



ANN LONG

November 30, 1938 - May 19, 2022

Ann Bothos Long , 83, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri passed away Thursday, May 19, 2022 surrounded by her family at St. Francis Hospital.

She was born November 30, 1938 in Athens, Greece to John and Angela Bothos.

Ann became a U.S. Citizen in her early twenties. She loved cooking for her family and friends. Her hands were her instruments for serving others, decorating, sewing, babysitting & organizing everyone's house whether they asked her to or not.

She was known and loved by many as "Yia Yia". We could write a book about all the "Yia Yia" isms, but she didn't want us to tell her life story or make a fuss over her.

She was a member of Connection Point Church in Jackson.

Survivors include three daughters, Angie Miskell, Linda (Lance) McKinney both of Jackson, Missouri and Brenda (Darryl) Rendleman of Anna, Illinois; a brother; George (Mary) Bothos; granddaughters, Bobbi Jo (Miles) Martin, Christy (Marc) Gardner, Conner (Will) Simmons; grandsons, Paul "Toodie" (Sandra) Carter, Jacob (Molly) Long; seven great grandchildren; Two step

children, Amalia (Brian Phillips) Demopoulos and their children, Alexia and Nefeli and Kostas (Maggie) Demopoulos and children, Nickolas Astraia Ioanna and Kostiki; several nieces and nephews; and her best friend, Fotoula Demopoulos.

Visitation will be from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm on Monday, May 23, 2022 at Ford & Sons Funeral Home in Jackson, Missouri.

Funeral Service will follow at 1:00 pm Monday, May 23, 2022 at the funeral home with the Dr. Chris Vaught officiating.

She was preceded in death by her parents, daughter, Margie Long Carter and three great-grandchildren.

Burial will be at Russell Heights Cemetery in Jackson.

Memorial contributions may be given to St. Jude Children Research Hospital or Connection Point Church in Jackson.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com.

Ford & Sons Funeral Home - Mt. Auburn is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Russell Heights Cemetery

Jackson, MO 63755

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 23. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Ford and Sons Jackson
708 W. Main Street
Jackson, MO 63755

Funeral Service

MAY 23. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

VS

“ Angie, I just saw your Mother’s obituary. I am so sorry for your loss. I knew your parents from the ‘Procter & Gamble’ days and later would run in to her on occasion. She was such a sweet lady. I know you, your family, and friends will miss her greatly.
Verna (Farmer) Stovall

Verna Stovall - May 31, 2022 at 01:36 PM

TM

“ Brenda, Linda, Angie and family,

So sorry for your loss. May you feel God's love, comfort and peace in this difficult time.
Hugs and prayers.



Tammy Mueller - May 23, 2022 at 03:37 PM

AB

“ Yia would tell me story’s all the time and I love her so much

Ashlyn Baer - May 22, 2022 at 06:27 PM

CH

She loved you so much. ❤️

Christy - May 22, 2022 at 07:57 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of
ANN LONG.



May 22, 2022 at 12:24 AM

JF

“ After living in So California my whole life, Ron (my husband) moved me here to Jackson MO where we would live. That first evening, Ron bbq'd but we had nothing with which to make a salad. He said "Ill take you next door to meet our neighbor, Ann. She greeted me wholeheartedly, and offered to take me to "Country Mart." So off we went, and I bought salad makings. When we got to her car, she opened her trunk and there we stood for about .30 minutes telling each other our life stories. I asked her if I could call her Annie, and she yes, as long as I can call you Jannie. Annie was my first friend her in Missouri, and she and I remained very close all these years. She loved to make jalapenos stuffed with cream cheese, then wrapped in bacon. Oh my. Numerous times, she also made her special tzatziki and spanakopita. Oh, my gosh, was she a marvel in the kitchen, to say nothing of her immaculate home. We will miss her dearly. She was so easy to love. xoxo Ron and Jan Fiedler

Jan Fiedler - May 21, 2022 at 04:02 PM

MG

“ Marci Gardner-Edmonds lit a candle in memory of ANN LONG



Marci Gardner-Edmonds - May 21, 2022 at 12:05 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of ANN LONG.



May 20, 2022 at 11:05 PM

JW

“ I met her years ago she came to Oklahoma to visit Margie and Paul and the kids she came all the way from Greece and brought some marvelous cookies and candy I've never tasted anything like it since. She was a very sweet and lovely woman, now I know where Margie got her looks and attitude. I miss my dear friend very much. RIP lovely ladies.

Jean Waller - May 20, 2022 at 06:37 PM

NE

“ Loving Yia Yia was very easy. She had a huge and loving heart. She was always most happy when doing things for others. I loved her spunk as well, she believed in doing things right and being the best you could be. We could always find something to laugh about together. I will miss Yia Yia, but she lives on through you, her wonderful family.

Love to you all,
Nancy Estes

Nancy Estes - May 20, 2022 at 06:35 PM