



Mark A. Slakish

July 19, 1955 - March 22, 2016

Mark A. Slakisk, 60, longtime Berlin resident, passed away Tuesday March 22, 2016 at Connecticut Hospice in Branford. Born in New Britain, son of the late Alfred and Joyce Roberts Slakish, he was a graduate of Berlin High School class of 1973 and later received degrees in Psychology and Art from Central Connecticut State University in 1978. Mark was employed as a counselor at the Henry D. Altobello and Riverview Psychiatric Hospitals for DCF in Connecticut. He was a member of South Church in New Britain where he was a choir member; He was a long time board member of the Art League of New Britain and the New Britain Musical Club. In his free time, Mark was a performer and loved to sing and also became an avid gardener. He loved his history and antiques, making annual trips to the Brimfield Mass. Antique Show. He showed interest and a great love for England and English history making numerous trips there since Childhood.

Surviving is his longtime and very devoted friends, James E. Pollowitz of Clinton and Mary Kennedy of Kennebunkport, ME.

A memorial service will be held 11 AM Saturday April 2, 2016 at South Church 90 Main Street, New Britain, CT 06051. Burial will be in the church's memorial garden. There are no calling hours. In lieu of flowers, Mark requested that donations be made to the Music Series at South Church. Please share a memory or note of sympathy by "clicking" SEND CONDOLENCES at the bottom of the page.

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“ *Mark, you were a wonderful person and a great friend to Jim Pollowitz. I remember the laughs we had at Jim's house. Rest in peace.*

Liz Armetta - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Not a moment goes by that I don't think of you and all the joy we had together. My heart aches for you.*

James Pollowitz - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM