



## Mrs. Alice P. Matsen

August 6, 1931 - September 30, 2017

Alice Matsen, age 86, of Alpharetta, GA passed away on September 30, 2017 in Augusta, Georgia, following a short, but courageous battle with cancer.

Alice and her beloved husband of 61 years, John F. Matsen, Sr. lived in White Plains, New York before retiring to Alpharetta, Georgia. She had recently moved to the Augusta area to be closer to her daughter, Elizabeth.

Alice was born and raised in the Bronx, New York and attended Saint Barnabas High School.

Alice received both a Bachelor's degree in Education and Master's degree in Special Education from Hunter College and her last teaching position was at Resurrection School in Rye, New York.

Alice was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, aunt, sister and friend. She remembered and celebrated every birthday, anniversary or life event with a card and personal note.

She is preceded in death by her sisters, Mary Jane Fox Lipschultz and Evelyn Caudill.

She is survived by her husband, John; her children, John, and his wife- Terri,

of Middletown, New Jersey, Paul, and his wife- Leslie, of Pepper Pike, Ohio, and Elizabeth, and her husband- Colonel (Ret.) John Allred, of Evans, Georgia. She will be greatly missed by her beloved grandchildren, Julie, Jack, Laura, Courtney, Caitlin, Caroline, Chandler, Abigail, Emily and also by a large extended family that loved her dearly.

A funeral mass will be held at 12pm noon on Saturday, October 14, 2017 at St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church, 535 Rucker Road, Alpharetta, Georgia, 30004.

In lieu of flowers, consider a contribution to the Breast Cancer Research Foundation. <https://www.bcrf.org/>.

# Cemetery Details

## Northside Chapel Crematory

12050 Crabapple Rd  
Roswell, GA 30075

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

OCT **14**. 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church  
535 Rucker Road  
Alpharetta, GA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Alice P. Matsen*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Alice P. Matsen.*



October 08, 2017 at 08:28 PM



“ *Aunt Chick as we called her was a great woman, wife, mother and friend. I will miss our weekly calls and talks about life. Our daughter reiterated how special it was to receive a card and note from her. She never missed a birthday, graduation or anniversary. She put others before herself. True to her Irish upbringing and family history she was stubborn beyond belief...but in a good way. We are glad she is no longer suffering but selfishly will really miss her in our lives.*  
*The Fatigati's*



**Francis fatigati** - October 07, 2017 at 07:37 PM

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“ Alice was a very dear friend of the family, particularly to my Mother-in-law Marie Devine. She always had a smile on her face, was engaging, and a source of love and compassion. We are thankful that her suffering has ended, but she will be dearly missed as she lives in our happy memories! We will continue to pray for Alice and her family as they come to terms with their loss. RIP Alice.

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**Mary Hadley Devine** - October 04, 2017 at 05:54 PM