



Kathy (Holmstrom) Hickey

August 18, 1943 - October 2, 2020

Kathy (Holmstrom) Hickey, 77, of Plainville, passed away Friday (October 2, 2020) at the Summit in Plantsville. Born in New Britain, daughter of the late Ralph and Louise (Herrmann) Holmstrom, she was a graduate of New Britain High School Class of 1961. A former New Britain resident, she lived in Plainville since 1964. Kathy was a Paralegal for several local Attorney's, retiring in 2014. She was a former member of St. Mark's Episcopal Church and of the Church of Our Savior in Plainville. Kathy was a Past Matron of Fredrica Chapter, Order of Eastern Star in Plainville; was a former Grand Officer of the CT Order of Eastern Star; and was an avid country western dancer and avid sports fan, especially enjoying UConn Men's and Women's Basketball.

Surviving is a son, Scott Hickey and his fiancée Lisa Perazzelli of Oakland Park, FL; her longtime companion James Murray of Prospect; two sisters, Donna Brown and her husband Larry of South Windsor; Jane Holmstrom and her companion and former husband Joe Kozalka of Kensington; a grandson, S.J. Magnusson-Hickey; her niece Jennifer Conner (Steve); nephew Aaron Brown (Tracey); and great nieces and nephews Colum, Kylie, Kenzie Conner and Leah, Riley, Ayla Brown. The family wishes to thank Dr. Bryan Byrne and his staff, and Dr. Neil Wasserman for their caring and compassion and Noa Mencher for her guidance and support during Kathy's journey.

Funeral services are Saturday 10 AM at Carlson Funeral Home, 45 Franklin Square, New Britain. Burial will follow in Fairview Cemetery. Calling hours are

Friday 5 to 7 PM at Carlson Funeral Home. Members of Fredrica Chapter, OES will conduct their ritual Friday 6:45 PM at the Funeral Home. Memorial donations may be made to a charity of the donor's choice. Please share a memory or note of sympathy at www.carlsonfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Fairview Cemetery

120 Smalley Street
New Britain, CT 06051

Previous Events

Calling Hours

OCT **9**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Carlson Funeral Home
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Funeral Service

OCT **10**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

DC

“ Dear Donna, Janie and Scott, So sorry to hear of Kathy's passing. I wish it were possible to see you all personally. I am watching my 10 month old great grandson from 10am to 3pm today. He is already walking and a very sweet handful!

I remember your grandmother, mother and father. Your grandmother was a housemother for New Britain General Hospital student nurses as I recall. I still have a wonderful picture of Kathy and Bob dancing--she in a poodle skirt and bobby sox. And my brother had hair! Kathy was always good to me and my sister Kathy, too.

You are in my thoughts and prayers. Dee Currier

Deirdre H. Currier - October 09, 2020 at 02:42 PM

DB

“ Dear Jane, Donna and Scott,
We are so sorry for your loss. Our Thoughts and Prayers and we will always think of her with loving memories at camp.

Love

Dale and Dianne

Dianne Brown - October 08, 2020 at 02:04 PM

PE

“ Dear Jane , Donna and Family.
I'm sending my deepest Sympathies and prayers that God will guide you and comfort you during this difficult time.

I love you Jane .

Patty Egidio

patty egidio - October 07, 2020 at 03:46 PM

RM

“ *Roxanne L Mueller lit a candle in memory of Kathy (Holmstrom) Hickey*



roxanne l mueller - October 07, 2020 at 02:42 PM

PP

“ *I am so sorry to read of Kathy's passing. Sending love and peace as you navigate this sad time.*
Peg

Peggy Coppe Porter - October 07, 2020 at 08:04 AM

BL

“ *To The Holmstrom and Hickey Family,*

Wishing you peace to bring you comfort, the courage to face the days ahead, loving memories to forever hold in your heart. So sorry for your loss.

*Love,
Barbara Langwiser
Coral Springs FL*

Barbara D Langwiser - October 06, 2020 at 04:44 PM

CM

“ *I'm so very sorry for your loss - Kathy was a wonderful lady, and a loving grandma to SJ!! My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. With our deepest sympathies, Carla (and SJ)*

Carla Magnusson - October 06, 2020 at 04:18 PM