



Arline Breitung

December 8, 1936 - March 1, 2020

Arline Ruth Breitung of Saugerties, NY passed away peacefully at home on March 1, 2020. She was born on December 8, 1936 in Mineral Springs, NY to Marguerite Barner Standhart and Leslie Standhart. She graduated from Cobleskill High School and received her nursing degree from Albany Medical College of Union University. She moved to Ulster County in 1960 and worked primarily for the Albany Avenue Sanitarium in Kingston and the Ulster County Health Department. After retiring in 2001, she worked full time taking care of her family and friends. She volunteered extensively for the community, most notably as a land steward on Overlook Mountain, an usher for UPAC, and for the Eleanor Roosevelt National Historic Site (“Val-kill”).

She is survived by her four children: Patricia of Saugerties; Leigh Ihrle (Joel) of Trinidad, CO; Cherie Montesano (Ron) of Austin, TX; and Ernest “Sam” of Saugerties. Also: her nine grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; brother John Standhart (Chari) of Gilboa, NY; sister-in-law Beverly Standhart of Middleburg; beloved cousin Ethel Robinson of Schoharie; her canine children Lucy and Bmo; and many other cousins, nieces and nephews. She is also survived by countless friends who are missing her company and the huge inspiration of her tiny being. Besides her parents, she is predeceased by: ex-husband Ernest Breitung; son-in-law Michael Panke Sr.; and siblings Janette Van Schaik and Paul Standhart.

A memorial service will be held on TBA (**see below). Donations in Arline’s memory towards preserving the Overlook Mountain Firetower may be made

by check or online.

***Due to the current COVID-19 precautions, Arline's Memorial Service is being postponed. When information is available it will be posted to this site. Thank you for you understanding.

To DONATE to the Overlook Fire Tower Click the link below or paste it into your browser

<http://catskillcenter.org/arline>

Tribute Wall



“ *Arline Breitung*

October 20, 2022 at 08:34 PM



“ *One of the pictures from my wedding in October. She had a very sweet smile.*



Jo Panke - March 29, 2020 at 10:24 PM



What a beautiful day and occasion. Grandma had such a nice time at your wedding.

Cherie Montesano - March 31, 2020 at 04:48 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Diane Sirois - March 28, 2020 at 04:45 PM



Baby Lucy ❤️

Jo Panke - March 28, 2020 at 09:08 PM



She was so little. Grandma adored her.

Cherie Montesano - March 31, 2020 at 04:49 PM

CM

“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



Cherie Montesano - March 28, 2020 at 09:40 AM

CM

Miss that smile mom. I love you, Cherie

Cherie Montesano - March 28, 2020 at 09:39 AM

JF

“ *So many good memories of our years together long ago in nursing school - and of our 2019 annual class reunion! We will miss you very much this year (and your daughter Cherie who came with you last year). My thoughts are with you all.*

Janet Fabricius - March 13, 2020 at 04:47 PM

DD

“ *So sorry for the loss of a beautiful lady. My condolences to Cherie and family, you are in my thoughts and prayers. Hugs to you.*

Darlynn Dunn - March 10, 2020 at 09:04 AM

BS

“ I didn't know Arline well until my husband Paul, her brother, became ill in February, 2014 until July, 2018 when he passed away. She traveled to Middleburgh every Sunday bringing a casserole, helping me with Paul and was company for the day. After Paul died she continued to come to Schoharie County, arranging lunch dates with me and her cousin Ethel. She was a kind and thoughtful person. I will miss her.

Beverly Standhart

Beverly Standhart - March 09, 2020 at 04:34 PM

PH

“ Arline can was so thoughtful to my mom and dad in their times of need. She would sit and talk to my ailing dad and provide comfort and company to my mom. Mom looked forward to her visits and going to Ethel's. I'll always remember your many handwritten cards and notes.

*My sincerest condolences to all of my cousins on her passing.
Pam Standhart Harrison*

Pam Standhart Harrison - March 08, 2020 at 09:57 PM

CG

“ 1 file added to the album Arline in the community. Sharing her special light!



Celeste Graves - March 08, 2020 at 10:15 AM



Annie Hoffstatter, Diane McDowell, Roberta Gavner, Arline, Celeste Graves, Josephine Reida, Linda Adorno, Anthony Hood, Cece Sciortino, ?, Anne Bodenschatz, ?. Photo by Yolanda Lopez. My apologies for names left out. Celeste.

Celeste Graves - March 08, 2020 at 03:21 PM

CM

“ Mom,
I miss our conversations already. I will always cherish those rides up to Aunt Ethel's with Lucy and playing scrabble during our visits. There's just so much I will miss. I admire you, mom. You are strong and loved by so many. You are forever in my heart of prayers. Your presence here will be missed and felt by all of us. I'm sure I'll see you someday. I love you mom, Cherie

Cherie Montesano - March 06, 2020 at 03:41 PM