



## Zofia "Sophie" Mateja

September 22, 1934 - July 19, 2020

Zofia " Sophie" Mateja peacefully entered into eternal life on Sunday morning at her home, after a long struggle with Alzheimer's disease. She was married to Florian, the love of her life for 62 years. She was dearly loved and will be deeply missed by her daughter, Susan and her son-in-law Curtis Carlson. Sophie was predeceased by her parents, Franciszek and Bronislawa Brzozowska, three sisters and two brothers and is survived by her dear sister, Teresa (late Frank) Lieske . She will be remembered by her godchildren and many nieces and nephews. Now at peace in God's arms, may her pure and gentle soul Rest in heaven. In lieu of flowers, the family request any generosity in Sophie's memory be sent to the Alzheimer's Association, 225 N. Michigan Ave., Fl. 17, Chicago, IL 60601. Please consider sending a note or card to Florian, to help him get through this difficult time. A celebration of Sophie's life will be scheduled in September around the time of her birthday.

# Tribute Wall



“ I can't believe it's been a month since you went up to God...  
I miss you, Mom and I hope Heaven is all we believe it is!  
I love you and don't worry, we're taking care of daddy for you.  
Until we meet again... 🥹💜

---

**Susan Carlson** - August 18, 2020 at 09:07 PM



“ I miss my mom. She was they best Mom I  
could have ever asked for...  
Rest peacefully with God. 🙏❤️



---

**Susan Carlson** - July 20, 2020 at 10:33 AM



*Sophie Rip I am so glad that I got to meet you. Your a beautiful person.  
I am so glad your not in pain anymore.love you Lisa Bob and Niko.*

---

**Lisa Rochkus-east** - July 20, 2020 at 10:45 AM

KC

*Please accept our sincere condolences, Floyd, Sue, Curtis & Family.  
We are deeply sorry for your loss of Sophie.*

*Sophie has always been a warm & caring person, to us & our family, &  
also a great neighbor. It was always enjoyable to just stop by her porch  
& have a lighthearted conversation. She was always welcoming &  
happy to visit with us. We will always have those fond memories of  
Sophie & she will never be forgotten.*

*Your Family is in our thoughts & prayers. May God give you strength  
during this difficult time & comfort in knowing that Sophie is now at  
peace.*

*With Love & Sympathy,*

*Al, Karen & Al Chiaramonte*

---

**Karen Chiaramonte** - July 21, 2020 at 12:08 AM

LP

*To Susan your Dad and Curtis. My prayers and thoughts are with your  
family. There is a special angel up in that Heavenly sky now that will be  
watching over her family. And she will be pain free in that peaceful  
beautiful home. God Bless. Lois Peterson*

---

**Lois Peterson** - July 21, 2020 at 01:48 AM

BO

*Floyd, Susan & Curtis we are so sorry for your loss. My prayers &  
thoughts are with your family  
Bill & Linda*

---

**Bill & Linda Owens** - July 25, 2020 at 05:28 PM