



Emma "Emmy" Ramsay Lorusso

September 18, 1929 - July 13, 2020

Emma "Emmy" Ramsay Lorusso passed away on Monday, July 13, 2020. Beloved wife of the late Rucky Joseph Lorusso. Loving mother of Peggy L. Burch (Guy) and the late Stephen Charles Lorusso and Rebecca Lorusso. Grandmother of Ryan Lorusso (Tammy), Ramsay Burch, Lily Burch and Eva Burch. Great grandmother of Hannah and Emma Lorusso. Daughter of the late Harry Ramsay and Louise Lipscomb Ramsay. Sister of Margie Burroughs and Bonnie Lingel. Nephews Scott, Trey, Chris, Pierre and niece Liz. Emmy was almost 91 years old and had enjoyed a happy and fulfilled life. She was born in 1929 to Harry Bertram and Louise Lipscomb Ramsay. After a childhood in uptown New Orleans, she lived in Metairie, La. She met the love of her life, Rucky J. Lorusso, from Norwood, Mass. At Southeastern Louisiana University, and they married in 1950, settling in River Ridge, La. During their long marriage they loved their three children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren. Emmy devoted many selfless years to St. Paul's United Methodist Church in Harahan. She was active in the WSCS at the church and many community and school events. She was still meeting with life-long friends for coffee and friendship. One of Emmy's favorite things was to come to her country home in Vancleave, Miss. to visit with cousins there, swim in the creek and pick blueberries. She was well loved for her generous spirit and kindness.

The family would like to express their heartfelt appreciation to the staff of Metairie Health Care Center for their loving care.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation at L. A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home, 2607 Williams Blvd., Kenner on Friday, July 17, 2020 from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. followed by a Funeral Service at 6:00 p.m. A Graveside Service will be held on Saturday July 18, 2020 in Ramsay Cemetery, Vancleave, MS at 11:00 a.m.

Due to the current circumstances, everyone is required to wear a mask for the protection of themselves and other attendees. If you are unable to attend, please share memories, photos or condolences at www.muhleisen.com

Cemetery Details

Ramsay Cemetery

Vanceleave, MS

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 17. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

L. A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home
2607 Williams Boulevard
Kenner, LA 70062

Service

JUL 17. 6:00 PM (CT)

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Graveside Service

JUL 18. 11:00 AM (CT)

Ramsay Cemetery
Vanceleave, MS

Tribute Wall



“ *Emma "Emmy" Ramsay Lorusso*

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ *Peggy I am sorry to learn of your Mom's passing. I remember her well such a sweet person. My condolences to you and your family during this difficult time.*

Janet Reed

Janet Reed - July 18, 2020 at 08:09 AM



“ *Dear Emmy's Family, I am so very sorry. Sincerely, Dorothy Hill St. Paul's Worship Comm. Chairman*

Dorothy Hill - July 17, 2020 at 03:23 PM



“ *PEGGY OUR HEARTS ARE HEAVY ON HEARING OF EMMY DYING . WE ENJOYED RAISING OUR FAMILY ACROSS THE STREET FROM YA'LL AND RELIED ON RUCKY AND EMMY FOR FRIENDSHIP AND WISDOM AND HER EXAMPLE OF A CHRISTIAN MOM WAS INSPIRATIONAL .RUCKY'S ADVICE TO ME WAS ALWAYS WISE AND WE LOVE THE MEMORIES THAT WE ALL HAVE OF YOUR FAMILIES FRIENDSHIP . LOVE , BRENDA AND PAUL*

Paul Windham - July 17, 2020 at 01:44 PM

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“ Growing up with the Lorusso family across the street was a blessing. We played with Becky and Peggy and mostly ran from Steve and his BB gun. Miss Emmy always had popsicles in her freezer during the summer. We would knock on the side door and she would always deliver - better than the ice cream truck. She also made the most beautiful custom Barbie clothes for our dolls. I still remember a red velvet dress and matching coat for my Midge doll. I'm also a huge old movie fan and every time I see Barbra Streisand on TCM I think of Miss Emmy. She was a huge fan!

Hugs and love Peggy, I'm so sorry for your loss.

Kelly Windham Betts

Kelly Windham Betts - July 17, 2020 at 11:21 AM