



Mary Ellen Fitzpatrick Dennard

September 2, 1954 - February 5, 2020

Mary Ellen Fitzpatrick Dennard, 65, of Leesburg, Florida, passed away on February 5th, 2020, with her loving family by her side. Mary was born in Dunellen, New Jersey on September 2nd, 1954 to Mary and Kevin Fitzpatrick. Mary Ellen is survived by her loving husband of 12 years; John Dennard, her children; Sawyer Hopkins and Colleen Freeman, grandson; Scott Freeman, and her mother; Mary Fitzpatrick. Mary Ellen was an economist in Washington, D.C., before a career change to teaching upper level high school mathematics. She found great pride from teaching at an impoverished high school in the suburbs of D.C. She enjoyed her Irish heritage, music, and Irish step dancing; she spent afternoons sailing, reading, and always making sure she prepared a wholesome family dinner each night. Mary Ellen loved her family fiercely and reveled in her accomplishments, she also enjoyed talking politics as a staunch Democrat. She was an amazing person, and will be missed dearly by everyone that new her, specially her family and friends.

Arrangements are entrusted to Page-Theus Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Leesburg.

Comments



“ I will miss Mary Ellen's friendship, sense of humor and support she showed for milestones in my family...weddings and births. She was a fun neighbor to chat with. I also admire her dedication and passion towards teaching high school math. I will continue to keep MaryEllen in my prayers. I will miss her.

Macy Butler - February 14 at 05:35 PM



“ Condolences to Mary Ellen's husband, Jack, and the whole Fitzpatrick clan. Mary Ellen and I go back to the mists of college, we had adventures, our friendship meant a lot. I'll always remember her in her rocking chair in her Trinity dorm room.

Karen O'Keefe - February 11 at 10:43 AM



“ Mary Ellen and I went to college together. She was a passionate advocate for those in need. She followed her creed and was a role model to all who knew her.

Margaret Dunning - February 11 at 10:22 AM



“ On behalf of the staff at Page-Theus Funeral Home, please accept our condolences. It is an honor to serve your family



Julie Kutlesic - February 10 at 08:18 AM