



Marilyn D'Arville

February 18, 1935 - November 18, 2020

Marilyn was born in New York City, N.Y. on February 18, 1935. She was born to Anthony and Dorothy Cipriano. Her formative school years were spent in New York City. She relocated with her family to the Bronx where at a young age, Marilyn took her first job at a hospital nearby. She went on to become a telephone operator for Bell Telephone Company.

Marilyn was crowned "Miss Reingold" in a beauty pageant and went on to become a model. She met her husband Edmond James D'Arville shortly after he had enlisted in the Navy. They were married on October 31, 1953 at St. Raymond's Catholic Church in the Bronx. Ed graduated from Fort Schuyler and went on to become a Navy pilot. Throughout this time Marilyn worked tirelessly to raise five lively children: Lynn Anne (Lyndsey), Edmond Anthony (Ed), Jeanne Marie (Jeannie), John Dean (J.D.), and Michael James (Mike); all the while supporting his 22 year military career.

Marilyn was constantly packing the family up to move every couple of years. They lived in South Carolina, Texas, Newfoundland, Canada, Virginia, Rhode Island, and Florida. She raised 5 children on her own as Ed was deployed on many battleships as a naval pilot where he served in the Korean and Vietnam Wars. Marilyn spent endless hours caring for her young children. She was a fabulous cook, talented seamstress, and a master gardener. Marilyn was the president of the Officer's Wives Club and she managed the Naval thrift store.

She was a role model for the other military wives. She hosted many beautiful dinner parties. All of the above helped to support and advance her husband's career. Other family activities included boating and many sea mishaps! In her little free time Marilyn enjoyed painting, working with stained glass, and floral arranging. There was never a plant she could not grow! Many of her children often sought gardening advice. Orchids loved her! To this day she has a "window seat" filled with 25 blooming orchids.

Marilyn and Ed retired from his service in the Navy and relocated to Altamonte Springs, Florida. While Ed stayed busy starting a business Marilyn was busy raising their family and taking care of their Dalmatians. Once the children had all left the nest they had time to enjoy the state of Florida. Later in life Marilyn spent 7 years caring for her parents and Mother in Law in her home. She lovingly tended to their needs until they passed away.

In the next chapter of their lives Marilyn and Ed enjoyed traveling the world. Considering that she was an only child Marilyn was delighted to find out that she had relatives in Italy. She and Ed boarded a plane to Italy to meet her relatives shortly thereafter. Out of all of their great adventures around the world they considered this to be the trip of a lifetime!

After Ed became ill he underwent chemotherapy for five years. Marilyn was heartbroken that she could no longer care for him at home. He moved into the beautiful Lake Nona VA Living Center. She moved to Lake Nona to be nearby. Marilyn learned on the fast track after Ed passed away how to manage financial accounts. She filled her life with her children, grandchildren, and twin great grandchildren. Her constant companion was her beloved dog, Romeo. She continued to hone her gardening skills and maintained an immaculate home. She taught all of her children the value of hard work, honor, and to love their country, and love each other. Marilyn accepted Christ as her Savior and loved telling other people about Jesus. Marilyn passed away at age 85 on

November 18, 2020.

Marilyn is survived by children: Lynn and Schuyler Lovestrand, Ed and Debbie D'Arville, Jeannie Rothamel, J.D. and Wanda D'Arville, Michael and Michelle D'Arville. Grandchildren: Lauria Lovestrand, Cheriessa and John Smith, Crystalise Lovestrand, Melissa and R.J. Manchester, Matthew Rothamel, Jenna Rothamel, Bethany Rothamel, and Colin Rothamel, Michael D'Arville, Rebecca D'Arville, and Blake D'Arville. Great grandchildren: Dahlia Trout and Zinnia Trout. Marilyn is predeceased by her husband Edmond D'Arville. Parents: Anthony Cipriano and Dorothy Cipriano. Father and Mother in Law: Edmond D'Arville and Estelle D'Arville. Son in Law: Bill Rothamel.

Marilyn will be greatly missed by her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren. May you rest in your Heavenly Father's arms until we meet again.

The family of Marilyn D'Arville invites you to leave a message of condolence on the Tribute Wall created in her loving memory.

Previous Events

Public Visitation for Family and Friends

NOV **25**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

DeGusipe Funeral Home & Crematory Maitland Chapel
9001 N. Orlando Ave
Maitland, FL 32751
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Celebration of Life

NOV **25**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Graveside Service

NOV **25**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Florida National Cemetery
6502 SW 102nd Avenue
Bushnell, FL 33513

Tribute Wall

ED

“ HI MOM just wanted to tell you **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**
we miss you and **LOVE YOU** and just wanted you to know **Romeo**
is doing well **LOVE YA ED . DEB and MELLISSA**

