



Margaret Mary Mayr

January 16, 2020

Margaret Mary Lynch Mayr, 70, of Bloomfield, CT, wife of Edward G. Mayr, died peacefully Thursday, January 16, 2020 at St. Francis Hospital in Hartford. Born on April 13, 1949 the daughter of Matthew and Grace Duffy Lynch, Margaret and four siblings grew up on Eldert Lane in Brooklyn, NY. After losing her father when she was nine, Margaret helped her mother by assuming responsibilities beyond her years in helping care for her siblings. In 1966, she graduated from Christ the King High School, where she first met Edward, and went on to graduate from Marymount Manhattan College. Margaret began her career with Bank of New York and later worked for the United States Army as a budget analyst for many years before moving on to the Defense Contract Management Agency, retiring in 2016. Margaret and Edward first met in high school, following his service in the United States Marine Corps in Vietnam, they were married in 1976. In 1978 they moved to Bayside, Queens to raise their family. While in Queens, Margaret was a parishioner of St. Robert Bellarmine Church. She was a frequent blood and platelet donor with the American Red Cross for decades. In retirement, Margaret and Edward moved to Bloomfield, CT and were members of the Church of Saint Timothy. Margaret's greatest joy was her family. In addition to Edward, she is survived by her two children and their families, Jameson Mayr, his wife Monika Krawczyk, and his children, Connor and Madison Mayr, and LCDR Karen Grace Zeman, USN, her husband LCDR Joseph Zeman, USN, and their children Elizabeth and Catherine Zeman. Margaret was predeceased by her sister Jo Ellen Lynch. Margaret is also survived by her siblings and their spouses, Mary and Gene Westmoreland, Lawrence and Kathe Lynch, and Eileen and Dr. Justin Lamont; her sister-in-law, Kate Parkin; along with many nieces and nephews.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 12 Noon on Wednesday, January, 22, 2020 at the Church of Saint Timothy, 1116 North Main Street, West Hartford. Calling hours will be Tuesday, January 21, 2020 from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. at Taylor & Modeen Funeral Home, 136 South Main Street, West Hartford. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Red Cross at www.redcross.org or Smile Train at www.smiletrain.org . For directions and online condolences, please visit

Events

JAN **Calling Hours** 06:00PM - 08:00PM

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Taylor & Modeen Funeral Home

136 S. Main Street, West Hartford, CT, US, 06107

JAN **Mass of Christian Burial** 12:00PM

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Church of Saint Timothy

1118 North Main Street, West Hartford, CT, US, 06117

Comments



“ I had the great pleasure of knowing Margaret through the Army Reserve and DCMA. She was such a wonderful light in this world, that taught me so much. She will be greatly missed!

Ryan L.

Ryan L. - January 26 at 12:54 PM



“ Margaret was a delightful person, when the opportunity was there we always have a conversation about anything and joke about it.

Steve Bindman



Steve Bindman - January 24 at 02:40 PM



“ Very sorry for your loss. Margaret was a wonderful person, cheerful and light-hearted. She always made me smile. Deepest condolences.

~Samantha Oh



Samantha - January 24 at 08:46 AM



“ Marta A lit a candle in memory of Margaret Mary Mayr



Marta A - January 23 at 03:30 PM



“ she was a good woman and I enjoyed fixing your lamp for you rest in peace Margaret vinny imbesi

vincent imbesi - January 23 at 03:15 PM



“ She was a wonderful lady and such a pleasure to work with. She was taken too soon and is a loss to all who knew her. Jim Mallilo

James Mallilo - January 23 at 02:34 PM



“ Many fond memories of Margaret while working with her in the dcscmpt dept of the 77th ARCOM. RIP sweet lady. Vikki Scuola

Vikki Scuola - January 21 at 08:41 PM



“ Michael Kowar lit a candle in memory of Margaret Mary Mayr



Michael Kowar - January 21 at 02:49 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear the news of the passing of Margaret. My condolences to the family. I worked with Margaret for many years at the 77th Regional Readiness Command, Fort Totten. As the Budget Analyst for the Deputy Chief of Staff Logistics, Margaret ensured the millions in expenditures for supplies and equipment for the Soldiers of our Command were morally, ethically and legally procured. She always provided me with advise and guidance with the focus always on taking care of Soldiers. On behalf of the thousands of Soldiers and hundreds of government employees in the 77th, Thank you for your dedicated and selfless service. You will be missed.

