



Pamela Bruce Holmer

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Pamela Bruce Holmer, 68, of University Park, lost her battle with cancer and passed away on February 11, 2014.

Pamela was born on May 4, 1945 in Cincinnati, Ohio the daughter of Leo and Eleanor (Fisher) Lorenz. On July 13, 1990 she married Ronald Holmer. Pamela and Ronald lived several years in Langhorne, Pennsylvania where she was a psychotherapist. Her passions included traveling the world, reading non-fiction, Ikebana floral arranging, and playing trivia and card games. Pamela loved cooking and frequently entertained at home. She enjoyed attending classical music concerts, ballet, independent films, plays and art museums. Pamela was known for her elegant personal style and a flair for home decorating. Friends and family will remember her best for her sharp wit, class, intelligence, candor, and sense of adventure.

Upon retirement, Pamela and Ronald traveled to Europe and purchased a home on the Costa del Sol, Spain where they spent several winters. She particularly enjoyed river cruising in Europe and her favorite cities to visit were London, Florence and Paris. After Ron's passing in 2008, Pamela moved to Sarasota and volunteered for Jewish Family and Children's Services. Pamela was a strong advocate for education, a passionate supporter of U.S. military veterans and generously gave to several charities. She was especially proud of her Scottish heritage and was an active member of the Family of Bruce International.

Pamela is survived by her son - Philip Ira Juels and his wife Kerrie, daughter - Jacquelyn Dawn Familant, stepdaughters - Katherine Holmer and Christine Cignac, stepson - Steven Holmer, grandsons - Jason, Alexander and Robert Juels and step granddaughters -Ginger and Traci Holmer. Also surviving Pamela are sister Diane Austin and brother Lee Lorenz, as well as cousins, nieces, nephews, in-laws, and a host of friends.

Service to celebrate Pamela's life will be held on Sunday, March 16th at 1:30pm at Skyway Memorial Gardens, Palmetto with Cantor Marci Vitkus officiating – skywaymemorial.com. Flowers may be ordered through Oneco Florist – onecoflorist.com, 1-800-771-1296 (ask for



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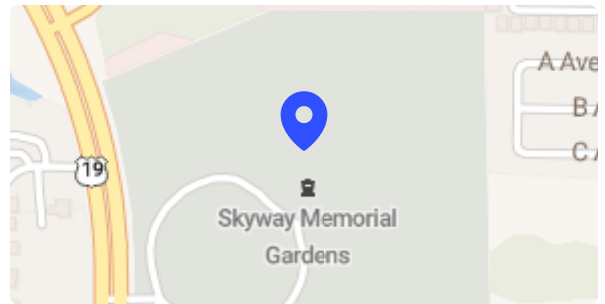
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 **Sunday**, March 16, 2014


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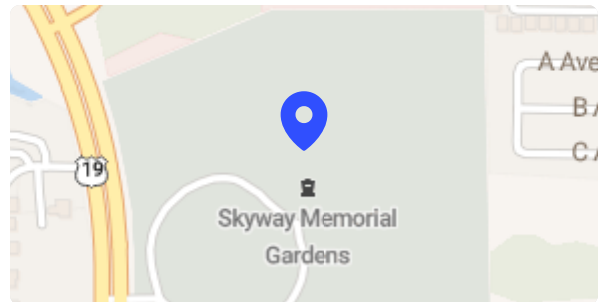
 **Skyway Memorial Gardens**
5200 US Hwy 19 N, Palmetto FL 34221



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Tribute Wall

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Ruth Z Deming posted:

I worked with Pam at Bristol-Bensalem Human Services in PA. I remember in particular what a great mom she was, encouraging her daughter in her opera career. Pam and I had loads of fun, cracking each other up, between the serious business of looking after our clients. - Ruth Z Deming of Willow Grove, PA

December 29 at 7:47 PM



Anonymous sent a Multicolor Bright Sympathy Standing Spray to the Holmer family.



March 15 at 8:16 AM

AL

Anthony Lorenz posted:

Pam was always the "with it" cousin when we all were growing up in Cincinnati - the first to do many things including, I believe, seeing West Side Story at a young age when it was considered quite scandalous at the time. She was always a friend and, much like her father, Leo, able to talk you to you on your level. She will be missed, and remembered, as we continued our journey on this mortal coil.

March 8 at 11:10 AM

CG

Chris Gignac September 24 at 7:45 PM

I learned many lessons from Pam about how not to be a kind person and a loving, caring step-mom. Thank you Pam.

ML

Mark Lorenz March 11 at 9:29 AM

Pam was one of the few cousins that made it a point to visit her Cincinnati relatives regularly. Frequently she was just passing through on her way to somewhere else; other times she flew in just to spend a week or so with us. I always looked forward to the family stories and mordant sense of humor. I am afraid that her passing will leave a void in this respect.



Memories only last if you share them

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



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