



Elizabeth Frances Widmann Zahn

April 23, 1952 - December 15, 2025

Elizabeth Frances Widmann Zahn, 73, passed away peacefully and surrounded by her family at Novant Health Forsyth Medical Center, Winston-Salem, NC, on December 15, 2025 following a long illness.

Born April 23, 1952 in Bronx, NY, the first of five beloved daughters of the late John and Elizabeth Widmann. Liz, as she was affectionately known, was a loving and shining light in the lives of all who had the privilege of knowing her.

Liz's love of playing the piano, which her mother insisted was because her baby bassinet was cozily placed in the curve of her Dad's baby grand piano when he played. In her youth she was a skilled ice and roller skater and enjoyed ballet and dance. Liz attended Village Green School in Huntington, NY and graduated from Saugerties Senior High School, Saugerties, NY. She was a member of The Sigma Sorority and was a talented makeup artist for school plays.

Liz had a passion for collecting museum quality, porcelain, heirloom and miniature dolls, a joy which she extended into her later years. Liz was a gentle yet strong, caring, funny and outgoing woman with exceptional people and secretarial skills which contributed to her success in the Retail, Fashion and Real Estate fields. A favorite employer and lifelong friend was The George Coppola Company in Boca Raton, FL where she and her family moved in

1978.

Those left to cherish her memory are her loving husband, Peter M. Zahn of Winston-Salem, NC; her sisters, Sarah J. Widmann (Kenneth) of Asheboro, NC, Pamela M. Widmann (Rex) of High Point, NC, Joanne P Demayo (Andrew) of Vero Beach, FL, Jaime S. DeCicco of North Carolina, seven cousins, five nieces, a great nephew and a great niece.

The family will receive friends from 2-3:30PM, Tuesday, December 23, 2025 at Summersett Funeral Home.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Zahn family. Online condolences may be made at www.summersettfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **23**. 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

Summersett Funeral Home

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Tribute Wall



“ Sweet Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Frances Widmann Zahn.



December 22, 2025 at 01:16 PM



“ Rex and Pam and Poco, Chamois and Taylor planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Elizabeth Frances Widmann Zahn.

Rex and Pam and Poco, Chamois and Taylor - December 22, 2025 at 01:16 PM



“ Your Peter planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Elizabeth Frances Widmann Zahn.

Your Peter - December 22, 2025 at 01:08 PM



“ Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Frances Widmann Zahn.



December 22, 2025 at 01:08 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Frances Widmann Zahn.*



December 22, 2025 at 01:01 PM



“ *Pammy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Elizabeth Frances Widmann Zahn.*

Pammy - December 22, 2025 at 01:01 PM



“ *Sincerely Lori & Whitt purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Elizabeth Frances Widmann Zahn.*



Sincerely Lori & Whitt - December 22, 2025 at 12:33 PM