



Mrs. Elizabeth "Betty" Cote

August 7, 1952 - January 13, 2023

Mrs. Elizabeth "Betty" Cote, 70, of Pittsfield, passed away due to complications of Lewy Body Dementia on Friday, January 13, 2023, with her loving family by her side. Born on August 7, 1952, the daughter of the late Pete and Anna Christos Lamboussey, she graduated from West Springfield High School with the class of 1970.

Elizabeth was employed by Smith and Wesson in Springfield, MA, where she worked as a gun tracer. It was there she dedicated 30 years of service until her retirement in 2014.

Among many things, she enjoyed gardening and riding on the bike trail with her husband, Donald, and their dog Pedro tagging along in the bike basket. Betty also enjoyed traveling. Among the places she had visited were Greece (with her sister, to meet their paternal grandmother), the Caribbean on multiple cruises, and to France and Belgium to see dear friends.

Elizabeth was predeceased by her beloved husband of 30 years, Donald Cote. Donald passed away on July 4, 2015.

She is survived by her sister, Kathleen E. Sayers (Dan), as well as her nephew, Peter Sayers (Tiffany).

Betty's family would like to extend their sincere gratitude to Renee, Paula, Cheyenne, Veronica, and Heather from Whole Heart Home Care, as well as Jill and Tracey from HospiceCare in the Berkshires. Their love and care exceeded all expectation and is deeply appreciated.

Funeral Notice:

A graveside service for Mrs. Elizabeth "Betty" Cote will be Wednesday, January 25, at 11am at Oak Grove Cemetery in Springfield, MA. A celebration of her life will be held at a later date, notice of which will be published. In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory can be made to the Schriners Hospital for Children in Springfield, MA or the Eleanor Sonsini Animal Shelter, in care of the Dwyer Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Oak Grove Cemetery

Springfield , MA

Previous Events

Gravside Service

JAN **25**. 11:00 AM.

Oak Grove Cemetery
Springfield , MA

Tribute Wall

EP

“ A Group of 10 Memorial Trees will be planted in a forest to honor the memory of Elizabeth "Betty" Cote & to express living gratitude for the generous spirit and comforting support of her end-of-life Caregivers.

Respectfully,
Edith V. Pye (Edy Pye)

Edith (Edy) Pye - January 27, 2023 at 10:23 AM

BW

“ Kathy, Dan and Peter
Leroy and I are sending our sympathy and condolences to your family. Betty was a great person and she will always be remembered for her cheerfulness and loving personality. RIP Betty

Beatrice Williams - January 25, 2023 at 10:09 AM

GS

“ Dear Kathy, Dan, Peter and Tiffany,

I truly believe Betty is in a better place and she will be with Donnie and Pedro and many of her other babies. Betty had touched my heart in so many ways and I will miss her dearly. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Love you Gretchen

Gretchen Stranch-Cote - January 23, 2023 at 09:32 AM

SM

“ I’m so sorry to hear about Betty, she was an amazing person who always took everybody in and I like to make everyone happy and smile. She will truly be a missed and I am extremely sorry for your loss.

Sabrina McAlister

Sabrina McAlister - January 21, 2023 at 07:18 AM

VT

“ Dear Dan, Kathy, Peter and Tiffany, We are thinking of you all at this time. Betty is finally at rest with Donnie, her parents and Pedro. We are here for you anytime. God Bless. Love Val and Linda

Valerie Tracy - January 20, 2023 at 11:35 AM