



Kathleen M. Hood

February 15, 2023

Kathleen Mary (Matvia) Hood, 81 of Monroeville, PA., left this world on Wednesday, February 15, 2023, surrounded by her family after a year of battling health issues. Kathleen was born on October 20, 1941, in Braddock Hills, PA. to Joseph and Margaret Matvia. She was the loving wife of Jerry A. Hood for 62 years and 11 months and the wonderful mother of Geralynn Hood-Holt (Tim) and Darren (Kelli) Hood. Kathleen is survived by Joseph, Helen Meininger, Paul (Doris), Denise Mastro and Kimberly Matvia. She was preceded in death by two brothers, Anthony and Matthew in addition to her dear fur baby Schotzie. Kathleen was the adoring grandmother of Hunter (Erica Mawhorr) and Alec Keough. She is also survived by many nieces and nephews and was an extra special Auntie K to Brandyn Meininger. Kathleen was a very busy, active, and sociable person. While keeping her children's schedules organized and her home perfect, she could be found volunteering, working, and spending time with her family. Her vast amount of involvement included being Judge of Elections, a short stint at working at Hardees, Cub Scout Den Mother for Darren's Scout Pack, Girl Scout Leader (along with her side-kick sister Helen) not once but twice for Geralynn's and her niece Brandy's troops, gardening, and 30 plus years of employment with Gateway School District. There were a great number of adventures and travels with her husband Jerry and family as well as many escapades with her sister Helen. This little review could continue for pages of all her special attributes, assistance, counseling, sounding board moments and love for so many

friends and family. If Kathleen invited you into her family circle, you would find it very difficult to escape. Heaven has gained another Angel, although a very feisty one! Kathleen could be saying “my mind just doesn’t take me there!” or “that’s why there is chocolate and vanilla ice cream”, so watch out Heaven for her gregarious personality. Family and friends will be received on Sunday, February 19th from 1 to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. at the GENE H. CORL FUNERAL CHAPEL INC. AND CREMATION SERVICES OF MONROEVILLE, 4335 Northern Pike (412-372-2100), and where a Blessing Service will be held on Monday, February 20, 2023, at 10:30 a.m. Interment following in Restland Memorial Park. Condolences may be made at www.corlfuneralchapel.com.

Cemetery Details

Restland Memorial Park

990 Patton St. Ext.
Monroeville, PA 15146

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 19. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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Visitation

FEB 19. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Blessing Service

FEB **20**. 10:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Kathy, I will never forget how much you & Jerry helped me and my family with my Mom (Helen) and her passing. You were so wonderful , uplifting, caring, funny, prayerful, and loving in spite of your health issues. Will miss you and your kindness so much. Thank you for all you did,. Hope you see my Mom in heaven. ❤️❤️ Love you. Marjorie Paolino and family.

Marjorie Paolino - February 17, 2023 at 11:31 AM

JY

“ I am very sorry to hear this news; Kathe will be missed dearly. I worked with Kathe for many years and a more caring person would be difficult to find. She was a very positive person and had a kind and cheerful disposition. 'My mind doesn't take me there' was often her saying, and I had to smile when reading that in her obituary. We all have many good memories of her very full life and will treasure the time we knew her. Blessings to her family. Jeanne

Jeanne Yargar - February 17, 2023 at 10:54 AM

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Her saying always made me smile and nid my head lol

Gerallynn - February 18, 2023 at 02:07 PM

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loved working with her always a smile sorry

merlyn carroll - February 19, 2023 at 08:43 AM