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Fay Huie Lee



Fay Huie Lee was born in Brooklyn, NY on Aug. 25, 1935 and died in Walnut Creek, Calif., on Sept. 11, 2018. Born to Chinese immigrant parents, Fay remained a proud New Yorker - with the Brooklyn accent to match - all of her life. She graduated from James Madison High School in 1953 and received a Bachelors of Fine Arts from Pratt Institute in 1956 and a Master of Arts in 1959 from New York University. She worked as a designer for Andrew Geller Shoes in New York City and then as a home economics teacher in Buffalo, New York. In her later years, she was an office manager, interior designer, real estate agent, and travel agent.

Fay had three daughters (Laurel Lee-Alexander of Monterey, Kristen Lee of Mountain View, and Erika Lee of Minneapolis) with her former husband Dr. Howard Lee and moved to Orinda in 1971. Fay was a creative and multi-talented artist who was active in the Calligraphy Guild and the Orinda Arts Council. She moved to Rossmoor in 2000. Fay is survived by her older sisters, brother-in-law, three daughters, her sons-in-law and five

grandchildren. She was loved, cherished, and admired by her family and will be greatly missed.

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