



Denise R. Lynch

June 15, 1952 - November 3, 2023

Denise Riedel Lynch, 71, passed away peacefully at home on November 3, 2023, with her family at her side. Born June 15, 1952 to the late Paul and Adele (Messier) Riedel, she was a graduate of Cathedral High School and Elms College, where she earned her Bachelor's Degree. Denise was strong in her advocacy for ActBlue and causes related to women's health and well-being. Her family sincerely thanks the oncology staff of the Sr. Caritas Cancer Center of Mercy Hospital, Baystate Hospice and Shiloh Angels Homecare for their care and support. Denise is survived by her husband of 44 years, James P. Lynch; daughters Meghan Burns (Richard) and Kathleen Krawiec (Timothy); grandchildren Alexander and Olivia Burns and siblings Nancy Rittlinger, Michelle Lock and Peter Riedel. Funeral services for Denise will be held Saturday, November 18th from Kozikowski Funeral Home, 565 Front St, Chicopee, with a prayer service at 11:00 AM preceded by calling hours from 9:30-10:45 AM. Burial will be private at the convenience of the family. Memorial contributions may be made to Western Massachusetts Health Center, 3550 Main St, Ste 201, Springfield MA 01107.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 18. 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

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“Denise was a very close friend who was always very compassionate. We had over 40 years of friendship together. Denise cared about everything happening in our family and downplayed the struggles with her battle with cancer and the ongoing treatments and testing that was overwhelming. Denise loved being by the ocean and walking on the waterfront path at Colt State Park in Bristol, RI. We are very sad to have to say final goodbyes to her, but we will always keep memories of our great times and talks together close in our hearts. Our deepest condolences to your family at the difficult time. May your wonderful memories give you strength and comfort.

Love,

Carol and Rick

Carol Anderson - November 14, 2023 at 10:14 AM