



Luana N. Honkus (Smith)

July 13, 1939 - April 13, 2026

Luana N. Honkus (Smith), of Hopewell Township, Pennsylvania, lovingly known to many as "Lonnie," passed away peacefully, surrounded by her family, on Monday, April 13, 2026, at the age of 86 at Lake Manassas Rehabilitation in Gainesville, Virginia.

Born July 13, 1939, in Sewickley, Pennsylvania, she was the daughter of the late Richard Smith and Wanda (Mullen) Smith. She was raised in Baden and graduated from Ambridge High School in 1957. Following her graduation, she attended Allegheny General Hospital School of Nursing and went on to dedicate 40 years of her life to a career in nursing.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her beloved husband of 63 years, Stanley Honkus; her brother, Leslie Smith; and her son, Jeff Honkus.

After retiring, Lonnie found great joy in traveling the world, spending time at the beach, playing games, and most of all, being with her family and friends.

She will be remembered for her love of dancing and singing and was never shy about sharing either with those around her.

She will be deeply missed by her children, Mark Honkus, Beth (Keith)

Wamsley, and Greg (Jen) Honkus; her grandchildren, Stephen (Lisett) Honkus, Matthew (Jessie) Honkus, David (Audrey) Honkus, Kailin Wamsley, Grace Honkus, and Jackson Honkus; her great-grandchildren, Olivia Luana Honkus, Eloise Honkus, Riley Honkus, and Owen Honkus; as well as her loving nieces and nephew.

Tribute Wall

SB

“ *Lonnie was a special lady. She made Point East fun for everyone for more than 25 years and she will be greatly missed. I looked forward every year to our shared snowbird months. Without Lonnie to organize the card games and Little Theatre outings the days would not have been as full. She and Stan also helped our US team hold its own against our Canadian Shuffleboard competitors and the glorious smells that came from their unit justified Stans bragging rights about her cooking skills. She was the caretaker of us all at times and could not have been more loved by me. She made us all smile at the card table, in the pool, on the beach and on every outing. Thank you Lonnie for all that you gave to us.*

Shirley Bennett - April 23 at 10:07 AM

LB

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Lynne Banks - April 18 at 05:33 PM

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Lynne Banks - April 18 at 05:29 PM

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Margie, Me, Wanda, Lonnie, Shirley, Noreen

Lynne Banks - April 18 at 05:30 PM

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Lonnie & Margie 2025

Lynne Banks - April 18 at 05:17 PM

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Lynne Banks - April 18 at 05:12 PM

FG

“ We are sorry to hear of Lonnie's passing. We enjoyed many winter months with she and Stan at Point East over the years. The Trivia games after the Tuesday breakfasts were always fun with Lonnie as moderator. When she laughed everybody laughed. Our condolences Beth to you and your family.
Faye and Mike Geoghegan
London, Ontario

Faye Geoghegan - April 17 at 12:52 PM

BW



Beth Wamsley - April 17 at 04:38 PM



So sorry to hear about Lonnie's passing. We also had a lot of fun at Point East with her. She always had us laughing. Well she's now with your dad. Great memories. Tony and Theresa Froio

Theresa Froio - April 18 at 03:40 PM

MD

“ We met Lonnie & Stanley as fellow snowbirds many years ago, my guess is about 12 years ago.

The good times at Point East were many and turned into Lonnie taking Margie to bingo 3/4 days per week. The two of them had fun with Lonnie winning often.

Lonnie was a wonderful lady, lots of fun with a great laugh. We will miss her.

God bless Lonnie, she is in our prayers.

Margie & Dan Donovan

Cincinnati, Oh

Margie & Dan Donovan - April 17 at 11:49 AM

BW



Beth Wamsley - April 17 at 04:38 PM

CB

“ My wife and I are deeply saddened to hear of Lonnie's passing. We knew her as a snowbird who we joined for several years in New Smyrna Beach, FL. Lonnie was always so much fun to be around and we loved hearing her many hilarious stories from her life in the Pittsburgh area. She had a great laugh. We will definitely miss her and we share her family's sorrow. Rest easy Lonnie, you really deserve it.

Chris Benjamin - April 17 at 10:35 AM

BW



Beth Wamsley - April 17 at 04:39 PM

JM

“ *She will be deeply missed!*

Jennifer Marcin - April 16 at 07:04 PM

BW



Beth Wamsley - April 17 at 04:39 PM

GN

“ *Oh Beth so sorry for your loss and your families. I don't know you personally but have looked at your family pictures for years. I was the line dance teacher at the Center at the Mall and Lonnie was in my class. She was also a favorite 500 bid partner . She will be certainly missed. I loved her laugh and her sense of humor. We had many great times together. May God be with you during this sad time. Glenda Narvett*

Glenda Narvett - April 16 at 06:51 PM

MH

Thank you for sharing!

Matthew Honkus - April 16 at 07:31 PM

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Chris Benjamin - April 16 at 11:42 PM



“ I was so blessed to have known you and the time spent with you. I'm missing you my friend.



Del Racer - April 16 at 06:22 PM

MH

Love this! Thanks for sharing!

Matthew Honkus - April 16 at 07:32 PM

BW

You guys were such great friends to my Mom - thank you ❤️

Beth Wamsley - April 17 at 04:41 PM



“ I'm missing you very my dear friend.

Del Racer - April 16 at 06:03 PM

BW



Beth Wamsley - April 17 at 04:41 PM

JS

“ Jeff and I are so sad to hear of Lonnie's passing. We spent 3 snow bird winters with her at Point East. She was one of the first "regulars " to welcome us into the wonderful group of people at these condos. We so enjoyed her company, especially me as a fellow retired nurse. Our thoughts with the family.

Jeff and Carol Stevens - April 16 at 05:42 PM

MH

She was very welcoming! Thanks for sharing!

Matthew Honkus - April 16 at 07:33 PM

IS

Poem Remember Me.

To the living, I am gone.

To the sorrowful, I will never return,

To the angry, I was cheated,

But to the happy, I am at peace,

And to the faithful, I have never left.

I cannot speak, but I can listen.

I cannot be seen, but I can be heard.

So as you stand upon a shore,

Gazing at a beautiful sea remember me.

As you look in awe at a mighty forest and its grand majesty- remember me .

As you look upon a flower

And admire its simplicity-remember me.

Remember me in your heart, your thoughts,

And your memories of the times we loved,

The times we cried, the times we fought,

The times we laughed,

For if you always think of me,

I will never have gone.

Rest well sweet lady .

Inez M Small - April 17 at 08:00 AM