



## Eleanor May D'Aurizio (nee Laughlin)

August 30, 1938 - March 5, 2025

With heavy hearts, we announce the passing of Eleanor May D'Aurizio (née Laughlin), who left us on March 5, 2025, at the age of 86.

Born on August 30, 1938, Eleanor was a devoted sister to Theresa Laughlin, Lucille Grady, and Thomas Laughlin and was predeceased by her brother, Walter Laughlin and her parents Marion Corey Laughlin Fay and Walter Laughlin.

Eleanor was originally from Corning, NY. She spent most of her adult life in Rochester, New York, where she built a loving home with her late husband, Angelo (The Hawk) D'Aurizio. Married for 51 years, their life together was filled with laughter, family, and countless cherished memories. She was a devoted mother to Antoinette (Toni) Kane (spouse, Jeffrey Kane), Louis D'Aurizio, and Marion D'Aurizio Hawkins (spouse, Lawrence Hawkins). She was a proud and loving grandmother to Louis Angelo D'Aurizio (who predeceased her in 2020), Lawrence Mark Hawkins Jr., Patrick John Hawkins, and Trevor Clifford Kane, and a cherished great-grandmother to five great-grandchildren. Family was the cornerstone of Eleanor's life, and she shared deep bonds with her many nieces and nephews, who held a special place in her heart.

After Angelo's passing, Eleanor made a bold move to Saint Petersburg, Florida in 2009, where she found an extended family among the many close friendships she made there. Special thank you to Barbara Lynne Sutherland, Amber Nicole Martin and Luke Richard Fowler for their love and care for Eleanor during her time in Florida.

An avid bowler and golfer for most of her adult life, Eleanor found joy and competition on the lanes and fairways, where she built lifelong friendships. Eleanor also had a deep love for animals, a passion throughout her life. She cherished her own pets deeply but also loved pet-sitting for friends, finding joy in caring for their animals as if they were her own. She was "The Pet Whisperer"

Eleanor's legacy is one of love, strength, independence, and deep family bonds. Her family will honor her memory in private, there will not be a service.

Rest in peace, Eleanor. Your love, independence, and spirit will live on in the hearts of all who knew and loved you.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to CJ Paws Cat Rescue at <https://cjpaws.org> in her memory.

# Tribute Wall

BG

“ Our families have had a lot of wonderful, fun times over the last 45 plus years. Your mom is at peace and no more pain She's probably playing golf with all the angels. So sorry for your loss, Marion, Toni and Louis . I a wonderful memories of all the times we've spent with both your mom and dad. Love you all. Barb and Floyd

Barb Grimes - March 08, 2025 at 11:08 AM

KM

“ Elenor was my cousin. On her way to their honeymoon they stopped at my house in Corning so my dad and I could see them as we were unable to go to their wedding. I never forgot that . Sending love and hugs.

Kathleen Mayo - March 08, 2025 at 09:59 AM

LL

“ Eleanor was a good sister. We had many good times together and we shared our love for animals. I will miss her so much. Many miles were bewtween us since 2009, but we managed to stay close. El, I love you now and forever. <3

Luci Laughlin=Littell-Grady - March 08, 2025 at 09:48 AM

RB

“ I didn't know your mom but I know you. And if the best of her shines in you, then she must have been a good woman. ❤️

Rebecca Burbridge - March 08, 2025 at 09:45 AM

CS

I loved Eleanor. Always my sister-in-law. She visited me in S.C. . We always had fun and laughter. She will always be missed. Met in 1972.

Cheryl Sill - March 10, 2025 at 02:25 PM