

**Alice M. Lowenthal****Date of Death:** 7/11/2022

Alice Messinger Lowenthal died peacefully on Monday July 11, 2022 at Maplewood Park Place, surrounded by family, longtime caregiver Noellie Rosario, and the very helpful staff at Maplewood Park Place. Alice was born December 19, 1926, raised in Belle Harbor, Queens, NY, daughter of Peter and Helen Messinger. She graduated from Far Rockaway High and Vassar College, the first woman to graduate from college in her family. Happily married to William Lowenthal, a US State Department economist, for 60 years. Alice and Bill worked together in Santiago, Chile, Buenos Aires, Argentina, and Paris, France. She learned to speak Spanish and French fluently. As a diplomat's spouse she excelled at embracing the cultures in which lived. Together they enjoyed many travel adventures. Alice was active in various organizations: Misiones Rurales in Argentina that supports rural education, The Association of American Foreign Service Wives, where she advocated for recognition of the roles women play in the US Foreign Service, as well as the University Women's Club. In the US she resided in Lake Barcroft, VA. She and her husband, Bill, were active supporters of The Lake Barcroft Association. She was an avid conversationalist, reader, gardener, and cook. Alice adored being a grandmother. Alice is survived by her four children, Sidney Maas, (Frank), Peter Lowenthal, (Lucy), Harry Lowenthal, (Karen), Jane Rothschild, (Daniel); seven grandchildren; Edward, (Jenn) and Arthur Maas, (Jenna) Max and Rachel Lowenthal, Samuel, (Amber) and Claire, (Noah) Lowenthal, and Leah Rothschild Corona, (Chris). Two great-grandchildren; Aliza Maas and Willa Corona.