



## Patricia Mary McAuley

September 2, 1956 - April 14, 2024

Colonie-Patricia Mary McAuley (Connolly) passed away peacefully at home surrounded by family on April 14, 2024 at the age of 67.

Pat was born in Saratoga Springs, NY to Donald and Betty Connolly and later moved to Colonie, NY to raise her family. She was a dedicated and loving wife to her husband David, and a devoted mother to her children Kelly and Richard and grandmother to Aiden.

She loved growing up in Saratoga Springs where she attended St. Peter's High School. Pat furthered her education at Albany Business College. Upon graduation, she worked at the College of St. Rose and later as a paralegal at several local law firms before retiring in 2014.

Pat lived a too short but fulfilling life. She had a passion for baking, and her homemade chocolate chip cookies were always the highlight of gatherings of which she loved to entertain. She had a sweet tooth and ended most evenings with ice cream. She loved spending time in Ogunquit, ME with her husband and children. She was a eucharist minister at Blessed Sacrament Church. She was an avid reader and loved spending time with her friends and family.

Pat's love and compassion extended to all those who knew her, and she will be remembered for her kindness and warm personality. She always had a

smile to share.

She is survived by her husband of more than 43 years, David, daughter Kelly (Shaun Scott), son Richard and grandson Aiden Scott. Her siblings Colleen Newman (Walter Keithly), Sean Connolly (Therese), William Connolly (Christina) and Mary Connolly. Her “second kids” Meg, Jack and Emily Rento. Many cousins, nieces and nephews. All will miss her dearly.

The family would like to thank the dedicated aides for their compassion, humor and care.

Relatives and friends are invited to visit with Pat’s family Thursday, April 18, 2024 at McVeigh Funeral Home at 208 N Allen Street, Albany, NY 12206 from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm. Please enter funeral home from the rear parking lot entrance only.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the Alzheimer’s Association in her memory.

To view other helpful services please visit [www.mcveighfuneralhome.com](http://www.mcveighfuneralhome.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **18**. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.  
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Albany, NY 12206  
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# Tribute Wall

AA

“ I don't know why, but Pat flashed in my memories today and I found this. I am devastated for her family. I worked with Pat at CSR. We had a crazy boss named Dan, but we loved working with the nutty Sisters. Pat and David were always so friendly and generous to me. I send hugs and condolences to the family. ❤️❤️❤️



Arla Altman - May 14, 2024 at 10:45 AM

RC

“ My thoughts and prayers to family and friends. May she now rest in peace Rick C.

richard capullo - April 18, 2024 at 06:16 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Patricia Mary McAuley.



April 18, 2024 at 10:22 AM

WH

“ With love, Patty & Heidi planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia Mary McAuley.

With love, Patty & Heidi - April 18, 2024 at 10:22 AM

LA

“ Love, Danielle, Jen, Missy, Emily & Amy purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Patricia Mary McAuley.



Love, Danielle, Jen, Missy, Emily & Amy - April 16, 2024 at 02:44 PM

MG

“ Colleen, I am so sorry for the loss of your sister. Saying prayers for your family!

Marion Godzik - April 16, 2024 at 11:43 AM

RM

“ Rob McIntosh purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Patricia Mary McAuley.



Rob McIntosh - April 16, 2024 at 10:49 AM

AJ

“ Ann, Dan, Meg, Emily, & Jack purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Patricia Mary McAuley.



Ann, Dan, Meg, Emily, & Jack - April 16, 2024 at 09:05 AM