

Mary Urtz

March 7, 2022

Mary Urtz, 80, of West Hartford, passed away peacefully at home on March 7. Mary was born July 23, 1941 in Lowville, NY to Elizabeth (Betty) Gyore Maher and Leon Michael Maher. She was the eldest to younger brother Donald. After graduating from Lowville Academy and Central School in 1959, she went on to start a family and moved to Hartford, CT by 1970 where she raised four children. By the early 1980s, as a young mom of four, she also attended Greater Hartford Community College and found much joy in working part-time in their Art Department. Her determination paid off and she landed a Legal Secretary position with The State of CT Attorney General's Office where she worked for twenty years. Mary had a strong work ethic, a sharp and witty personality, and a robust green thumb when she cared for the office plants that resided in her very own "Plant ICU". She carried that love of plants to her home where she also was an avid reader and crocheter, crossword puzzle master, crime show watching, music fanatic. And her passion for "her" football team, the Philadelphia Eagles, was evidenced by what we kids might call her seasonal psychosis. Such passion was only outmatched by the love of her six grandchildren. She attended countless hockey games and dance recitals that softened some of life's hard edges. Most times though, she enjoyed her solitude, her children, and some time with close friends. She was fiercely loyal to her independence which she maintained throughout her life. Mary is survived by her two sons David McIntyre [Stephanie] of Simsbury, CT, and Daniel Urtz [Virginia] of Essex Junction, VT, and her daughter Lisa Aiello

[Michael] of Cheshire, CT. Her six grandchildren, Ryan, Larry, Amber, Shannon, Nathan, and Autumn, and her two great-grandchildren Liora and Alyana. She is also survived by her brother Donald [Karen] Maher of Philadelphia, NY and her three nephews John [Karen] Maher, Mark [Jodi] Maher, and Jeffrey [Jeremy] Maher. Mary is predeceased by her daughter Lori Urtz. Funeral services will be private. In lieu of flowers please consider donations to a local food pantry.

Tribute Wall

EM

“ Lisa, Mike and Family,

I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your mom. I hope the memories of your time together bring you comfort. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Eileen Mulvey

Eileen Mulvey - March 15, 2022 at 12:29 PM

LW

“ Lisa and Family,
My condolences for your loss. Thinking of you.
Lynne Westbrook

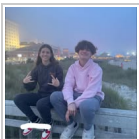
Lynne Westbrook - March 14, 2022 at 10:34 AM

AM

“ *My condolences on the passing of Mary. I had the good fortune to work with Mary for many years at the Connecticut Attorney General's Office. Her excellent work was only matched by her great sense of humor and her devotion to her family. I am so sorry for your loss. May she rest in peace and may her memory be for a blessing.*

Arnold Menchel

Arnold Menchel - March 12, 2022 at 01:36 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss Lisa. I am thinking of you and your family during this difficult time.*

Joanne Strong - March 12, 2022 at 01:28 PM

EO

“ My deepest condolences to the Urtz family. I had the good fortune to work with Mary for a time at the OAG . Mary always enjoyed a joke , no matter how corny. Her devotion to the Eagles and Donovan McNabb was exceeded only by her devotion to family. May your memories of Mary provide comfort and solace in the days and years to come.

Ed Osswalt

Ed Osswalt - March 12, 2022 at 09:37 AM

MR

“ I am so sorry for your loss Lisa. I am thinking of you and your family during this difficult time.

Michelle Ramrattan - March 11, 2022 at 12:26 PM

CF

“ Lisa,
You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers during this most difficult time.

CJ Forcier - March 11, 2022 at 10:12 AM

PS

“ Lisa in memory of your Mother I'm sorry for your loss. I never had the pleasure of meeting her in person but I will always remember the stories you shared with me about her. Your family will surely miss this beautiful and loving person. Again my condolences to you and your family.

Patricia Shuler - March 11, 2022 at 09:48 AM

MF

“ Lisa , Michael and family I was so sorry to hear of the loss of your mother. May her memory be a blessing to all who knew her. May she rest in eternal peace. My prayerful condolences. Mary Florenzano

Mary Florenzano - March 10, 2022 at 09:49 PM

SO

“ Sending condolences and prayers to your entire family. Mary and I worked together at the Office of the Attorney General. She was such a great friend and a tireless worker. She will be missed! With Sympathy, Suzanne Dunnell O'Donnell

Suzanne O'Donnell - March 10, 2022 at 03:43 PM

AW

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Mary left this world as she lived in this world - on her terms. Love to you all.
Andrea White

Andrea White - March 09, 2022 at 08:18 PM

KD

“ I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. I'm going to miss our Philly /Giants battles during football season. May she R.I.P

Karen Dymersky - March 09, 2022 at 04:59 PM