



Helen M. Brooks

November 30, 1944 - April 14, 2021

Helen M. (Diorio) Brooks, 76, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, April 14, 2021 at Baystate Wing Medical Center. Born in Peterborough, NH on November 30, 1944, daughter of the late Joseph and Alice (Willete) DiOrio, she had lived in Rhode Island for forty-seven years before settling locally. Helen retired after a thirty year career as a medical transcriptionist at Kent County Hospital in Warwick, RI. Helen is survived by her beloved husband of fifty-five years, Thomas R. Brooks, Sr.; loving children, Kristen Counihan of Houston, TX, Thomas Brooks, Jr. of Exeter, RI, and Stephen Brooks and wife Danielle of Chicopee, MA; six cherished grandchildren, Teddy Counihan and wife Cami, Meagan Counihan, Mercedes Brooks, Kailey Brooks, Shane Brooks and Layla Brooks; cherished great-grandchildren, Freya and Theo; caring siblings, Patricia Martin and husband Peter of NH, and Joseph DiOrio and wife Andrea of CT; and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her brothers, John and Stephen DiOrio. Funeral services and burial in MA Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Agawam, MA are private for the family.

Cemetery Details

MA Veterans' Memorial

1390 Main Street
Agawam, MA

Tribute Wall

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“ Tom, So sorry for your loss. Don't let go of your precious memories. They will get you through this difficult time
Ed Poirier and Pam Balog

Ed Poirier - April 23, 2021 at 04:25 PM

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“ Tom, Tom, neive dog and Kristen my sincerest condolences for your loss. Helen was an awesome woman with the heart and patience of a saint.

Vin reilly - April 16, 2021 at 07:15 PM

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“ This is such a sad day; your mom was wonderful to me. I have such great memories of the Brooks family. My deepest sympathy to Mr. Brooks, Kristen, Tommy & Stephen. May Mrs. Brooks rest in peace.
Christine Boudreau Hebert

Christine Hebert - April 16, 2021 at 01:04 PM

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“ Dear Joe and Andrea and entire DiOrio Family,
Sorry to hear of Helen's passing. Our condolences to all. Our prayers and thoughts with you. May all your memories be of some comfort during this time.

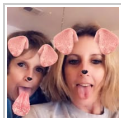
Love Always,
Carolyn & Lee Horton

Carolyn & Lee Horton - April 16, 2021 at 09:45 AM

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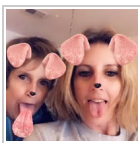
“ Tommy & family, our deepest sympathy to all of you on the loss of Helen. We all go back to when our children were young, worked with Helen at KCMH, Bob worked with Tommy at Kenny's. Was looking for my brother John's obituary when Helen's picture appeared, John passed on April 10, suddenly. Our prayers are with you at this very difficult time in your life. Loved Helen, she had a great sense of humor, hard worker, most of all a devoured wife, mother, & grandmother. Love Rosemary, Bob Walker & family.

Rosemary Walker - April 16, 2021 at 08:53 AM



Thanks Rosemary for your kind words.

Kristen Counihan - April 18, 2021 at 10:20 PM



“ Mom - you were truly the best mom & I wish I could have told you that more! I will always remember our funny snap chat pics and so many other things to list. I look forward to seeing you again! Love and miss you always!!

Kristen Counihan - April 15, 2021 at 10:50 PM