



Jean H. Lembach

February 10, 2020

Jean was born October 17, 1932 to Jean and Raymond Hepburn in Philadelphia, Pa. Jean is the beloved wife to the late Philip; much loved mother of Megan Lembach (Gordon Berry), Allison Coll (David), Guy (Suzanne) and the late Suzanne Edwards; grandmother of Alaina McAuliffe, Alexandra Kim (Moses), Duncan and Graham Berry; sadly missed sister of R. Gerald Hepburn (Mary Jo) of Alexandria, VA., sister of the late MaryAnn (Lovey) and Leo Webb of Weeki Wachee, Fl.

Many people will say that they had the 'best' mother and we are sure their mothers are wonderful, but WE had the best mother. She received her undergraduate and masters degree in education from Temple University. She still kept in touch with friends from all of these schools. She taught for many years in the Philadelphia Public School system and then moved to Drexel University, where she ended her career as Assistant Athletic Director. She especially enjoyed cheering on the Drexel women's basketball team. many Drexel athletes benefited from Jean's gentle suggestion and keen editing of their papers. Jean was an avid sports fan and loved college and professional . Jean was a lifelong reader and at one point had read all of the mysteries at the Cheltenham Township Library (this may be an exaggeration, but we stand it). Jean also believed in helping others through organizations including: Mercy Alumnae, Alpha Delta Kappa (education sorority), driving people to their doctors appointments and supporting St. Joseph's Church in

Cheltenham. We will miss her every day, but we are sure she is sitting on an OceanCity, NJ beach with her sister and my father (who is hiding under an umbrella), reading a book, listening to the Phillies on the radio, drinking a Diet Pepsi, and eating orange slices candy.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Jean's memory may be made to:

Gwynedd Mercy Academy High School
PO Box 902
Gwynedd Valley, Pa. 19147

Cheltenham Library, CTLS
215 S. Keswick Ave.
Glenside, PA. 19038
Cheltenhamlibraries.org/donate

Alpha Delta Kappa 'ADK Gamma Chapter'
Agnes Robertson Scholarship Fund
c/o M. Casey Nolan
13408 Ann's Choice Way
Warminster, PA. 18974

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **15**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church
Waters & Boncouer Sts.
Cheltenham, PA 19012

Funeral Mass

FEB **15**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Interment

FEB **15**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Holy Sepulchre Cemetery
Cheltenham Ave.
Wyndmoor, PA

Tribute Wall

MG

“ *I did not know her well but she always had a smile on her face. God bless her. Marcie Givens*

Marcella Givens - February 19, 2020 at 11:03 AM



Suzanne
McAuliffe
Lembach

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Suzanne McAuliffe Lembach - February 19, 2020 at 09:16 AM

MM

“ *Share a memory of Jean H. Lembach or send condolences to the family.
What a beautiful person she was, we discussed many of our favorite books at the library.
Former librarian Mary M.*

mary Monaghan - February 18, 2020 at 07:49 PM



Suzanne
McAuliffe

Thank you, I don't know where I'll get my book recommendations now... my mother in law knew what I liked and I loved her suggestions!!

Suzanne McAuliffe Lembach - February 24, 2020 at 09:17 AM

DJ

I just came across Jean Lembach's obituary today quite by chance-I track all the good people in my past occasionally. Prior to working for the Department of Athletics at Drexel, Jean served as my Administrative Assistant when I was Director of the Drexel University Health Services. Aside from essentially running the Health Service at times, Jean helped me in performing my academic interests at Children's Hospital and arranging my travels as a consultant for the Job Corps program. Above all she was the most cheerful, loyal and efficient employee I have ever had, and her sense of humor was unrivaled.

Dr Clyde Rapp Jr - February 25, 2020 at 06:28 PM

AT

“ *Lovely obituary, Megan and family. The line about your mother reading all the mysteries in the Cheltenham Library made me smile! I'll be with you in spirit tomorrow.*
Love, Dri

Adrienne Topliffe - February 14, 2020 at 03:07 PM

PK

“ *What an amazing woman.*
I honestly couldn't have liked your mother more. Please know we are keeping you all in our prayers, may you continue to feel her presence.
Trish & Eric

Patricia Kropf - February 14, 2020 at 11:25 AM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Jean H. Lembach.*



February 14, 2020 at 07:42 AM