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Paul E. "Corky" Ventura, 80, of Sanibel, passed away Saturday, November 24, 2018. He was born July 12, 1938 in Pittsburgh, PA and moved to Sanibel from Dania Beach, FL in 1998. He was a member of St. Isabel Catholic Church and proudly served in the United States Army. He was also a very accomplished and well known jazz singer in this area. Mr. Ventura is survived by his wife of 18 years, Liliana Mancini Ventura; his children: Marcel Ventura (Betsy) of Sanibel, Christopher Ventura of Naples and Nickolas Ventura of Sanibel, Debra M. Viets (Todd) of Suffield, CT, Amedia Mancini of Sanibel and Carla Mancini of Missoula, MT; his grandchildren: Sims Ventura, Jennings Ventura, Kai Ventura, Karina Ventura, Alyssa Viets, Trevor Viets and Steele Cebuhar and his sister, Lenore Ross of McMurray, PA. A memorial mass will be celebrated at 11:00 AM on Thursday, January 31, 2019 at St. Isabel Catholic Church, 3559 Sanibel-Captiva Road, Sanibel, FL 33957. Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Fort Myers Memorial Gardens Funeral Home, 1589 Colonial Blvd., Fort Myers, FL 33907, 239-936-0555. Online condolences may be offered at: www.fortmyersmemorial.com.



Tribute Wall

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Bill And Nancy Stell posted:

Dear Liliana, Please forgive us for not responding to your sad news yesterday, but it took some time to process your message. What does one say to someone who has lost the love of her life, her companion, her best friend? We feel your devastation and your loss in your words, and we can just say, "We are sorry". It's so hard to lose someone you love! It seems that times like this one can only lean on our God and our faith. L\ Liliana, we thank you for letting us know about Paul. You will certainly be in our prayers in the coming weeks as we remember what a fine person Paul was. Sanibel is such a special place, known for it's beauty and its abundance of seashells. Those empty seashells evoke memories of a life once lived. May beauty live on in your memories of Paul and bring you peace. Blessings, Bill and Nancy

December 2 at 7:50 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Paul by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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