



Karen L. Varinecz

August 19, 1949 - February 25, 2021

Karen Lorraine Varinecz, 71, of Mount Laurel, NJ, passed away peacefully on February 25, 2021 with her family by her side. Loving wife to Tom Varinecz of 43 years. Dear mother to Johanna Everett (Kirk), Susan O'Donnell (Michael) and the late Trevor Varinecz. Grandmother to Cassidy, Kristen, Alyssa, and Braden. Karen was predeceased by her sister Shelly Michaels.

Karen enjoyed spending her time knitting and sewing and her spirituality was very important to her. She was a strong autism advocate. Karen dedicated her time to helping others by volunteering for many charity organizations.

Karen's family will be holding a private memorial service at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations in her name may be made to a Cancer or Autism charity of your choice

Comments



“ I am very fortunate to have known Karen during the past few years. She was a very kind, gentle, and caring person. She was also a strong advocate against all forms of injustice and inequality. I will miss her very much.

Pete Bilazarian

Peter Bilazarian - March 01 at 01:39 AM



“ Karen was a truly lovely person. I too feel lucky that I knew her.
Louise Shaffer

Louise Shaffer - February 27 at 01:25 PM



“ Karen, I will miss you. I am very lucky I got to know you.
Lin Hamilton

Lin Hamilton - February 27 at 11:05 AM



“ Karen was one of the six grandchildren of Sarah and Abe Michaels. Sarah and Abe had three children. The middle child was Irving, who married Millie, and they had Karen and her sister Shelley.

Us six cousins all grew up in Brooklyn, NY before Uncle Irving moved his family to Philadelphia.

As adults, Karen and I would always talk on our birthdays – just two days apart. I don't know how I will get through this August.

I miss her already and my heart goes out to Tom, Johanna, Susie and all her grandchildren.

I've uploaded some pictures of Karen: Four of the cousins at a party long ago, a family reunion at Disney World, Johanna's wedding, Susie's wedding, and a much-appreciated visit that Karen and Tom made to see my wife and I in New York.

Cousin Robert Litt

Robert Litt - February 25 at 07:15 PM



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Robert Litt - February 25 at 07:12 PM