



Maria Helena Louise Nooney

March 30, 1950 - April 21, 2018

Maria “Ria” Helena Louise Nooney, 68, went to be with the LORD April 21, 2018. She was born to the late Johannes Lodewijk and Nelli Hennekes of Norfolk. She was preceded in death by her husband, Norman Wayne Nooney. Ria worked in the restaurant industry as manager, hostess, and server. She loved reading, her art, her music, cooking and traveling.

Left to cherish her memory are her sister, Johanna “Anneke” Jacoba Hennekes and her son, Erik N. Hennekes of Norfolk, her brother, John Hennekes and wife Janice of Raleigh, NC, her brother, Rudy Hennekes and wife Mary Kaye of St Ignace, MI, and her best friend, Rebecca Butcher of Virginia Beach.

Ria will be laid to rest at the Albert G. Horton Jr. Memorial Veterans Cemetery in Suffolk on May 1, 2018 at 1:00 PM.

Cemetery Details

Albert G Horton Jr. Veterans Memorial Cemetery

5310 Milner's Road
Suffolk, VA

Tribute Wall

BB

“ Boy I miss you RIA. I remember going to lunch at applebees sat in the same booth everytime. We sat and talked 2 to 3 hours. I remember watching tv together my phone. Now some of the shows come on and I ask did you see that? Then I'd cry for how much not only missing you but your .mom and dad. Now I miss my mom and dad and grand. They are with you now. love you girl forever and always.

becky butcher - April 19, 2025 at 08:48 PM

PW

“ Patti Wilson lit a candle in memory of Maria Helena Louise Nooney



Patti Wilson - February 27, 2020 at 01:45 PM

JH

Patti Wilson, just saw this, but thank you very much.
John Hennekes

John Hennekes - March 26, 2020 at 09:10 AM

BI

“ Such a long time family friend, more like a sister...I pray Ria will find peace in the Lord. I enjoyed many great times with Ria and Norman over the years (many with Ria even as a child visiting my Nanny next door), and lived next to them for 8 years. She was a fantastic cook, intelligent, funny and very sweet. She will definitely be missed. Please accept my sincerest condolences.

Bill - April 26, 2018 at 04:16 PM

JH

Thanks for your condolences, and your mom and grandparents were good people.

John Hennekes - April 27, 2018 at 06:00 PM

PW

I am not sure anyone will see this. Ria was a good friend growing up and we stayed in touch for many many years after. We went to school together. When my husband and I would come home to visit we always made it a point to get together. It was hard to stay in touch later years as she moved and didn't have a cell phone. I loved her family. Her mom always gave me windmill shaped cookies with almond slices on them she would get from the grocery store. On the way to school, Ria would stop by my house. Ria had the thickest curliest hair. I would use the iron and iron it for her to make it straight before going to school. Ria loved animals. She had dogs and birds and she spoiled them rotten. I have often thought about her with such fond memories. Ria had a hard life but always a great attitude. My heart is filled with a great sadness at finding out she has passed. God bless.

Patti Wilson - February 27, 2020 at 01:44 PM

JH

Patti, Patti Campbell?

John Hennekes - March 26, 2020 at 09:11 AM