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Mr. Jim Soper,

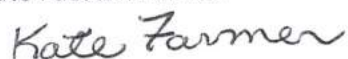
There are no words that express my gratitude to you and your staff during my mom's battle with dementia. When my sister and I were told our mom needed to leave the assisted living facility she was living in because they did not have an area for her declining mental health we did not know where to look. We visited several local facilities including Aravilla which had just opened their doors to residents. We were impressed from the moment we entered the building. There is nothing in comparison to your facility. I personally thank you Mr. Soper for having the vision to build a memory care facility that is totally dedicated to memory care residents and their families. My mom was at Aravilla for 3 ½ years and not only was she treated with dignity and respect, we as her family were as well. The education that is offered in seminars, classes, and private meetings with individual staff members is so very valuable. Unfortunately, mom lost her battle with dementia and passed away February 12, 2018. During the last days of her life our mom was cared for by the staff and my sister and I were as well. The Aravilla staff went above and beyond to make us comfortable, feed us, cried with us, and loved on mom. My family appreciates that mom was able to stay and pass away "at home" at Aravilla and the privacy we had to be with our mom as she left this world for a better place.

I now come back to visit the Aravilla family and staff. I lost my mom, but have gained a whole community of friends with the staff and residents.

Best of luck in your new continuation of Aravilla with the assisted living residents. I know they will have a great experience and be treated with kindness. We will forever be grateful that the memory care facility was built first and just in time for when we needed the help.

Forever Appreciative,

Kate Fueston Farmer

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kate Farmer".