



## Mrs. Mary Ellen Perreault

March 31, 1947 - April 7, 2020

Mrs. Mary Ellen (Meaney) Perreault, 73, of Adams, died on Tuesday, April 7, 2020 at her home, surrounded by family.

She was born in North Adams on March 31, 1947, to the late Paul and Ruth (Quinn) Meaney. She attended and graduated from St. Joseph's High School in North Adams. She then went on to receive her Bachelor's Degree of Education from the former North Adams State College.

Mary Ellen worked as a teacher in the North Adams Public Schools and was an elementary Special Education teacher at the time of her retirement. She was active in local charities, a member of the Catholic Daughters, as well as the Rosary Sodality. Mary Ellen was a caretaker, kind and loving to all people and animals. She will be dearly missed.

She was a communicant of the Parish of St. John Paul II in Adams, and had been a longtime communicant of the former St. Francis of Assisi Church in North Adams.

She is survived by her husband, Richard Perreault, whom she married on November 18, 1972; two daughters, Kristen and her husband Mario Catelotti and Jennifer and her husband Timothy Russell of North Adams; three grandchildren, Alyssa, Daphne and Ainsley; three brothers, James Meaney, Sr., Gregory Meaney and John Meaney, Sr.; one sister, Anne Carruth; and many nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her brother, Paul Meaney, Jr.

Funeral services and burial will be private. There are no calling hours.

Memorial Donations may be made to St. John Paul II Parish Food Pantry, P.O. Box 231 Adams, MA 01220 or to The American Diabetes Association. 260 Cochituate Rd, Suite 200, Framingham, MA 01701 or online at <https://www.diabetes.org/donate>.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Mary Ellen Perreault.*



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April 22, 2020 at 06:04 PM



“ *This picture of Mary reflects her personality exactly. Laughing, loving and being a wonderful friend since our college days. Memories of her are the best thing to keep her close to our hearts - and we have many of them.*

*The world will be a little less sunny without her.*

*Our prayers and condolences to all of her family.*

*Rita and Laini Sporbert*

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**Rita Sporbert** - April 15, 2020 at 10:13 AM



“ *To the Family of a Lovely Lady,  
Rest In Peace.  
Sincerely, Theresa Kennedy*

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**Theresa** - April 14, 2020 at 05:44 AM

MS

“ I am so sorry to hear the sad news about Mary Ellen. My parents, Bill and Mary Scrivens, thought very highly of her. I remember seeing her occasionally after church at St. Francis many, many years ago when she and my parents would chat for a bit. She was very upbeat and always so friendly! My condolences to Skip and family!

*Meredith and Mark Greene*

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**meredith scrivens-greene** - April 10, 2020 at 02:04 PM

PM

“ We are so sad to hear of Mary's passing. She was a dear friend since high school and brought us together 50+ years ago, served as a bridesmaid at our wedding. A beautiful, caring and loving woman. Our hearts go out to Skip and all her family.

*Bill & Paula Morey*

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**Paula Morey** - April 10, 2020 at 01:26 PM

BS

“ We were so sorry to hear about Mary Ellen's passing away. She left a positive mark wherever she went. We will keep her and you in our thoughts and prayers.

*Bob and Peggy Scrivens*

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**Bob Scrivens** - April 10, 2020 at 10:27 AM

CM

“ *I have such fond memories of Mary at the playground at Mark Hopkins School. Anne I am so sorry to hear about Mary's passing as I have lost a sister also, treasure the great memories you have as they will help you through this sad time.  
I will be praying for you and all of your family, stay strong.  
Ceal Slatter Marko*

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**Cecilia Slattery Marko** - April 10, 2020 at 08:22 AM