



Valerie R. Stalnaker

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It is with deep sadness that we announce the passing of our beloved mother, Valerie Ruth (Gray) Stalnaker, who passed away on April 1, 2024, at the age of 72.

Born on June 22, 1951, in Alachua County, Gainesville, Florida, she grew up in Jacksonville, Florida and later moved to the metro Washington D.C. area. She was a dedicated and loving wife to her late husband, Thomas Lee Stalnaker, who passed away in 2001. She remained a devoted mother to her two children: Kelly Hoag (Andrew) and Alexander Stalnaker (Brandi) and grandmother to her four granddaughters Kathryn, Lauren, Isla and Kenna. She is also survived by her six siblings: Cheryl Pitt (Harry), Judy Andrews (Paul), Kimberly Cykman, Allison Braddock (Craig), Dawn Bliss (Mike), and Wayne Gray (Katie).

Valerie lived a fulfilling life and was a woman of many talents. She had a passion for reading, family and her faith. Her belief in the Lord was the bedrock of her life and she displayed its importance daily. She had a gregarious laugh, sense of humor and loved family gatherings with her six siblings. She played French horn in high school, earned her bachelors' degree and taught high school English and history for several years. Valerie and Tom then moved to Leesburg, VA in 1996 and became business partners with Greg Wigfield and Bill Nickerson at National Church Group Insurance Agency (NCG). She retired as a Vice President at NCG in 2021.

Valerie was a kind and generous soul, always putting others' needs before her own. She served as a member of the Washington Reginal Transplant Community's Doner Family Counsel. Her love and compassion extended to all those who knew her, and she will be remembered for her infectious smile and warm personality.

A memorial service will be held at 1:00 pm on Monday, April 8, 2024, at the Loudoun Funeral Chapel & Crematory (158 Catoctin Circle SE, Leesburg, VA 20175). In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the Washington Reginal Transplant Community or Kids Konnection in memory of Valerie Ruth Stalnaker.



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Rest in peace, mom. You will forever be in our hearts and memories.



Events

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Memorial Service

 **Monday**, April 8, 2024


 1:00 PM ET


 **Loudoun Funeral Chapel**
158 Catoctin Circle, S.E., Leesburg VA 20175

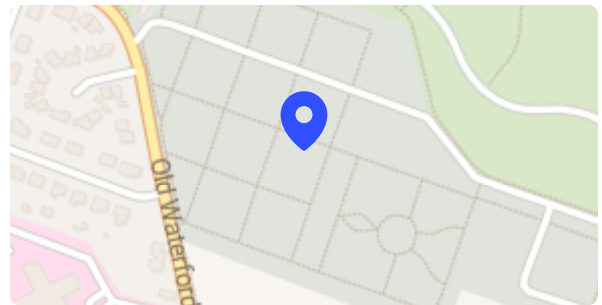


Burial

 **Monday**, April 8, 2024

 2:15 PM ET

 **Leesburg Union Cemetery**
323 N King St, Leesburg VA 20176-2211





Tribute Wall

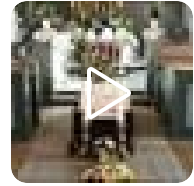
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Loudoun Funeral Chapels shared a **Webcast Video**.

April 6 at 7:42 AM



Loudoun Funeral Chapels shared a **Tribute Video**.

April 7 at 8:57 PM



Loudoun Funeral Chapels shared an album called **LifeTributes**.

April 4 at 2:17 PM



Christine Freeman posted:

Val with her beautiful, dimpled smile and courage that she had shown throughout some extremely, difficult times during the 27 years that we were neighbors and friends. A loving, kind and compassionate soul. I will miss sharing laughs, Val had such a boisterous, infectious laugh. I will miss her beautiful quotes from the Bible, her faith in Christ and never ending hope. We had deep, long conversations and I know in my heart, that she is joined with her beloved Tom and her family. Our last conversation we spoke of her children and how proud she was of them, the fine adults they grew to be along with their loving supportive spouses and her grandchildren. Now, they will have two parents looking after them always from above. With our love and sympathy to her family, Christine

April 7 at 4:16 AM



Charmaine Dockett posted:

Valerie will always have a special place and memory in my heart. Though she was my boss, I always considered her my friend! She was always there to listen or just to have a few laughs! Her love of the Lord gives me peace in knowing the angels of heaven are rejoicing as a beautiful new angel named Valerie arrived on April 1st. Some people you just never forget and Valerie is one of them! My deepest condolences and prayers to her family! Love you Valerie!

April 5 at 10:36 AM



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LS

Lynn Scanlan posted:

Valerie was such a spiritual strength. The scriptural insight that she had was amazing. She provided me with much strength during a very difficult time in my life. I know she is in a good place and it is us that feel the sadness of her spirit not being with us. Valerie, I hope that you know how loved you are.

