



Ginger Renk

August 20, 2023

It is with heartache that I share with you that my beloved cat HRH Ginger the Cat Renk (Forrester) passed Sunday afternoon at 3:30 pm. She wanted to do it at home and this is what we did.

She was a most interesting cat, playful, protective, jewel thief, literary and opinionated cat who had been abandoned in Emlenton PA at the Barnard House B & B. She was being taken care of by the owners and they were trying to find her a home. We met there and even though I swore I would never have any more pets she knew better. I had just had two cats pass two months previously. I did not want to go through the heartache again. But she would not take no for an answer. She knew we belonged together and home she went.

Ginger was 19 years old and was considered a Super Senior, she was with me for almost 17 years. The last few months it was evident she was declining but like Queen Elizabeth, she did not want to stop or let people know she was failing. Her passing was peaceful and kind for both of us. My son and daughter-in-law came over and helped me a great deal. They came, took me and her to their home and comforted me. We took her to be cremated this morning. I am forever grateful to them for that.

My promise to Ginger was that I would finish her book and share it with all

those who love animals. If you have anything you want to say about her please post it her and go to her obituary page and leave a note. I know a great many of you liked her.

RIP HRH Ginger the Cat.....a cat's life very well lived.

Tribute Wall

PE

“ I was only able to physically see HRH Ginger the cat a couple of times when in Pittsburgh but followed her adventures and jewel heists over the years on Facebook. Her servant was not only dedicated to HRH service but loved her unconditionally. I am sure as you crossed the proverbial rainbow  bridge you had an entourage awaiting her arrival. RIP sweet lady cat.

Penelope - August 26, 2023 at 09:15 AM

MS

“ I'm so sorry for your loss! I enjoyed your posts of HRH Ginger's daily antics!! She was very special to all your FB friends! Rest in Peace Ginger and take time to grieve her!❤️❤️

Mary Ellen Sullivan - August 22, 2023 at 10:06 AM

BA

“ I'm so sorry for your loss,
I will remember when I came to stay for few days and even at her advanced age she was still very lively and she was very blessed to have you as her mom

batya - August 22, 2023 at 12:05 AM

AW

“ HRH Ginger, your mom and the public adored you. You were meticulous and very mischievous, you kept mama on her toes. We know you were the Lady of the House and ruled with an iron paw. Every post with you in it lifted my spirits and at times gave a chuckle. I will miss the daily updates about your shenanigans and your affirmations, but you are at peace and have now crossed the rainbow bridge to rule another Queendom. Rest easy, Ginger, rest easy!

Audra Walker - August 21, 2023 at 11:02 PM

LG

“ RIP beautiful and clever Ginger. You brought a smile to my face each time your mom posted your antics. Beloved girl 💕.

Lynn Griffin - August 21, 2023 at 09:58 PM

 Maryn Formley

“ While I never had the pleasure of meeting Her Royal Highness Ginger the Car, I was one of her many fans on Facebook. Every post was hilarious and I will miss reading about her daily shenanigans. All of my love to Ginger's best human JoAnn. May these memories comfort you in this time of loss.

Maryn Formley - August 21, 2023 at 08:50 PM

RK

“ I truly loved Ginger every time I came over she was so responsive towards me and that made me feel good being around her. I saw her playfulness at times and I respected her space and privacy. I know how hard it is to lose a cat furbaby as we had fostered several when my kids were growing up bringing home strays. Each had a unique personality and ironically our first furbaby's name was Ginger, of course the color and breed. They were all loved and have passed. Including Milo. They are truly a part of the family and their lives are just as important as human life. So sorry for your loss you were a great momma and she thrived on your loving care. I'm glad I got to say goodbye to Ginger on Saturday and even though she was so weak she made the effort to come out of the room to see me and let me pet her before going to rest again. I'm glad for the special bond and I will miss her too. RIP sweet girl!

Randi Koenig - August 21, 2023 at 08:32 PM