



Kay Frances Nickeson Needels

July 31, 1952 - May 20, 2021

Kay Frances Nickeson Needels, 68, of Supply, NC formerly of Chemung, NY and Hornbrook, PA passed away peacefully Thursday, May 20, 2021 at the New Hanover Regional Medical Center in Wilmington, NC.

Kay was born in Sayre, PA on July 31, 1952, the daughter of Donald E. Nickeson and Marian P. (Hill) Nickeson. Kay was a graduate of Athens Area High School and continued her education at Elmira College, Elmira, NY and Mansfield University, Mansfield, PA. On April 28, 1979, Kay and Archie Needels were married at the Hornbrook United Methodist Church. Kay was employed with the Robert Packer Hospital and the Guthrie Clinic in Sayre for 46 years until her retirement. Kay enjoyed shopping and spending time traveling with her beloved husband Archie. The couple enjoyed many memorable vacations at the seashore at Carolina Beach for 16 years. Kay loved restoring and decorating their 230 year-old historic colonial home in Chemung, NY where they entertained family and friends over the years. Kay's family includes her devoted husband of 42 years, Archie K. Needels, step-children, Kim Needels of Hallstead, PA, Brian Needels (Sarina) of Vestal, NY, step grandchildren, Keith Needels (Tori) of Boston, MA, Dylan Blachek of Binghamton, NY, Emily Blachek of Hallstead, PA, her brothers, Kenneth Nickeson of Grand Island, FL, Lynn Nickeson of Hornbrook, PA, sisters-in-law, Elaine Titus (Allan) of Sharpsville, PA, and Pat Needels of Greenville, PA. In addition to her parents, Kay was predeceased by her brother, Gerald A. "Jerry" Nickeson on January 21, 2017, sister-in-law, Frances Sarvas and

brother-in-law, Wilmer Needels.

The family will receive friends Saturday, May 29, 2021 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. followed by a funeral service at 1:00 p.m. at the Maryott-Bowen Funeral Home 217 York Ave. Towanda, PA with Rev. Dr. Barry Ballard officiating.

Interment will be in the Hornbrook Cemetery, Sheshequin Township, PA.

The family suggests that contributions please be directed to the Parkinson's Foundation, 200 SE 1st Street, Suite 800, Miami, FL 33131 in memory of Kay.

Memories and condolences may be expressed by visiting www.bowenfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Hornbrook Cemetery

Towanda, PA 18848

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 29. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Maryott-Bowen Funeral Home
217 York Ave.
Towanda, PA 18848
(570) 265-2272
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Service

MAY 29. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kay Frances Nickeson Needels*

October 22, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ *Kay Frances Nickeson Needels*

October 08, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ *Kay Frances Nickeson Needels*

October 06, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ *Kay Frances Nickeson Needels*

October 06, 2023 at 03:29 AM



“ *Kay Frances Nickeson Needels*

October 05, 2023 at 02:02 PM



“ *I just heard of Kay's passing. She has a genuine heart of gold. I enjoyed working with Kay very much. She was a coworker and friend!!*

Kay Snyder

Kay Snyder - July 18, 2021 at 07:42 PM



“ We all love our Aunt Kay. We admire her insights and the way she could delicately interject her opinion if something seemed contrary to her. She had great poise and was so very thoughtful and purposeful.

It's always a joy for us when we got together because we love to visit with our family and treasure the moments we spend with them. Our children found their visits with their great Aunt and Uncle very intriguing because they loved to listen to their wonderful stories. We continually miss her and are keeping Archie and the family in our prayers.

Jeff and Connie Needels

Jeff Needels - June 08, 2021 at 02:39 AM

TW

“ Archie - When I think of Kay, I think of the hours we worked together creating a Lab Cookbook to raise money for lab week. Seems like yesterday. Thinking of you and your family during this difficult time.

Tonya Wilhelm - May 29, 2021 at 12:03 PM

SA

“ Dear Archie, I am so very sorry for your loss. What a wonderful woman Kay was. My heartfelt condolences to you and your family. Love, Sue Aumick



Susan C Aumick - May 26, 2021 at 09:28 PM

WF

“ Archie, I am so sorry and shocked! Kay was such true delight and a very special lady. Wanda Foote

Wanda Foote - May 26, 2021 at 12:39 PM

ER

“ 30 years ago (1991) my wife and I bought are forever home from Kay and Archie. We will always remember how kind she was and how nice and helpful they were to us. Now we have raised a family here and love it as if we just bought it.

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Archie and family. Rest in peace Kay.

Ed and Sheila Ropp



Ed & Sheila Ropp - May 25, 2021 at 05:55 PM

CL

“ Thoughts and prayers are with all of Kays family. I am so sorry. Kay was the sweetest person ever, and a fellow Hornbrooker. fly high Kay!!



Claire Martin- Lizon - May 25, 2021 at 10:15 AM