PS. We always had great Birthday and Christmas parties.

Robert Neglia

Robert Neglia, CWO5, USA Retired - January 21 at 11:34 AM



“ With deepest sympathy, prayers are with you and family. Very sorry to hear of your loss.



Jerzy & Grace Krawczyk - January 20 at 10:34 PM



“ So sorry to say good bye to a dear friend, a kind person with a smile and a positive attitude to everyone around. She was always cheerful and looked at the world with a sense of humor. It was always a pleasure to talk to her and to exchange ideas about life, children and politics. Our children were and still close friends due to the way she raised them. Margaret was a good friend and she will be missed!

Ahuva Maytal - January 20 at 04:31 PM



“ What a bright and beautiful spirit gone too soon. My college years would not have been the same without my sidekick, Margaret Mary. Some of my favorite memories- liverwurst and potato salad sandwiches, an encounter with beer when I turned 18, beautiful devotional cards at Christmas, having her as a bridesmaid at my wedding, praying and hoping that Eddie would return home safely from Vietnam, dancing on 72nd street during an Earth Day celebration, wearing wool bathing suits in the MMC

pool, "Sing" at MMC, coffee with extra cream and sugar and a buttered roll, working the switchboard, Rockaway with rum and cokes, but mostly her smile, courage, persistence and compassion. What a blessing to have known her. May your family find comfort in the magical memories you made together!

Patricia Hewson Davis - January 20 at 03:37 PM



“ So sorry for your loss. The family is in my prayers.



Kevin Andrews - January 20 at 01:15 PM



“ Ed and Karen,
We were so sorry to hear the news about Margaret. She was such a kind and thoughtful person. We will keep you in our thoughts as you go through this challenging time.
Lynne and Sara

Sara Masri - January 20 at 12:45 PM



“ Marcia Mackey lit a candle in memory of Margaret Mary Mayr



Marcia Mackey - January 20 at 12:17 PM



“ So sorry for your loss. The family is in my prayers.

Marcia Mackey - January 20 at 12:18 PM



“ Jameson, just received the bad news, and I am relaying my heart felt sorrow for the loss of your mom. My prayers are with you and you're family during this time of extreme grief and sadness. My deepest sympathy expressed to you at this time.



“ Ed,
Although I only had the pleasure of meeting Margaret a few times, I was always impressed with her warmth, sense of humor and positive attitude. A lovely person; taken from her family and friends much too soon. My sincere condolences to you and your family.
Sylvia Hoyles Duffy

Sylvia - January 20 at 10:15 AM



“ My dearest friend Margaret, I will truly miss our talks and your advice in all my endeavors. You were my guardian angel and was always there for everyone! I pray for your family to stay strong during this difficult time. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. I will truly miss you! Love you all.

Anita Dogramajian - January 20 at 07:14 AM



“ Grandma Mayr was a beautiful person inside and out. Being able to meet her and know her as been a pleasure. Being a stranger from another country, she treated me as one of her grandchildren, showered me with unconditional love.
Her memories will live on forever RIP grandma Mayr we will love and miss you



tamlynn naidoo - January 20 at 01:56 AM



“ I am so sorry to hear the news of the passing of Margaret. My prayers are with you during this time and I pray that God will provide you with the comfort in knowing she is with him now. May God peace be with each of you during this time and always. Margaret will truly been missed.

Bryant T. Moore and Family,

Bryant Moore - January 19 at 09:25 PM



“ So sorry to hear this about Margaret...Our deepest condolences to you Ed, and your family.
Ernie and Chris Aragona

Ernie and Chris Aragona - January 19 at 05:10 PM



“ So sorry for your loss. My condolences to you and your family at this difficult time. Please know my thoughts and prayers are with you.

Robert Foster - January 19 at 12:06 PM



“ Our hearts are broken to learn of the loss of such a warm, loving and caring friend. May her memory be a blessing to Eddie, Jamie, Karen and the grandchildren.
With love
Glenn & Kathy

Glenn Bank - January 19 at 11:14 AM