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**H**arriet Wald, of Palm Beach, Florida passed away on August 14, 2022 at the age of 77. Harriet is survived by her husband, Kenneth; son, Joshua Wald; daughter, Abigail Wald; grandchild, Madison Ava Wald; sister, Barbara Leukart. A memorial service is scheduled for September 9, 2022 at 2 PM at Beth Israel Memorial Chapel, 11115 S. Jog Rd, Boynton Beach, FL 33437. In lieu of flowers, the family request donations be made to Trustbridge or Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research. Arrangements were entrusted to Beth Israel Memorial Chapel, 11115 S. Jog Rd, Boynton Beach, FL 33437.



**Richard Brookhiser** posted:

I knew Harriet as a friend and, at one remove, as a therapist (she and my wife trained at the same post graduate institute in New York City). She was naturally gifted as a therapist--both warm, and shrewd, giving her patients the sustenance they needed, while spotting their defenses and internal contradictions. As a friend she was a delight. Though she could not tell a joke, she was one of the funniest people I ever met: her laugh consumed her, and she had a wonderful vein of silliness (example: the word ugly-bugly, which, she explained, is thirty thousand times uglier than just plain ugly). She took pleasure in your joys, and was always up for something new. More: she was as generous as she was loyal. She stuck by her friends through illness or disappointment, and gave of herself to help them through it. She was sorely tried in her last years, by assaults to her body and to her mind. That is now over. I will miss her dearly. Rest in peace, Harriet. Rick Brookhiser

September 2 at 7:23 PM



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