



Mary Lou McArver

May 19, 1946 - December 11, 2024

ERROL – Mary Lou McArver, 78, of Gastonia, North Carolina, passed away on Wednesday, Dec. 10, 2024, following a recent, rapid decline in health. She died peacefully at home with her sister and family in New Hampshire.

Mary Lou was born on May 19, 1946, in Gastonia, the daughter of Esther (Mason) and Yonts McArver. She was educated in Gastonia and graduated from Ashley High School in 1964. She graduated from Wingate College and attended the University of South Carolina.

Her entire career was spent as a Flight Attendant with Delta Airlines. She loved the travel and adventures and especially enjoyed sports and military charters and international travel

After her retirement from Delta she enjoyed life on the coast of Maine with her sister and family, including the family dogs, and her friends in Ocean Park. She was an avid sports fan and reader, an accomplished crossword puzzler, and enjoyed gourmet cooking classes.

Mary Lou was predeceased by her parents, Esther Mason McArver and Yonts McArver of Gastonia. She is survived by her sister Emily Elliott and brother-in-law Harris of Errol, N.H., many Mason and McArver cousins, Delta friends and colleagues, and many lifelong friends.

There will be no services or calling hours at this time. Please remember and celebrate Mary Lou's life in your own special way and through a joyful life with Peace. Anyone wishing to do so may make a donation to North Country Home Health & Hospice, 536 Cottage St., Littleton, NH 03561, or to a charity of your choice.

Condolences may be offered on-line by going to www.jenkinsnewman.com.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home in Colebrook.

Tribute Wall

MM

“ I am so sorry to learn of Mary Lou's passing. I remember her fondly....all the way back to 1969! I know good memories will be a comfort!

Mo McCarthy - December 19, 2024 at 05:28 PM

KB

“ I send my deepest condolences to Emily, Harris and Mary Lou's Mason and McArver cousins. I can't express how much I thought of Mary Lou! She embodied kindness, peace and a caring spirit. She was a joy to work with...always professional! I will always remember her smile, laughter and loving demeanor. I am remembering you all in prayer. Kathy Bates

Kathy Bates - December 18, 2024 at 04:49 PM

MS

“ Mary Lou was always fun to fly with and a great hard worker. With Mary Lou we knew we would always finish those fast meal services! She is indeed soaring with the angels now and saving the rest of us a cloud. Marta Stewart

Marta Stewart - December 17, 2024 at 05:57 PM

AM

“ Mary Lou! Always will remember flying with you, having a great time, and your imitation of Strom Thurmond, always brought a laugh. Soar with the Angels, you were a pleasure to call friend. Anne MacPherson, and Elaine Hill.

Anne MacPherson - December 16, 2024 at 12:23 PM

BG

“ *Sweet, Sweet ML, RIP!* ”

Barbara Gregory - December 15, 2024 at 10:16 PM