



## Marjorie M. Matthews

April 5, 2020

Marjorie Matthews, Dedicated nurse and family matriarch

Marjorie (Henry) M. Matthews, 92, of Englewood, NJ formerly of Monroe Township, NJ, passed away on Sunday, April 5, 2020 in Teaneck NJ. Marjorie was born in East Chicago Indiana to the late Edward Henry Sr. and Zula (McCarty) Henry. She was raised in Muskegon Michigan and attended Muskegon High School. After graduating from Muskegon High she moved to Harlem, NY where she met and wed her adoring husband Charles in 1952. Marjorie is a graduate of Harlem Hospital School of Nursing and worked for many years as an OR RN at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in NYC until it ceased serving as a hospital. Marjorie eventually returned to school graduating from Hunter College earning her Bachelor of Science Degree and finished her career at Manhattan Eye, Ear, and Throat Hospital in NYC. Marjorie was predeceased by her husband Charles "Uncle Charles" Matthews; son Charles Matthews Jr.; sisters, Vivian, Nelsie, Georgia and brothers Edward and Daniel. Marjorie is survived by her dedicated son Anthony Matthews; devoted daughter Melanie Matthews; cherished granddaughter Shay-Marie Colon; nieces, Marie Jones; Edna Cirone (George); Carol West; Vickie Morris; great nieces Elise Jones; Felicia Lea; Jill West-Mcknight; Taliah West-Sims; great nephews Eric Jones (Jennifer); Michael Jones (Vivian); nephew Henry Jr. and a host of cousins, great nieces and nephews all of whom she loved immeasurably. Quiet, and known for her kind spirit, as a former nurse she was always concerned about the welfare of others. Despite her struggles with her

health towards the end of her life, her caring ways were always clearly noticeable. Marjorie loved to read and write and you would often see her with a pen and pencil. She often used the phrase coined by Maya Angelou, “ Do the best you can until you know better, then when you know better do better”. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Volk Leber Funeral Home in Teaneck, NJ. A celebration of Marjorie's life will be held at a future date. please consider honoring her memory by making a contribution to The American Heart Association - [Heart.org](http://Heart.org).

# Cemetery Details

## **Fair Lawn Memorial Cemetery**

22-21 Maple Avenue  
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410

# Tribute Wall



“ *Marjorie M. Matthews*

October 08, 2023 at 09:59 PM



“ *Marjorie M. Matthews*

October 08, 2023 at 06:27 PM



“ *Marjorie M. Matthews*

August 30, 2022 at 02:48 PM



“ *Mommy this is surreal, i can't comprehend that i'll never see you again, never hear you call my name, never hear your voice. I'm broken and will never be whole again.*

*I love you mommy.*

**Anthony Matthews** - April 12, 2020 at 04:10 PM



“ *Edna Cirone lit a candle in memory of Marjorie M. Matthews*



**Edna Cirone** - April 08, 2020 at 08:16 PM

MJ

*Aunt Marjorie was always a joy to be around! Her kindness and pleasant manner were qualities she embodied in a fine and grand manner. We will certainly will miss her!*

Michael W. Jones - April 09, 2020 at 09:43 AM

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*Thank you Mike.*

Anthony Matthews - April 12, 2020 at 03:47 PM

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“*Aunt Margie was more than a "aunt" to me. She was the big "sister" I never had and a good friend. She was so much like my Dad always talked about her brother Ed. We shared many of life's ups and downs together and will be sorely missed. Stay strong Mel, Tony and Shay.*

Edna Cirone - April 08, 2020 at 08:15 PM

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*I think she looked at you as a little sister also Godmother, she loved all of her nieces equally but you were special to her, She used to always say you had it hard because you lost Andre.*

Anthony Matthews - April 12, 2020 at 09:15 PM

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“*Anthony Matthews lit a candle in memory of Marjorie M. Matthews*



Anthony Matthews - April 07, 2020 at 07:53 PM

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“ Mommy my heart is broken, i miss you soo much i physically ache, what i wouldn't have given to hold you one more time :(

*I love you.*

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**Anthony Matthews** - April 07, 2020 at 07:48 PM

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“ Anthony Matthews lit a candle in memory of Marjorie M. Matthews



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**Anthony Matthews** - April 07, 2020 at 07:24 PM