



Jutta Gourley

May 15, 1927 - March 16, 2022

Jutta Gourley, born Jutta Gabriele Countess von Tauffkirchen zu Guttenburg, beloved mother, grandmother and great grandmother passed away on Wednesday, March 16, 2022. She was 94 years old. Jutta was born May 15, 1927 in München, Germany to the late Max Eugen Emil Karl Graf von Tauffkirchen and Margarete Ilse Gräfin von Tauffkirchen, born Bestehorn. She migrated to the United States in 1949. On June 6, 1953 she married James Gourley, US Army. They were stationed in Germany, France, and multiple U.S. bases before retiring in Orlando, Florida in 1964.

Jutta enjoyed gardening and her flower beds were admired by everyone. She loved music, dancing, and baking. She was always available to care for her children, grandchildren, and neighbors. She never missed a chance to send cards to her family and friends to let them know she cared. Jutta was loved by everyone that knew her.

Jutta was pre-deceased by her husband James, her brother Max-Egon von Tauffkirchen, and her twin sister Ingeborg Garner. She is survived by her brother Hellmut Kehren and his wife Helga of Hannover, Germany, her sister Helga Kehren of Italy, her son Bill Szeveczyk and his wife Norma of North Dakota, her daughter Judy Brown and her husband Bill of Winter Springs, FL, her daughter Sylvia Driggers and her husband Ed, her son Jim Gourley and his wife Dawn of Orlando FL. She was Omama to her four grandchildren, Chris Brown (Emily), Chad Brown, David Gourley (Beth), and Denise Ortiz (Nick). She loved her three great-grandchildren Gavin and Grayson Ortiz and Madison Gourley. Jutta looked forward to her expected fourth great-grandchild, Mackenzie Gourley.

She will be greatly missed by all including here longtime friends Jóse, Jack, David, and Tommy.

A celebration of her life will be communicated at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to HOPE Helps, HARBOR HOUSE of Central Florida, or C.A.T.S-C.A.N., Inc.

The family invites you to leave messages on the Tribute Wall and add photos that you may have of Jutta.

Tribute Wall

JU

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Judy - March 21, 2022 at 06:10 PM

DM

I love this!!❤️

Debbie Munson - March 22, 2022 at 04:42 PM

JU

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Judy - March 21, 2022 at 06:02 PM

WJ

“ She was such a kind and caring lady. I regret not seeing her lately. I pray for peace and comfort for you, Judy and your family. I hope your sweet memories will help you through this difficult time.

Wanda Johnson - March 21, 2022 at 05:05 PM

JU

“ Today is my birthday but it is so different without you. You loved me since the day I was born and I have loved you all of my life.

Judy - March 21, 2022 at 03:29 PM

DB

“ Although I did not know Jutta, I can only imagine she was kind, loving and family centered, like her daughter, Sylvia. My sympathies go out to her family with the hopes that in this hard time you can remember the happy times and know that she is no longer in pain and is at peace. I am sure she will be missed by many.

Deb Bradley - March 20, 2022 at 10:40 AM

JQ

“ Jutta was our neighbor and became a friend. She immediately introduced herself and we were smitten by her. She would invite me over and we would talk. She shared stories of her life in Germany, life at Engelwood Park in the 60 and 70s and about the neighbors. She would show us photographs of her life as a child in Germany and of the hardships during the war. She always made me smile and have a good laugh. I am actually smiling now. She also she fed me! I would come home from work and find a Tupperware with spaghetti and meat sauce or cookies. She was a gentle woman with a big heart. Our years at Englewood Park were memorable partly because of Jutta. Jutta, we will never forget you. You became part of our lives and I cherish that. Love Jack and David.

Jack Quinones - March 18, 2022 at 09:43 PM

NO

“ My deepest condolences... I'm so sorry Judy...God will comfort you in this difficult time and the family..I was so honored to received so many beautiful card's and love from your mom My friend Jutta and many laughs we've shared together and every moment I am so grateful 🌹 I know someday I'll see you again.In my heart I'll hold you close and keep you safe until then.keep sending me signs Always Remembered always loved I will always keep Jutta in my heart as one of the finest people I've know in my life...Love ..Lives on forever...Norma and family ❤️

Norma - March 18, 2022 at 06:50 PM

SB

“ Jutta was wonderful woman who loved her family deeply. I was honored to be the recipient of many beautiful cards from Jutta and in each one she always had a message of caring. I remember many times when she was there when Chris and Chad were little and how she loved those boys and was so proud of them. Though she will be missed, there are many people (myself included) who will never forget her.

Susan Bauer - March 17, 2022 at 10:50 PM

TS

“ My deepest condolence to the Family....I'm so sorry Judy..May the Lord comfort you and protect you and family during this difficult time..Amen..

Tim Self - March 17, 2022 at 10:38 PM

DO

“ On Wednesday my Omama passed away peacefully. Growing up we always would look forward to being with Omama. I have memories of playing with her, her orange trees and clothes lines in her back yard, all the beautiful flowers that surrounded her and the cards she would send to me as a child for any and every occasion.

Im happy Omama was able to meet my babies, and that my babies were able to spend some time with her as well.

With covid we didn't get to see her as much as we would have liked to the last 2 years because she was fragile, but we will be forever grateful to my Aunt Judy Brown who took Omama into her own home and cared for her mother, my Omama, for many years.

There will forever be an empty space in our family, but we rest easy knowing she is no longer hurting. 💖❤️🕊️💖

Denise ortiz - March 17, 2022 at 06:55 PM

CO

“ Jutta's daughter Judy was my best friend in elementary school. I was often at her house. She was a wonderful person, warm and welcoming. She always enjoyed planting flowers and everyone would slow down while driving by her house to admire her garden. She will be missed by many.

connieweaver - March 17, 2022 at 06:52 PM

DM

“ I was friends growing up with Judy & Sylvia. (Jamie was little) Spent a lot of time in their home and she became like a Mom to me. Loved teasing her. Her flowers and tan were always amazing. She loved chocolates, so when I visited I always brought her some with flowers. She sent cards out all the time before she began to fail. Gonna miss that I didn't get to see her more due to the Covid pandemic. She is whole again in Heaven and will have the prettiest flower garden up there! Rest In Peace Jutta ❤️🌹🌸 PS. Sending love to all her family.

Debbie Munson - March 17, 2022 at 06:51 PM

BI

“ I met Jutta when I was just 14 years old while walking home from school with Judy and her friend Connie. She always treated me very special even with long hair and a motorcycle :) I took German in high school as I thought for sure it would be easy with her help. She did help but it was NOT easy.

Bill - March 17, 2022 at 05:47 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jutta Gourley.* ”



March 17, 2022 at 05:11 PM