



Donna J. Thomas

January 8, 1947 - November 11, 2020

Donna Jean Price Thomas, 73, of Willingboro, NJ died peacefully on November 11, 2020 at home. Born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, she was the daughter of the late Robert L. Price and Doris M. Price (nee Robinson).

Donna was a 1964 graduate of Neshaminy High School and then immediately entered the work force. She was employed at the Burlington County Times newspaper/Calkins News Media for over 40 years before she retired in 2013. She held many positions there, working her way up from the mailroom to her last position as an Administrative Assistant to the Publisher and owner, Stanley M. Ellis. After retirement, Donna spent many happy hours with her granddaughter and was an avid reader and crafter her entire life. Her favorite crafts included quilting, crocheting, and many kinds of needlework. Donna was at her happiest when studying or teaching others about the Bible. She was an active member of Fellowship Alliance Chapel in Medford for several years singing in the church choir and leading women's bible studies, as well as being an editor/typist for Senior Pastor Pastor Marty Berglund. Most recently, she had been attending Fountain of Life Church in Burlington, NJ with her daughter and family. Donna loved traveling with her family and spending time at the Jersey shore, in Myrtle Beach, SC, and Disney World.

In addition to her parents, Donna was preceded in death by her son, Robert Dwight Thomas. She is survived by her daughter, Tracy Thomas Cossabone (Arthur), of Willingboro, NJ; her brother, Gary Price (Candace), of Pennsylvania; her sister, Beverly Price Schaffield, of Florida; and one grandchild, Rachel.

The family wishes to thank the doctors and staff at Cooper University Hospital/Health Care, especially Mary Elizabeth Gaskill, Dr. Alan Turtz and Dr. Paul Bulus Audu for the care and compassion given to Donna and her family over the past weeks. In addition, the support from the Bayada Hospice nurses (Jill and Kristen), Life Center Academy staff and friends from Fellowship Alliance Chapel for Donna and her family is what kept everyone going through this difficult time. For that, the family is eternally grateful.

Relatives and friends may attend her visitation on Friday, November 20 from 10-12 PM at Perinchief Chapels, 438 High St., Mt. Holly. Funeral services will be held at 12 PM at the funeral home. Interment to follow at Odd Fellows Cemetery, Burlington.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in memory of Donna may be sent to Life Center Academy, 2045 Columbus Ave., Burlington, NJ 08016 or to World Vision at worldvision.org/donate

A message of condolence may be sent to the family by visiting www.perinchief.com

Cemetery

Odd Fellows Cemetery

Route 130

Burlington, NJ,

Events

NOV **Visitation** 10:00AM - 12:00PM

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Perinchief Chapels

438 High St., Mount Holly, NJ, US, 08060

NOV **Funeral Service** 12:00PM

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Comments



“ Dear Tracey, So saddened to hear of the passing of your Mom, sorry I was unable to attend her Home Going but with today's I felt it better to stay away. I grieve with you and know she is joyous with our Savior! Praying for your comfort and peace.

EDYTHE Antonelli - November 20, 2020 at 02:05 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Donna J. Thomas.



November 18, 2020 at 12:45 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Donna J. Thomas.



November 18, 2020 at 12:27 PM



“ Aunt Barbara and Uncle John purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Donna J. Thomas.



Aunt Barbara and Uncle John - November 17, 2020 at 08:00 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Donna J. Thomas.



November 17, 2020 at 01:11 PM



“ Many of my memories of Donna are around FBC, Mt. Holly music ministry. Singing with Donna in choir and in an ensemble are certainly fond memories. However, the memory that came to mind most was her gift of love and concern for others.

I especially remember a Sunday when I went forward for prayer during the service and right away I felt an arm around me and felt prayers going up to God on my behalf. When I turned around it was Donna with a big smile and hug.

How I know you will miss her and I will be praying for you in the days ahead as you walk that journey of grief. When I brought up the verse of the day today during my devotional time, it read:

James 5:13 NLT

"Are any of you suffering hardships? You should pray. Are any of you happy? You should sing praises."

I add, Are any of you grieving? Others will be praying when you simply cannot.

Love in Jesus,
Rita Frederick

Rita Obitz Frederick - November 16, 2020 at 04:38 PM



“ Tracie, So saddened to hear of your mother's passing. I grieve with you but am happy for your Mom for we know she is joyful with our LORD! Praying for you and yourfamily!

EDYTHE Antonelli - November 20, 2020 at 02:10 PM



“ God Bless, Jim, Anne and Lee Simms purchased the Touching Tribute Spray for the family of Donna J. Thomas.



God Bless, Jim, Anne and Lee Simms - November 13, 2020 at 09:12 PM