



## Pamela M. Anderson

April 15, 1939 - April 12, 2021

Pam Anderson, age 81, passed away on April 12, 2021 at The Bailey Family Center for Caring. Pam was born in New Rochelle, NY on April 15, 1939, to Charles Milne and Esther Magnusson. She graduated from New Rochelle High School in 1956 and went on to work as an executive secretary at IBM for 25 years. After retiring from IBM, Pam moved to Newport, RI where she lived for 10 years and worked as a tour guide for The Preservation Society of Newport County. While a resident of Newport, she began traveling extensively, both within the US and abroad with friends and tour groups. She eventually began to divide her time seasonally between Newport and Key Largo, FL before finally relocating to the St. Augustine area in 2004. While residing here, she became very involved, both within her Coquina Crossing community and locally, with numerous groups such as The Red Hat Society, the St. Augustine Duplicate Bridge Club, American Association of University Women, The Limelight Theatre, and her “Divas” from pulmonary rehab. An avid reader, she could often be found scouring the shelves of the public library and she also participated in multiple book clubs. In addition, Pam was a huge supporter of the arts in all forms: museums, opera, the symphony, and theatre, and frequented them whenever possible. Since 2018, she was a resident of Allegro Senior Living in St. Augustine.

She was a loving and generous mother and grandmother and was happy to have her daughter move to St. Augustine in 2005. This enabled Pam to spend a great deal of time with her daughter, son-in-law and 2 granddaughters, as well as to participate in many of their numerous school and social activities.

Pam is predeceased by her father, mother, and her 2 brothers, Peter, and Alex Milne; she is survived by a stepbrother, Ken Eklund (Margie) of Palm Desert, CA; nephews and nieces Alex, Gregory and Lindsay Milne, of NY; her daughter, Tracy Chamberlain, son-in-law Brendan Chamberlain, granddaughters Emily and Riley Chamberlain, all of St. Augustine; and a son, Dale C., of New Rochelle, NY.

Out of respect for the ongoing pandemic, and in order to maintain the safety of her friends and family, a celebration of Pam’s life will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in her memory to Community Hospice & Palliative Care, or to the American Lung Association.

St. Johns Family Funeral Home & Crematory is handling arrangements.

# Comments

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“ A tribute video has been added.



**St. Johns Family Funeral Home** - April 17, 2021 at 01:04 PM

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“ Pam was a friend and I enjoyed playing bridge with her when we both lived at Coquina. She was proud of her grand daughters and loved to tell us about their activities. She was an interesting person to spend time with and I am glad she was part of my life when we both lived at Coquina.

**Pat Kyle** - April 18, 2021 at 08:48 PM

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“ I am shocked to hear of Pamela passing. I have know Pam for over 50 years. We reconnected on Facebook and has many pleasant conversations. I know the songs of Angels took Pamela to see the face of God.

**Sharon Serraino** - April 18, 2021 at 08:08 PM

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“ Dorothy Vassallo lit a candle in memory of Pamela M. Anderson



**Dorothy Vassallo** - April 18, 2021 at 02:17 PM



“ Pam and I went to school together from first grade through High school. We had separate lives but kept in touch always. I will always remember her smile and her making fun of my red nail polish . RIP

**Dorothy Vassallo** - April 18, 2021 at 02:28 PM



“ Pam, Dorothy (above), Trudy & I all met in elementary school. Pam was always very beautiful and popular. Pam, Trudy & I were pretty tight-knit through high school when we went our separate ways. I am so sorry at her passing and pray for her family.

**Dolores Raffaele Brett** - April 18, 2021 at 08:35 PM

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“ Pam was a great member of our Trivia group and always enjoyed her nightly glass of wine@ dinner She will be missed            Joan Lucian

**joan lucian** - April 18, 2021 at 01:57 PM

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“ We belonged to the Bless your Heart book club and had great fun at Coquina Crossing.  
She said we got along because we both spoke our minds and didn't hold back.  
We had a blast on a Bookclub venture at a special store that opened up early for just us.  
Bookclub members will know the time I'm talking about.

**BLESS OUR HEARTS**

**Dorsis Allen**

**Dorsis Allen** - April 18, 2021 at 12:02 PM

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“ 15 files added to the album LifeTributes



**St. Johns Family Funeral Home** - April 17, 2021 at 01:03 PM



“ I worked side by side with Pam at IBM. She made some of the difficult work days bearable with her great laugh and stories. She was an absolute joy.

**Pat Tatum** - April 18, 2021 at 06:42 PM

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“ Pam traveled with me on many trips around the world and throughout the US We had wonderful fun times together. Many glasses of red wine consumed.

**Bernie Patruuno**

**Bernie Patruuno** - April 17, 2021 at 12:48 PM

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“ Pam & I were New Yorkers no matter where we lived. I will miss her style  
Fondly Martha Russo

**martha R** - April 15, 2021 at 02:13 PM