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I am Bob Strathman, husband of **Jeanne Ann Sullivan Strathman**. Sully passed away January 5, 2010.

We were married on September 11, 1945 at Chabua, India. I am certain there will be some Flight Nurses in attendance at this meeting, who witnessed the ceremony. They were part of the 803rd Medical Air Evacuation Squadron. This marriage created a wonderful family of six children. Sixty four years of married life was very pleasant. Flight Nurses were always in our conversations.

We have lived in a nursing home for the last two years. Sully had a fall in January 2009, fractured her elbow, in December 2009, a fall caused a broken hip and her 89 year old body could not handle it. We were all with her and Sully died peacefully.

Enclosed please find the first page of the website mentioned hereon, I hope some of you Flight Nurses find time to turn on your computers and give it a look. I know Sully would have liked to be with you.

With respect for the crew and many fond memories of Flight Nurses in India,

Sincerely,

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You can access information about Jeanne at a website her family built for her:
www.strathman.com/jeanne.

In the memory of our beloved Jeanne Ann Sullivan Strathman



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Jeanne Ann Sullivan Strathman, of Findlay, died at 9:00 A.M. Tuesday, January 5, 2010 at the Bridge Hospice Care Center in Findlay, Ohio. She was 89. She was born on December 15, 1920 in Bridgeport, Connecticut to Eugene and Irene (Frend) Sullivan. Jeanne married Norman Robert Strathman on September 11, 1945 in Chabua, India following their tours in the China/Burma/India Theater in World War II, and he survives. Jeanne is also survived by her six children: Ann M. (Bill) Farrall, Westlake, Ohio, Michael S. (Jackie), Houston, Texas, Joseph R. (Cindy), Findlay, Jane E. (Bill) Petrarca, Fort Myers, Florida, John F. (Linda), Littleton, Colorado and Susan M. (Brian) Berry, Findlay; thirteen grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. Her brother, Eugene Sullivan, Stratford, Connecticut also survives. She was predeceased by her parents and her sister Sheila Sullivan Kearney. Jeanne graduated from St. Francis School of Nursing in Hartford, Connecticut in 1942 and enlisted in the Army Air Corp. After training at the Army Air Force Technical Center, Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut, Jeanne was assigned to the Army Air Force School of Air Evacuation, Louisville, Kentucky, where she became a flight nurse and met her husband. After graduation she was assigned to the 803rd Medical Air Evacuation Squadron, Chabua, India. She was discharged in 1945 as a First Lieutenant. Jeanne appreciated and embraced all that life brought her. She lived an active social, spiritual and athletic life. She played golf and tennis well into her 80's.

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In these past few years I have gotten to know my grandma very well. I've enjoyed being able to drive 5 minutes and just being able to say hello. I've enjoyed being able to stop by before dances and get my pictures taken with my grandparents. I always enjoyed her support in all my schooling events. In the recent months when she needed care I was able to help with that. I've learned more then I ever could being with her in her last years of her life. I know when we moved to Findlay, I was pretty upset and couldn't understand why. As i reflect back I realized that the move was the best thing we could have ever done. Every day grandma would say "what would we do without you guys here"? The end has been hard but I know that grandma is peaceful and with God now. May angels lead you in Grandma ..I love you.

Love,
Emily (Berry)

*Love is stronger than death even though
it can't stop death from happening,
but no matter how hard death tries it can't separate
people from love.
It can't take away our memories either.
In the end, life is stronger than death.*



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