

MMM – Peace be With You... July 2023

'Peace be with you' has its most ancient roots in the Jewish greeting of 'Shalom'

"Jesus said to them again 'Peace be with you.'"



"To have and to hold...till death us do part."

My "19 Marriage Tips" booklet cover photo shows Kathy and CJ in Florida with me at their wedding over 40 years ago.

**Their vows that day probably ended with the words:
"till death us do part..."
five sobering words on a happy day.**

**We did not know we would feel their truth...
with all the pain of death's parting...
until she died yesterday.**

**I remembered words on Kathy's Facebook postings...
photos of beautiful scenes with only four words...
*"Peace be with you."***

**I always had a pause and smile...
never offered a response.**

**My words today ...
*"And with you also."***

For the Moment...Art Morgan July 11, 2023

NOTE: Katherine Morgan Smith is our niece