



Martha D. Carlyon

March 2, 2024

Martha Dale Carlyon passed away peacefully at her home on Saturday, March 2, 2024, surrounded by her two sons and eldest granddaughter. At the age of 80, Martha left a legacy of unconditional love, strength of spirit, and generosity that extended beyond her immediate family to encompass a wide network of friends and loved ones.

A native of Duxbury, Massachusetts, Martha completed her high school education at Le Grand Verger in Switzerland, earned a bachelor's degree in education from Boston University's Wheelock College, and obtained a master's in psychology from the University of West Georgia.

Martha's heart belonged to New England. She cherished days spent on the shore, immersed in a good book, listening to the seagulls, or going for a swim. She often spoke of this as being what made life worth living. Martha also loved riding her bike on the trails in Fort Collins. When not doing these activities, she would spend hours in her garden or sharing her love of skiing. However, she took the greatest pride in raising her two sons, who were the sunshine of her life, brightened only by the addition of her grandchildren.

She leaves behind two sons, Jonathan Carlyon of Fort Collins, Colorado and Matthew Carlyon of Amherst, Massachusetts; three stepdaughters, Regina Carlyon of New York, Jeanne Blythe of Texas, and Carla Carlyon of Long

Island, N.Y.; along with a host of nieces, nephews, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. She will be buried at Fort Logan National Cemetery next to her husband of 50 years, Earl Carlyon. Martha's life was a testament to her deep love for her family and friends.

In memory of Martha, donations may be made to St. Jude's Hospital for Children. Her legacy of kindness and generosity will continue to inspire those who knew her.

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“ Martha was a colleague and a dear friend, who I had the privilege of teaching with for 17 years. She brought light and enthusiasm into her classroom and had the deepest love and compassion for her students. I admired her intelligence and calm way of going about every situation that presented itself.

Pam, Martha, and I, the "Fourth grade team" shared many laughs and family stories. Every Friday we went out for a very brief lunch together and rushed back to pick our students up from recess. We all retired at the same time.

While I moved to Cape Cod, the three of us made sure we got together at least once a year for a long breakfast or lunch to share all our news. Many of those times were at Wrentham Outlets where we not only ate, but then shopped as well. Even after her move to Colorado, Martha made yearly trips back East and we connected. I am deeply sorry for your loss and I will miss your mother and grandmother immensely.

With deepest sympathy, Elizabeth Mizoras

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