



Nancy S. Papp

January 13, 1960 - March 18, 2024

Nancy Sullivan Papp, 64, of Finneytown, Ohio, passed away March 18, 2024.

Born Jan. 13, 1960, in Hamilton, Ohio, Nancy spent most of her life surrounded by family in the state she loved.

Born to Barbara and Ronald Sullivan, Nancy and her two brothers, Dan and Steve, spent their early years in Milford, Ohio, before moving to Hamilton when she was around ten years old in 1970. After Ronald passed away, Barbara remarried to Richard Tilney, bringing three new stepsisters, Jan, Joanne, and Martha, and two new stepbrothers, Thom and Tim, into her life. All of whom she loved and remained close with throughout her life.

A bookworm and quick study, Nancy went to Taft High School where she was a gifted flute player in the band. Later, she earned a bachelor's degree in psychology from Miami (Ohio) University and even spent a season on the women's rugby team. After a brief stint in San Luis Obispo, California, she returned to Ohio, settling in Finneytown where she raised her two children, Monica and Cameron.

As a stay at home mom, Nancy created countless memories with Monica and Cameron at the Cincinnati Zoo, Kings Island, the pool, family get-togethers, and always supported their endless extracurricular activities. Later in life, she

re-joined the workforce, eventually working at Beacon Orthopedics for over 20 years.

Nancy had a green thumb and loved animals, especially her dog, Masi, who, as fate would have it, passed away around the same time. She was a lifelong, tortured Cincinnati Bengals fan, attending games with her children and grandchildren and supporting the team through its worst (more often) and best (less often) years.

But at the heart of Nancy's life was her family. She was a warm and loving 'Nene' to her six beautiful grandchildren — Alesi, Ana, Natha, Amelina, Avanai, and Oliver — hosting sleepovers and taking them to events around town.

You could also always find her radiating with love and joy at larger family events, with a glass of her crappy red wine in hand. During special celebrations, you would find her serving her infamous bottle of Creme de Menthe — but only the green kind! — and forcing everyone to play cards. But that was Nancy — it would take a few nudges to get her out and about, but once she was there, she made you have fun. And everyone was always welcome. If you were married into the family or just friends of the family, you were family — including her not-officially adopted son, Lamar.

Nancy's life was defined by her love for her family, her joy in the simple pleasures, and her unwavering support for those she cared about. She will be deeply missed by all who were lucky enough to be a part of her life.

A celebration of life for Nancy will be held on Saturday, May 18, 2024 at 1:00 p.m. at Winton Woods Park, Butterfly Bluff Shelter.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in memory of Nancy to the SPCA of

Cincinnati. Online condolences are available at www.weigelfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

RO

“ *Saddened to hear of Nancy's passing through mutual friends. She was a good friend in college. Always fun, always k*

Rich O - March 26, 2024 at 03:12 PM

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“ *<https://photos.app.goo.gl/7kZhgLSTDx9N4fzVA>*

Vicky - March 26, 2024 at 07:22 AM

VH

“ *I can not believe this news...just had FB messages with her recently....she was such a good person to me in college - I have so many heartfelt stories to tell of her giving nature, partying self and fine friendship. I will be in Ohio next month and would very much like to hear about any service in the future....Vicky Griffin-Hina, College Roommate, Friend, Bridesmaid.....My heart is so heavy for all the family.....xoxoxoxoxox*

Vicky Hina - March 25, 2024 at 06:32 PM

TG

“ *My condolences to the Papp and Sullivan family. I use to work with Nancy and she was a great person to work with. 🙏🙏
Tina G.*

Tina G - March 25, 2024 at 10:39 AM

PS

“ *Dear Dan and Martha, my thoughts and sympathy to you and yours in your loss of Nancy. Hang tough. Pat S.*

Pat Sulken - March 24, 2024 at 01:49 PM

DK

“ *Condolences and prayers to the Papp and Sullivan family.
Dave & Jane Kindness*

David Kindness - March 24, 2024 at 09:18 AM

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“ *Nancy, a wonderful friend, grateful to have been blessed with her
friendship.*

*So many fond memories of Nancy come to mind, like all the Bengal
tailgates, and our many Hocking Hill trips that would have us sitting
on the edge of the pool sharing life stories and sipping on her
famous vodka slushies.*

We were blessed to have Nancy as our son's Godmother.

We will miss her dearly and she will live on in our hearts.

*Our thoughts and prayers are with the family as you celebrate her
beautiful life.*

Helcia and Roedy

HELEN P ROEDERSHEIMER - March 22, 2024 at 12:08 PM

CS

“ *Nancy treated me well as a child. I was 7 years younger than her.
My aunts and Nancy would play in the neighborhood, back when
playing until the lights came on was a thing. She was the main
reason I took up playing flute. She played songs around the
campfire when she went camping with our family. She made an
impact on lives.*

Cindy Smith - March 22, 2024 at 11:28 AM