



Nancy M. Michell

August 20, 1934 - March 15, 2017

Nancy M. Michell, 82, of South Shore Road, Northville died Wednesday March 15, 2017 at Nathan Littauer Hospital after being stricken at home.

She was born in Winsted, CT on August 20, 1934 a daughter of Albert and Etta Benedict Luke and was educated there. Nancy moved to New York in 1966 when she met and married Jack Michell, the love of her life. They recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. For several years, Nancy and Jack spent winters in Arizona.

Nancy was a licensed real estate agent and worked in real estate in New York. Later, she was employed in reservations with Southwest Airlines in Phoenix, AZ, until retiring in 1997.

Nancy enjoyed traveling, especially cruises, and sewing and knitting. She loved hosting family dinners and spending time with family and friends. She also loved watching the wildlife in her backyard.

In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by a brother, Wayne Luke, and sister, Beverly Welch.

Survivors include her loving husband, John "Jack" Michell, whom she married on November 12, 1966; three sons, Gregg Palmer of Phoenix, AZ, David Palmer of Prescott, AZ, and Scott (Barb) Michell of Northville; a daughter, Susan (Patrick) Ford of Northville; a brother, David (Joyce) Luke of East Hampton, CT; seven grandchildren, Traci Shear-Cooper, Brandon Palmer, Haley Deacon, Katrina Ives, Michael Ford, Danielle Bartlett, and Sarah Newhart; a great-granddaughter, Mia; and several nieces, nephews, and

cousins.

Calling hours will be held on Tuesday from 2- 4 pm at the Robert M. Halgas Funeral Home, Inc. 111 County Highway 106 (Corner of Route 29 & Black Street), Johnstown. A funeral service will be conducted at 4 pm at the funeral home with Rev. Linda Martin, officiating. Burial will take place in the spring at Union Mills Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Edinburg Volunteer Ambulance Corps, in care of the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

Union Mills Cemetery

Broadalbin, NY 12025

Previous Events

Calling Hours

MAR 21. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Halgas Funeral Home
111 County Highway 106
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Service

MAR 21. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MD

“ *Marybeth Dicaterino lit a candle in memory of Nancy M. Michell*



Marybeth Dicaterino - March 21, 2017 at 12:44 PM

MD

“ *Scott , I'm so very sorry to hear about your mom my heart goes out to you and your family. Remember she will always be with you .*

Marybeth Dicaterino - March 21, 2017 at 12:43 PM

 Marilyn Bower

“ *Marilyn Bower purchased the Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers for the family of Nancy M. Michell.*



Marilyn Bower - March 20, 2017 at 04:16 PM

 Marilyn Bower

“ *We spoke on the phone every month or so about cooking, knitting, sewing and painting projects. She told me how Susan makes the best pies! Once Jack answered and thought I was a telemarketer-when I called back she said, "I told Jack that was Marilyn". We both got quite the laugh over that. I will miss that laugh. Thoughts and prayers to Jack, Gregg, David, Susan and Scott during the days ahead.*

Marilyn Bower - March 20, 2017 at 03:01 PM

SF

Thank you for sharing this, Marilyn. My mom taught me how to make those pies!
Susan

Susan Ford - March 23, 2017 at 07:18 AM

LJ

“ *From making the girls matching clothes to our trips to Vegas and Phoenix. You were always there for us and you will remain in our hearts. Thank you for all my memories till we meet again.*



Lorie Jablonski - March 20, 2017 at 05:09 AM

MP

“ *My deepest sympathy, Barb, to you and your family! R.I.P. Nancy Michell God bless you!*

Mary D. Pikul - March 19, 2017 at 10:15 PM

TC

“ *We used to have so much fun going out to eat when Jack and Nancy would come here to Arizona for the winter. We would go to different restaurant's every week. She will be missed.*

Tom Croft - March 19, 2017 at 05:36 PM



Thank you for sharing this, Tom. Yes, she will be missed.
Sue

Susan Ford - March 23, 2017 at 07:23 AM