

Fran Bernat
September 30, 1923 - September 27, 2013

Fran Bernat, just shy of her 90th birthday, passed away Friday, September 27, 2013, at Sunrise of Overland Park. Graveside services 12:30pm, Sunday, September 29 at Rose Hill Cemetery followed by burial. Kindly omit flowers; contributions are suggested to The Temple, Congregation B'nai Jehudah, Kansas City Hospice and Palliative Care or the Ronald McDonald House of Kansas City.

Fran was born in Kansas City, MO September 30, 1923, the daughter of Harry and Jessie (Levine) Bernat. She was a lifelong area resident graduating from Paseo High School. She earned an Associate's Degree from Kansas City Community College. Fran later served on Paseo High's reunion board. She worked for Meyer Jewelry for over 45 years as a sales woman, buyer and appraiser until her retirement. She was a longtime member of The Temple, Congregation B'nai Jehudah.

Fran was an accomplished artist, studying under Frank Szasz, an expert in oil painting, portraiture and landscapes. She was an avid reader who enjoyed home life. When she traveled it was usually for business, attending jewelry and trade shows. She cared for her family, helping them throughout their lives and on into their senior years. She even became the legal guardian of one of her nieces. Fran loved to visit the boats, enjoying all of their game and dining options.

Fran was preceded in death by her parents; sister: Cecil Perlman; brother: Jerry Bernat. She is survived by nieces and their spouses Leslie and Andy Glassberg, St. Louis, MO, Jackie Perlman, Overland Park, KS, Lori Bernat and Marc Raderman, Dobbs Ferry, NY, Judy and David Benjamin, San Antonio, TX, Robin Bernat, Atlanta, GA; great nieces and nephews: Hope Glassberg and husband Roger Caplan, Jay Benjamin, Naomi Benjamin, Will Raderman, Julian Raderman.

Fran will be greatly missed by her family and many friends.

## Comments



My condolences to the family. I am very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

Mimi Nolan - September 29, 2013 at 10:41 AM



Seeing Frances's name made me recall a very happy experience of going to Meyer Jewelrey to pick our our engagement/wedding rings. Leo only wanted Frances to wait on us.

She was a neat lady and we both respected her opinion. Somehow I think that Leo,z'l, who just died in May might have had dealing with her from the family Shalinsky Drugs.

My sincere condolences arlene shalinsky

arlene shalinsky - September 28, 2013 at 12:39 PM



Condolences to the family of Fran Bernat. I too have suffered the loss of a dear family member. I found comfort in the scriptures at Psalms 37, 9 through 11, which reads, "For evildoers themselves will be cut off, But those hoping in Jehovah are the ones that will possess the earth. 10 And just a little while longer, and the wicked one will be no more; And you will certainly give attention to his place, and he will not be. 11 But the meek ones themselves will possess the earth, And they will indeed find their exquisite delight in the abundance of peace." Soon our Grand Creator will restore righteous mankind all aspects of perfect health; physically, mentally, emotionally and spiritually. If you would like to learn "how" this will all soon take place you can reach me at gnee.strange@gmail.com or visit www.jw.org. Best regards, Jeanne Strange

Jeanne Strange - September 28, 2013 at 07:37 AM