EDMOND - February 18 at 08:29 PM

ED

“ hey i forgot to you **romeo** is doing good and has turned out be a
really good dog and he loves **jazzie**

ed darville - December 24, 2025 at 10:47 PM

ED

“ HI mom jaus wanted to wish you a merry **christmas** and we love and
miss you

Ed , Deb and Melissa

ed darville - December 24, 2025 at 10:42 PM

ED

“ **edmond darville** lit a candle in memory of
Marilyn D'Arville



edmond darville - February 18, 2025 at 04:40 PM

ED

“ Hi Mom happy birthday!! We miss you dearly
you dog Romeo is doing great
I am sure he misses you also but I think he
likes new home with us. LOVE YA
MISS YOU LOEV ED, DEB an MELISSA and
of course ROMEO



edmond darville - February 18, 2025 at 04:40 PM

ED

“ MERRY CHRISTMAS MOM
We all love you and miss you a bunch. Your dog Romeo is doing
fine and
getting along well with our other dogs and everyone else.
Love ya ed Deb and melissa rj

edmond darville - December 25, 2024 at 01:18 PM

ED

“ happy thanksgiving MOM love ya miss you. and Romeo is doing
fine. he had thanksgiving treats today, love ed and family

edmond a darville - November 28, 2024 at 09:10 AM

ED

“ Hi Mom Today is kind of a sad day as it it is four years since you
made it to heaven, I love you and miss you dearly. We all miss your
laughter and the sec the special times we had with you, You and
dad were the best parents anybody could ask for. thanks for all you
did for us. LOVE YOU ED, DEB, and MELISSA .!!!

edmond a darville - November 18, 2024 at 09:08 AM

ED

“ *MERRY CHRISTMAS MOM love you and miss you lots.. Romeo is doing good love deb ed and melissa and all the dogs,,*

edmond darville - December 26, 2023 at 12:47 AM

MD

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Mike D'Arville - February 18, 2023 at 03:23 PM

MD

“ *Happy Heavenly Birthday Mom! Still love and miss you bunches. A beautiful flower for a beautiful soul! Happy Birthday!*



Mike D'Arville - February 18, 2023 at 10:28 AM

MD

“ Merry Christmas 2022 Mom! Hoping to finish up your tribute garden soon. All of the beautiful flower blooms remind me of you. Here's the latest blooms from your garden and the memorial stone I had created in your honor. Still love and miss you much!



Mike D'Arville - December 25, 2022 at 11:00 PM

ED

“ HI MOM today is the sad 2nd ANNIVERSARY of your day to meet the lord
Deb and I went to your final resting place to honor you and just say hi and
drop off some flowers for you and dad also,,, LOVE YOU BOTH
AND MISS
BOTH OF YOU GREATLY LOVE ED DEB & MELISSA AND YOUR
DOG
ROMEO goodnight and god bless!!!

edmond darville - November 18, 2022 at 11:26 PM

MD

“ Tomorrow will be your 2nd anniversary in Heaven. You are missed more than words can express. I planted a memorial garden in your memory. The roses and flowers in bloom remind me of you. So very glad to call you mom! Love you forever and always!



Mike D'Arville - November 17, 2022 at 10:46 PM

MD

“ Happy heavenly Birthday Mom! Today I will be celebrating you and giving thanks for the countless fond memories. You still make my heart smile! Love you forever and always!



Mike D'Arville - February 18, 2022 at 09:10 AM

MD

“ Happy Thanksgiving Mom, so very grateful for your love! Missing you, but counting my blessings. Love you forever and always!



Mike D'Arville - November 25, 2021 at 12:04 PM

MD

“ Today is your 1st Anniversary in Heaven. Wanted to let you know not a day goes by without a thought or memory of you crossing my mind. Your company, smile and laughter are missed without end. Thank you for being a fantastic mother and positive influence in my life. Love you forever and always!



Mike D'Arville - November 18, 2021 at 01:43 PM

MD

“ Happy 1st Mother's Day in Heaven Mom! Missing your smile and laughter on Mother's Day and every day in between. Still celebrating YOU on Mother's Day! You are loved and missed more than words can convey! Love you forever and always!



Mike D'Arville - May 08, 2021 at 11:41 PM

MD

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Mike D'Arville - February 18, 2021 at 08:33 AM

MD

“ Happy 1st Birthday in Heaven Mom! I am heading out to your place of rest today to visit and celebrate you. I love and miss you!



Mike D'Arville - February 18, 2021 at 08:30 AM

MD

“ 1 file added to the album Marilyn Tribute Video



Mike D'Arville - December 18, 2020 at 11:00 AM

JO

*Dear Lynn Anne, Bud, Jeannie, JD, Mike, and family: My deepest condolences to all of you. I will always treasure such fond memories of your dear mother (Aunt Lynn) and father (Uncle Ed) and look forward to the day when we will all meet up again in paradise. My deepest respect and love,
John O'Donnell and family.*

John O'Donnell - January 10, 2021 at 06:23 PM

MD

“ 1 file added to the album Marilyn Tribute Video



Mike D'Arville - November 26, 2020 at 07:12 PM

MD

“ *Happy Thanksgiving Mom! Give dad and everyone in heaven a squeeze from me! Today I am struggling to be happy, but am forever grateful for your love. I am thankful beyond words to call you Momma and a friend! I love you and miss you bunches my blue eyed angel.*



Mike D'Arville - November 26, 2020 at 01:33 PM

ED

“ Mom Today we said our final goodbyes as we laid you to rest in Bushnell next to dad
Rest in peace, and thank you for being such a GREAT MOM and all you have done
for us kids over the years.... GODSPEED Love ED , DEB and MELISSA

Edmond Darville - November 25, 2020 at 11:04 PM

AL

“ ALDOT purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Marilyn D'Arville.



ALDOT - November 24, 2020 at 12:05 PM

KH

“ My most sincere condolences to the family. May God strengthen and comfort you during this difficult time.

Kathi Horstead
ALDOT

Kathi Horstead - November 23, 2020 at 12:25 PM

JP

“ Jeremy and Stephanie Powell purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Marilyn D'Arville.



Jeremy and Stephanie Powell - November 23, 2020 at 10:32 AM