



## Mrs. Kathryn A. McCarthy

July 15, 1949 - February 2, 2016

Mrs. Kathryn Ann (Gyurasz) McCarthy, 66, of Adams, died on Tuesday morning, February 2, 2016 at her home.

She was born in North Adams on July 15, 1949, a daughter of the late Edward and Eileen (Burke) Gyurasz. She attended Schools in North Adams and graduated from the former St. Joseph's High School.

She was a communicant of the former St. Francis of Assisi Church, North Adams. She was a member of the Polish National Alliance in Adams and a member of the North Adams Elks, where she was the former Chaplin. Kathryn had a zestful approach to all things in life that included an aggressive can do it all attitude. Aside from being a loving and devoted mother and grandmother, she had a myriad of professional ventures, a few being KK Home Mart, Crossill and Timberland Co. She most enjoyed her last job as a bartender/events planner for the PNA in Adams. She loved all outdoor activities, especially gardening and enjoyed trips to Lake Champlain.

She is survived by her husband, Richard T. McCarthy,

Her Step Mother – Nancy Gyurasz of Naples, FL,

2 Sons – Timothy T. McCarthy and his wife Stacy of Cheshire and Thomas J. McCarthy and his fiancé Dawn Tetlow on Williamstown,

1 Brother – Kurt Gyurasz of North Adams,

4 Grandchildren – Sarah, Jerald, Ryan and Kaitlyn McCarthy,

Nieces and nephews, including, Kelley Wilson and Jason Choquette,

Her best friends, Shelley Christofolini and Michelle Briggs and close family

friends Jason and Krista Avery and their son Tyler.

She was predeceased by 1 brother, Edward Gyurasz and by 2 sisters, Patti Marie Gyurasz and Jacqueline Gyurasz.

Funeral services and burial will be private for the family at a later date.

A remembrance of Kathryn McCarthy's Life will be on Tuesday, February 9 from 5:00PM to 7:00PM at the PACIOREK FUNERAL HOME, 13 Hoosac St., Adams.

The family requests the omission of flowers and suggests memorial donations be made to HospiceCare in the Berkshires, 877 South St. Suite 1W, Pittsfield, MA 01201 or to Elder Services or Meals on Wheels, 877 South St., Suite 4E, Pittsfield, MA 01201.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Hi Kathie honestly you and Cookie have had your hands full since Mac got there, " Surprise " he hasn't changed has he, TJ is doing a great job getting things taken care of with his kids and Arty your Great grandson Mac hooked him on M & Ms. He's doing a good job as dad and brother.

Sometimes he calls seeking advice I hope I'm trying to do my best he is a good man, as is Tim.

Your family is ok tell 2-Charlie thanks, for the memories.

Love to you Cookie and Mac

Jim

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1-Charlie - June 28, 2024 at 05:29 PM

Jl

“ Hi Kathie well he's there "WOW" what a surprise you and Cookie got, when Mac showed up I hope the two of you are busting his testicle as he enjoyed busting others later in life though when he was young he was really a good buddy and remained there for me after many years, one day I'll be put to the test to stand before God not sure if I'll pass so I'm asking for some help, maybe the 3 of you 🙏 maybe 2 he may still be on probation, but we love him.

Happy St. Patrick's Day you and Cookie keep showing up ❤️❤️🍀



Jim

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Jim - March 17, 2024 at 08:03 AM

JT

“ Well Kathy it's been close to 3 months since my buddy crossed over , you and Cookie had 4 years to talk about us and the many dumb-ass things we have done, I bet you 2 are good friends by now laughing at us.

*I know in my heart you 2 met him at the Gates laughing with open arms, I'm not sure when I'll make the trip though I hope you 3 will put in a good word for me, 2-Charlie you take them fishing while you're there and let them catch fish be good Buddy.*

*Love you all  
Jim*

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**Jim Taylor** - February 02, 2024 at 06:42 AM

JT

“ Kathy, well my buddy is on his way stopping at the gates, to see if you and my wife say he can come in. I ask that you let him in 2-Charlie and I did many dumb things as kids far away and were hard to live with but all in all we tried. I ask that he gets in to Heaven . Tell Cookie I'll be there when God says my time is done here .

