



Elinor K. La Due

June 10, 2025

Elinor K. La Due, 87, of Allentown, passed away on June 10, 2025 at home. She was the wife of the late Roger F. La Due, Sr. Elinor was a homemaker. Born in Doylestown, Pennsylvania, she was the daughter of the late Walter T. and Virginia K. (Fowler) Deppe.

Survivors: Sons: Roger F. La Due, Jr. of Allentown and Robert J. La Due and his wife Natalie of Allentown, Grandchildren: Nicholas R. La Due, Christopher R. La Due and Alexander M. La Due and Great-Grandchildren: Olivia La Due, Aeson La Due and Jaymes La Due. She was predeceased by her daughter, Linda La Due Hilbert.

A funeral service will be held on Friday, June 20, 2025 at 11:00 A.M. at the J.S. Burkholder Funeral Home, 16th and Hamilton Sts. Allentown. A calling hour will be held on Friday, 10 A.M. to 11 A.M. in the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in her memory to the Lehigh County Humane Society 640 Dixon St. Allentown, PA 18103.

Cemetery Details

Grandview Cemetery

2735 Walbert Ave.
Allentown, PA 18104

Previous Events

Calling Hours

JUN 20. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

J.S. Burkholder Funeral Home, Inc.
1601 Hamilton St.
Allentown, PA 18102

Service

JUN 20. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Elinor K. La Due.

June 19, 2025 at 08:20 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Elinor K. La Due.



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“ Thank you, mom.

Thank you for the gifts that you have left us. The memories that we will cherish forever.

For being at the front doors of our grade school to walk us home, every day, no matter the weather, to make sure that we got home safe and to hear about our day.

For providing the nursing care when we needed it.

For the spontaneous road trips and camping weekends where we would get home from school to find the camper loaded up and ready to go. With Dad driving, and you with the campground directory on your lap, finding our destination.

For the summer picnics, swimming pool, and rhubarb pie.

For being the one to always have the right answers.

For ensuring that we never had to want without understanding.

For the understanding you had when we made mistakes, and the guidance that you would provide to help us correct them.

And mostly, for molding a family that is full of unconditional, unwavering love and respect for each other. Making us all good people. Teaching us the morals, principles, and values that we live by, and we strive to pass along to our children and everyone that we meet.

Every memory, experience, and advice that you have ever given us, has made us better. They have taught us how to conduct ourselves in our everyday lives.

These are the things that come from a good upbringing, one full of

love, respect, and understanding.

*All of my love,
Bob*

Bob La Due - June 18, 2025 at 10:30 PM