



## Mary Ann Celia Berkowitz

July 16, 1943 - January 24, 2026

Mary Ann Berkowitz (nee Rosenfeld) was a loving sister, wife, mother, and grandmother. At home, she enjoyed reading, tending to her plants, and spending time with Bob, her beloved husband of 55 years.

But she could be hard to catch at home. Mary Ann had a long career as a teacher, initially in elementary schools and then, when her own children were older, in preschools and as a teacher's aide at several elementary schools in Fairfax County. The rest of the time, she loved getting together with her many friends for a book club meeting, coffee (nothing too dark or heavy, though) or a shopping trip. When she couldn't get together with her friends, she would talk to them on the phone or, later in her life, write them e-mails.

Mary Ann was born July 16, 1943, in Washington, DC and grew up in Silver Spring, Maryland. She graduated from Montgomery Blair High School and the University of Maryland. In 1968, she met Bob, and they married in 1970. They soon settled in a starter home in northern Virginia. Rather than moving on to another house, they added a primary bedroom and sunroom and finished the basement. That house continues to be their home right up until today, and is where they raised their sons, David and Neil.

Mary Ann is survived by her sister, Ellen Carrico, of southern California; her husband, Bob; her sons, David and Neil (Caroline); and her grandchildren,

Shira Zahava and Eliezer Moshe.

# Cemetery Details

## King David Memorial Gardens

Falls Church, VA

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JAN 28. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

King David Memorial Gardens  
2712 Hollywood Rd  
Falls Church, VA 22042

# Tribute Wall

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**LnC** - February 24 at 06:29 PM

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“ Though I hadn't the opportunity to know Mary Ann very long, I was very impressed by her warmth in welcoming me to the Kings Park Library Afternoon Book Club, and by her heading of the meetings. Yesterday, as if I weren't in admiration enough, I learned Mary Ann had done this for many years. She, truly, is one “taken too soon.”

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**Donna Dietz** - February 18 at 01:14 PM

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“ Sending heartfelt condolences to the Berkowitz, Rosenfeld, and Carrico families for our dear cousin Mary Ann. Though we didn't see each other often, it was always so nice to see her and Bob. I will always remember her kind smile and laughing together while telling family stories. The Hirsch, Ben-Shlaush, and Edberg families.

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**Lisa Ben-Shlaush** - February 02 at 10:52 PM

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“ *My sincere condolences to the family and pray they will find strength during this difficult time. Our morning get togethers for breakfast each month was filled with wonderful conversations and much laughter. Mary Ann was a very good friend to me and I shall miss her very much. Joyce Landry*

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**Joyce G Landry** - January 28 at 02:15 PM