



Nancy P. Bustin

September 6, 1955 - October 31, 2024

Nancy Bustin died of a broken heart on October 31, 2024 at age 69. She is predeceased by her husband Richard Callear (2022), mother Alice Homan Bustin and father Paul Bustin. She also lost sisters Mary Lou Allen, Peggy Young, Ann Maynard, niece Lisa Allen Hawken, and nephew Chris Watkins. Nancy is survived by brother Michael (Sheryl) Bustin, Pat Homan ("Cousin"), Ruby (dog), Thelma (cat), and many cousins, nieces and nephews; as well as by Tara Callear and Lori Allen Unger, who were like daughters to her. She was resilient like her mother, having lost her father at a very young age. Nancy celebrated the gift of life each day. She survived two kidney transplants, her first live-donor was Rick (1995) and then her friend "Hank" (2011). As a kid, she was a consistent high-scorer for the Bulldogs and continued to enthusiastically support girls basketball, particularly her great-nieces. Nancy was grateful to have recently reconnected with her Athens High School classmates at her 50th reunion. Over the years, she had grown a community of furry friends and family through her business at Nancy's Animal House in Monroeton from 1991 to 2016. She and her dog Nell made a hobby of dog agility and won many competitions over the years. But on her porch at Schrader Creek was where her heart was. She loved ferns, John Wayne and all-things orange! She was not afraid to play the hum-a-zoo and dance as if no one was watching. Close friends and family gathered for an open house on November 16th. Memorial donations can be made to the Bradford County Humane Society in Ulster.

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

Tribute Wall

RD

“ *Dear Nancy*



Robyn D'Anna - November 18, 2024 at 09:06 PM

BW

“ *my dear friend Nancy, we shared so many beautiful memories, there are no word's for how much you are missed, life will not be the same without you and Rick in it, until we meet again Love you my dear friend Bonnie*

Bonnie Wilcox - November 18, 2024 at 08:57 PM

JW

“ *Nancy you were so special to our family, so glad we talked on your birthday. I will miss you.*

jean white - November 17, 2024 at 12:25 PM

SM

“ *I can only imagine the wonderful celebration that was waiting for you when you walked through God's gates. Alice yodeling, the warm embrace of your father, and the comfort of being with Rick and all your siblings. Our memories of you are truly a treasure. RIP*

Sally Allis Mulrooney

Sally A Mulrooney - November 16, 2024 at 02:58 PM

LS

“ Nancy and I were good friends during our school years, I have some wonderful memories of those times. After school our paths took us in different directions and we loss touch. I’m so glad I got to see Nancy last year at our reunion. She will be dearly missed.



Linda Allis Shaffer - November 16, 2024 at 09:19 AM

AL

Such a big loss to all who knew and loved her. Fly hi my friend 🌹

Ann Lawler - November 18, 2024 at 08:40 PM

MB

“ Such a sweet person and friend gone to soon! Thoughts and prayers to her family, she will be missed.



Tom and Peggy Blanchard

Margaret Blanchard - November 15, 2024 at 09:09 AM

KA

“ Nancy was loved by many and will be missed. She was a special lady and a friend to all. RIP, Nancy, we all know how much you missed Rick and are happy to know you are together again.

Kevin and Sally Allis - November 13, 2024 at 05:41 PM

JC

“ I will miss you forever, Nancy. I'm so happy I got to see you one more time. I know that Richard was waiting for you, and I'm sure your sisters were there with him. May you all be at peace now.



Judy Cady - November 10, 2024 at 06:55 PM

CH

“ RIP Nancy

I believe we don't really die we just change worlds. I'll remember our laughs and I remember as kids playing in the basement. You will certainly be missed.



Claire Holton-Lizon - November 06, 2024 at 10:10 AM

MB

“ Melissa BUTTON lit a candle in memory of Nancy Bustin



Melissa BUTTON - November 06, 2024 at 05:55 AM

ES

“ Esther Carolyn Shay lit a candle in memory of Nancy Bustin



Esther Carolyn Shay - November 03, 2024 at 06:05 PM

KM

“ *RIP Nancy you are not in pain anymore and alone. Here's hoping Rick and your family is holding you in their arms. I will miss you and was so happy to have had you as a friend and in my life.*

Kathy Moore - November 03, 2024 at 06:01 PM

KB

“ *Such a loss for not only her family but the entire community. RIP Nancy 🥹*

Kathy Barrett - November 03, 2024 at 05:59 PM