) and her grandson Blake Walter Rhodes. She is survived by her five children: Michael Brooks, Mark Brooks (Christine), Michelle Schneider (Robert), Matthew Brooks (Laura) and Maureen Rhodes (Blake) and her six grandchildren, Sara Brooks, Katie Brooks, Matthew Brooks, Joshua Rhodes, Lexi Rhodes and Jack Rhodes.

In her late teens and early 20s, Sue worked as a model and won several beauty contests. In 1957, she met George (Walter), the love of her life and they were married 3 and half months later. As the wife of a Marine Corps officer with 22 years of service, Sue lived in various locations including California, Hawaii, and Key West, before finally settling down in Virginia. Her strong will and determination helped her through all the moves, and she worked hard to establish a supportive and loving home life while raising five children, much of which she did on her own during her husband's overseas military deployments.

In 1971, Sue began a successful and rewarding career as a realtor, eventually

acquiring a real estate broker license. She was very passionate, working hard for her clients well into her 80s. As a lifelong Catholic, she was dedicated to her church and participated often in charity events. Sue was blessed with many friends and a wonderful extended family. As the Matriarch and backbone of the Brooks family, Sue provided her children and grandchildren with countless birthday celebrations, 4th of July parties, and magical Christmas mornings. Her absence will forever be felt throughout the lives of those she raised, nurtured, served, and loved. Her family and friends are thankful to have known her and blessed to have been loved by her. May she forever rest in peace and may she always be remembered as the loving, charitable, beautiful woman she was.

If you'd like to make a donation in memory of Suzanne Frances Brooks, contributions to the American Lung Association would be appreciated: <https://www.lung.org/>.

# Cemetery Details

## Quantico National Cemetery

18424 Joplin Rd  
Triangle, VA 22172

# Previous Events

## Viewing

FEB 1. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Miller Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc.  
3200 Golansky Blvd.  
Woodbridge, VA 22192  
703-878-CARE (2273)  
<https://millerfuneralhome.net/>

## Mass of Christian Burial

FEB 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
12975 Purcell Road  
Manassas, VA 20112

## Interment

FEB 2. 1:00 PM (ET)

Quantico National Cemetery  
18424 Joplin Rd  
Triangle, VA 22172-1636  
(703) 221-2183

# Tribute Wall

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“*Mrs. Brooks was an amazing woman; she holds a special place in my heart. I hope it comforts you in knowing your mom touched so many lives. She always gave her all by asking for nothing in return. I'm so grateful to have had her in my life. Forever in our hearts.*”

**Kenneth Richardson** - February 01, 2023 at 04:52 PM



“*Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*”



February 01, 2023 at 10:28 AM

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“*Her Century 21 New Millennium Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*”



**Her Century 21 New Millennium Family** - January 31, 2023 at 05:34 PM

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“*the Magdalene (Boots) Miller family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*”



**the Magdalene (Boots) Miller family** - January 31, 2023 at 05:09 PM

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“ *Don and Kathy Forquer and Family purchased the Heavenly Grace Spray for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*



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**Don and Kathy Forquer and Family** - January 31, 2023 at 02:40 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*



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January 30, 2023 at 10:09 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*



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January 30, 2023 at 10:53 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*



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January 30, 2023 at 09:52 AM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*



January 30, 2023 at 09:12 AM



“ *Richardson's purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*



**Richardson's** - January 29, 2023 at 11:57 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*



January 28, 2023 at 05:46 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*



January 28, 2023 at 03:51 PM

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“ Mike Steele purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.



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**Mike Steele** - January 28, 2023 at 03:45 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.



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January 27, 2023 at 02:46 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.

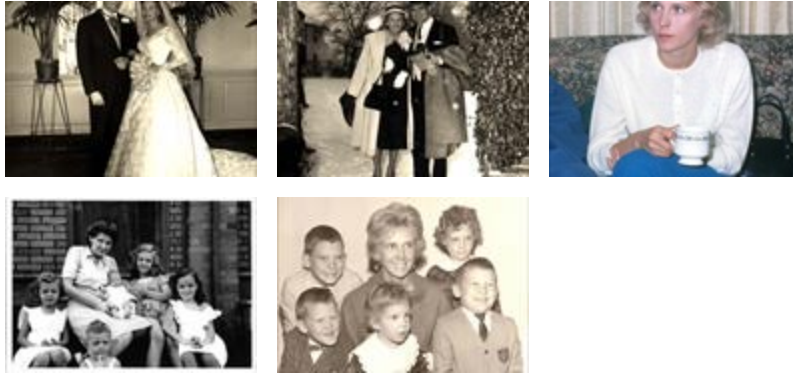


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January 27, 2023 at 02:32 PM

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“ 15 files added to the album *Photo's of Sue*



Michelle - January 27, 2023 at 11:27 AM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes* was purchased for the family of *Suzanne Frances Brooks*.



January 25, 2023 at 02:32 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of *Suzanne Frances Brooks*.



January 24, 2023 at 04:05 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*



January 23, 2023 at 04:06 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family. She was a beautiful lady who touched so many people in such a positive way. May she Rest in Peace*

**Molly Flory** - January 23, 2023 at 02:06 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*



January 23, 2023 at 01:55 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*



January 23, 2023 at 12:48 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*



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January 22, 2023 at 01:46 PM



“ *I knew her as Mark Brooks' Mom, as the energetic and hard working Mom who was in the kitchen of the beach cottage at Naggs Head beach of the Outer Banks who cooked the most wonderful prime ribb dinner that I have ever eaten! She was always smiling while she was always doing something for the family. Mark has been very blessed to have inherited such great genes. No wonder that Mark has always been the backbone of the success of the Lake Ridge community. He learned from his Mom how to be of service for his community. Ron Pereira, retired General Manager of the Lake Ridge Association.*



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**ronald m PEREIRA** - January 21, 2023 at 05:02 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*



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January 21, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Suzanne Frances Brooks.*



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January 20, 2023 at 06:39 PM