



Walta Cathryn Quenga

February 5, 1947 - June 5, 2015

Walta Cathryn Cox Quenga, 68, of Summerville, wife of Enrique “Ricky” H. Quenga, passed away Friday, June 5, 2015 at Trident Medical Center. Family and friends are invited to attend a gathering Tuesday, June 9, 2015 from 6 to 8 o’clock at James A. Dyal Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Summerville Meals on Wheels, PO Box 592, Summerville, SC 29484 or Frances R. Willis SPCA, 136 Four Paws Lane, Summerville, SC 29483.

Mrs. Quenga was born February 5, 1947 in Siloam Springs, AR, daughter of the late Walter Russell Cox and Anna Louise Foster Cox. Cathy loved her God, her country, and her family. She was married to her high school sweetheart, Ricky, for almost 50 years. She proudly served as a military spouse for 28 of these years, stationed at ten bases across the US, Okinawa, the Philippines, and Italy, finally settling in Summerville in 1987. Wherever she was, she made a home, and was always pleased to host friends, family and service members for holidays and special occasions. As a military spouse, she had many careers, but spent the most time working as a cosmetologist and office manager. She officially retired in 2013 as the Dorchester County Coordinator, Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) of the Carolina Lowcountry Red Cross Chapter of the Palmetto Region. She was the consummate mother and homemaker, supporting her children, and later her grandchildren at school, scouts, church, athletics and horse shows. She decorated elaborate birthday cakes, loved to golf and keep up with friends and

family around the world and close to home. Since retiring from RSVP, she continued to volunteer with Summerville Meals on Wheels, the Summerville Medical Center and many other Lowcountry organizations.

Survivors, including her husband Enrique "Ricky", are one daughter and one son: Shelli Dawn Quenga (Kelly Herrick) of Summerville and Lance Erique Quenga (Cori) of Mascoutah, IL; three grandchildren: Magdalena Quenga Cammack (Harley) of Rincon, GA, Erin Elise Quenga and Enrique Hernandez Quenga, II, both of Mascoutah, IL; one great grandson: Marshall Judd Cammack of Rincon, GA; one brother and one sister: L. Russell Cox (Pat) of Little Rock, AR and Carol Ann Cox McCormick (Bob) of Strang, OK and a number of nieces and nephews.

A memorial message may be sent to the family by visiting our website at www.jamesadyal.com.

ARRANGEMENTS BY JAMES A. DYAL FUNERAL HOME, 303 S. MAIN STREET, SUMMERVILLE, SC 29483 (843) 873-4040

Tribute Wall



“ *Walta Cathryn Quenga*

September 29, 2022 at 10:11 AM



“ *Oh I had not heard about Cathy-how horrible. Wonderful person. What happened? Auto accident, cancer? God bless Rick, Shelli-Maggie and all the family.*

JH Harris - October 29, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *I have nothing but fond memories of Mrs. Quenga. As a young teenager in Aviano, Italy she always knew the right things to say to us with her peaceful and gentle way. My deepest sympathy and love goes out to the family! I will forever remember Mrs. Quenga as a beautiful angel still looking down smiling. Gone but never forgotten!!!*

Catina Davis - June 16, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Grief can be so hard, but our special memories help us cope. Remembering you and your loved one today and always.*

Betty and Dwight Pound - June 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *It was my pleasure to call Cathy a friend. I always looked forward to our visits. Such a sweet, warm person. I will miss her.*

Susan Seay - June 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM

VD

“ I have so many fond memories of her at gatherings of Maggie and my children...always smiling and "going with the flow."

Virginia DeRoma - June 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ Shelli, I am so sorry to learn of your mom's passing. She was such a fine lady. She was always such a great volunteer along with your dad. Please accept my deepest sympathy. Jane Locke

June 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ We lost a real sweetheart. Heartbroken.. just too soon for her to be gone! Prayers for comfort, strength and peace for Rick, Lance, Shelli and other family members. She loved all of you dearly and loved talking about you. You made her happy and proud. I do miss her so.

LindaWard Berger - June 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PJ

“ To all family members, Cathy was a wonderful, caring, loving and giving person! She was always wanting to help others and did! Nothing she couldn't do!!!! Loved her family! Always talking and bragging about you guys! Loved her and my heart breaks for you! She is another angel in heaven!

Pat McTeer Jackson - June 08, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ Cathy, I'll love you forever.

Phyllis Breese - June 08, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ *Cathy was a wonder in this world and will be greatly missed. God bless her family.*

Denise Moore - June 08, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MY

“ *Cathy was a good friend going back to Junior High school in Tulsa. She had a sparkle and it was always more fun when she was around. My sympathy and love to Ricky, Carol and their families.*

Marcia Young - June 08, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KE

“ *God bless you and may fond memories bring peace to the entire Quenga family. May the love of family and friends comfort you during these difficult days. Our most heartfelt condolences. Kevin & Stacy*

Kevin - June 08, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WI

“ *Cathy we only met a few times, but feel like we had known each other for a lifetime. God's blessing upon the family that love you and will miss you forever. R.I.P. my sweet friend.*

Wendy losa - June 08, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LP

“ *Sorry for your loss I didn't know her but she sounded like a wonderful and loving lady. My prayers and thoughts are with your family.*

Louann Parker - June 08, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ *Cathy will be in our hearts forever. We will miss you.*

Monica and Nicholas Martinez - June 08, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ *Cathy, Myself and so many were blessed by knowing you, your legacy will go on forever. You were my personal angel, you always knew how to help me, and how to counsel me, and knew just what to say. My world was so much better knowing you! Thank you Cathy, Thank you Cathy and Ricky for all the love.*

Susan Rogers - June 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LT

“ *I visualize God w/open arms, as you walk towards him, in your New-Life. May your beautiful soul be at peace. We love you Cousin-Cathy. Your Familia on Guam.*

Lisa Quenga Tudela - June 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM