



Theodora (Terry) Lanham

April 12, 1938 - February 25, 2022

Theodora (Terry) Lanham, age 83, of Hilton Head Island, SC (formerly of Mendham, NJ) passed away on February 25, 2022.

Terry was born in Garden City, NY on April 12, 1938, where she attended Garden City High School and went on to earn her bachelor's degree from Penn State University. She is predeceased by her husband of 54 years, Robert (Bob) Lanham. After getting married, Terry and her family lived in Belgium and Australia before settling down in Mendham, NJ to raise 4 children and many pets. Once her children were grown, she and Bob retired to Hilton Head where she enjoyed the beach, bike riding around the island, substitute teaching, working at The Litter Box, chocolate chip cookie dough but mostly her visits from her children and 12 grandchildren who she spoiled immensely.

She is survived by daughters Wendy (Dan) Zalinsky of Charlotte, NC, Robin (Jeff) Whitaker of Charlotte, NC, Amy (Chris) Sebastian of Chicago, IL, and son Bob (Jill) Lanham of Commerce Township, MI, and her beloved grandchildren: Jack, Charlie, Sam, Cooper, Luke, Claire, Leo, Aidan, Cole, Jake, Will and Juliet.

Terry will be incredibly missed by all who knew her. She was larger than life. A private service will be held in Hilton Head Island, SC.

An online guestbook is available at www.heritagecares.com.

Tribute Wall

MW

“ *First memory was meeting Terry while we were visiting a nursery school for Amy and my daughter, Debbie. We were pregnant with boys Rob and Bobby: best friends still today. We are grateful for our many Mendham memories of times together. Terry and Bob have reached eternity now together. Our prayers are with Wendy, Robin, Amy, and Bobby and their families, much love, Marilyn and Bob*

Marilyn Willett - March 10 at 02:42 PM

SM

“ *I remembered her boundless energy and good humor. Friends from the Litter Box!*
Sue Mountrey

Susan Mountrey - March 10 at 11:52 AM

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“ *Donna Fonseca sent a virtual gift in memory of Theodora (Terry) Lanham*



Donna Fonseca - March 10 at 11:13 AM

JF

“ *I admired Terry for her amazing energy, caring, sense of humor - I always remember her saying, when buying something a bit expensive, "Less to leave for the second wife!!" She was in my corner re: problems with Hilltop School administrators - I will always be grateful for her unending support. Terry was a loving Mom. She will be so missed!*
Lovingly, Judith Friedlander

Judie Friedlander - March 09 at 09:20 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Prayers for everyone during this difficult time. She was a wonderful person; I remember her well while growing up in Mendham.*

Craig Eilbacher

Craig Eilbacher - March 09 at 08:11 PM