*Jim*

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**Jim Taylor** - November 21, 2023 at 08:02 AM

JS

“ RIP my friend, Our trip to Bermuda will forever be memories of us for me, Until we meet again cha ching cha ching

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**joanne smith** - June 07, 2018 at 11:39 AM



“ *Our prayers are with you Tim and Family, Your Mom was a special person. Mary and Bill Gelinias*

June 07, 2018 at 11:39 AM



“ *T.j., Tim and Family, So sorry to hear of the passing of a loved one. Kathy was a wonderful, caring person. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.*

**Paul Roy** - June 07, 2018 at 11:39 AM



“ *Our love and prayers are with you all.*

**Ruth Smith** - June 07, 2018 at 11:39 AM



“ *So sorry for the passing of one of the kindest people around. Kathie wasn't afraid to speak what was on her mind that's what I loved about her. She will be missed by many.*

**Linda Meron** - June 07, 2018 at 11:39 AM



“ *Mrs. Kathryn A. McCarthy*

**Brenda Hanlon** - June 07, 2018 at 11:39 AM



“ *Sooooo sorry for your passing..... you will be greatly missed by Scott and Me... at the PNA.... no matter how you were hurting you still had a smile for us...*

**Brenda Hanlon** - June 07, 2018 at 11:39 AM

DC

“ I was saddened to hear about Kathy's passing.. I worked with her many years ago and she left her mark on my heart. I'm sure there a many good memories that will make you smile through your tears. God Bless.

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**Debra Crews** - June 07, 2018 at 11:39 AM

CM

“ My condolences to the family. May you Rest In Peace Kathi. Your friend, Charlene

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**Charlene Morocco** - June 07, 2018 at 11:39 AM

BW

“ Kurt and family, so sorry to here of Kathy' passing. Seems like yesterday we were terrorizing the neighborhood. Bill Wilson Amherst.

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**Bill Wilson** - June 07, 2018 at 11:39 AM

MR

“ Kathy was a wonderful childhood friend and St. Joseph's High School classmate. I will always remember all the fun and laughs we had as youngsters and at our class reunions. May she rest in peace; she will never be forgotten by all.

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**Mireille Roy** - June 07, 2018 at 11:39 AM

ES

“ So sorry for your loss. She will always be in your hearts. Remember all the good times. Our deepest Sympathy and prayers. Ed and Paula

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**Ed, Paula Santerre** - June 07, 2018 at 11:39 AM

GA

“ *Kathi was like a mom to me. A Mom a sister a friend. She had a wonderful sense of humor and a love for her family. Saying she will be missed is an understatement. She was a hard working no nonsense type of woman. The world is a much sadder place without her light.*

*Love Gail McCarthy O'Hearn*

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**Gail** - June 07, 2018 at 11:39 AM

SC

“ *Tim, you, your brother, and your dad were the world to your mom, as were her grandchildren. At a time when I needed a very good friend years back, she was always there for me. She was an amazing woman in many, many ways, full of joy and laughter, and always willing to help someone out. I am so very sorry for the void her earthly presence will leave, but I know she will be your guardian angel and you'll carry her always in your heart. God bless and may you rest well with the angels Kathy. Thank you for being a friend.*

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**Susan Cross** - June 07, 2018 at 11:39 AM

JS

“ *you are at peace my friend. Rest well until we meet again...cha ching cha ching*

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**joanne smith** - June 07, 2018 at 11:39 AM



“ *Kathi Thank you for looking out and giving us great days to fish, last fall. Everyday was a pleasure with my old friend.. We both know you were looking out for us. I do so wish we would have met earlier in life, Thinking of you early in the mornings to talk with Jim*

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February 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *Draw close to God, and he will draw close to you. (James 4:8)*

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March 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *One of the best... A huge supporter of local music, and a great friend. She will be incredibly missed. -BrezieEastman Band*

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February 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *To my friend Mac from many years ago, and your family having Kathi to talk to early in the mornings ( on F.B. )for the past few short years was my blessing from God, we had good conversations about life experiences, my morning Lady Friend is Greatly missed. God has a Great lady in his hands. Kathi did not have to Knock on Heavens Door they were open upon her arrival*

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February 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM