



Phyllis Ann Williams

May 15, 1941 - May 10, 2025

Phyllis Ann Williams (Purnell), RN, age 83, of Nutley, New Jersey, passed away peacefully on May 10, 2025, just days before her 84th birthday. Born on May 15, 1941, Phyllis dedicated her life to caring for others through her career as a Registered Nurse at various medical facilities since 1972.

Phyllis was known for being quick witted and caring. She took great pleasure in being a pet parent to her dogs , the last being Homie. Her greatest joy was being married to her husband Maurice and her love for her children. She was also an avid reader and frequent traveler who loved to cruise.

Phyllis was predeceased by her beloved husband, Maurice Williams, and daughter, Robyn Dunn. She is survived by her three children: Jeffrey Dunn of Germany, Pamela Dunn of Newark and William Dunn of Piscataway. She also leaves behind her two loving brothers, William Purnell and Joseph Purnell, seven cherished grandchildren, sixteen adored great-grandchildren, and a host of relatives and friends who will miss her dearly.

Funeral arrangements are private. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to Ramapo-Bergen Animal Refuge in Phyllis's memory.

Cemetery Details

Glendale Cemetery

28 Hoover Ave
Bloomfield, NJ 07003

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall

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“ Hey ma I love you and I miss you so very much and I am so grateful to you for my life although we wanted to knock each other out of time we know it was only love anyway thank you! I have your voicemails so that I can hear your voice. Say hello to Reese and Robyn for me!

Pamela Dunn - May 18, 2025 at 10:04 PM

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“ Happy Birthday Grandma, I miss you so much already 🙏 Rest easy in Paradise with the Lord. Thank you for the wonderful summers that my sister and I enjoyed in Miami, Florida. It's because of you that I'm a Miami Dolphin and The Original Miami Vice fan from the 80's. I will continue to be as strong as you were and don't back down from injustices.
Love you forever, your first born grandson,
Marlen Dunn 🙏😊

Marlen Dunn - May 15, 2025 at 04:00 PM