April 5 at 8:38 AM

LC

Leigh Ann Cline posted:

My deepest condolences to you all. May you find solace and strength in the beautiful memories. Please know that my prayers and thoughts are with you all.

April 5 at 8:13 AM

RY

Robin Young posted:

I will long cherish the travel adventures I shared with Valerie. We both adored being grandmas and enjoyed swapping pictures and stories of our families. See you in Heaven Valerie.- Robin Young

April 4 at 2:17 PM



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TRIBUTE VIDEO

A JOURNEY
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The video thumbnail features a bright blue sky with white, fluffy clouds. The text 'A JOURNEY of REMEMBRANCE' is centered in a red, serif font, with 'of' in a smaller, cursive font. A white play button icon is overlaid on the text. In the bottom right corner, there is a QR code and a black button with the text 'SCAN TO WATCH' in white.



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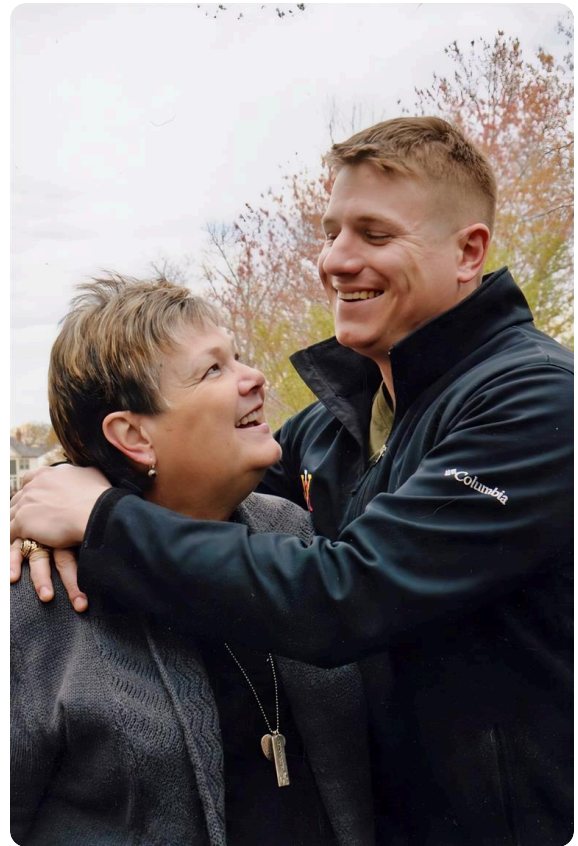
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Loudoun Funeral Chapels shared 53 photos to the **LifeTributes** album.

April 7 at 8:53 PM









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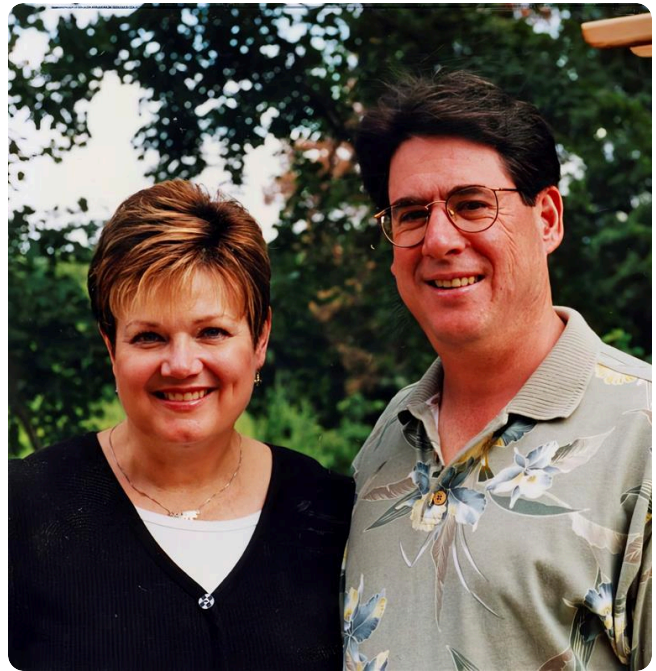




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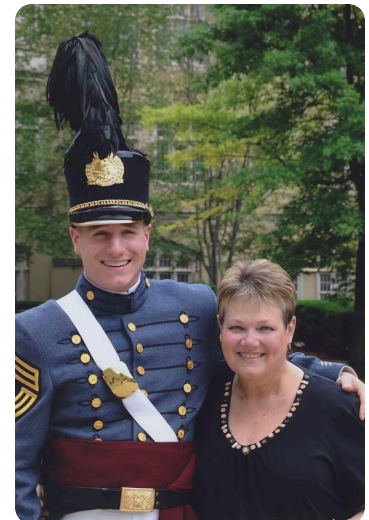




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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Valerie by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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