



Betty-Fay Orlow

January 24, 1947 - October 17, 2024

Lunenburg: Betty-Fay (Chartrand) Orlow, 77, passed away on October 17, at home surrounded by her loving family.

Betty-Fay was born in Fitchburg on January 24, 1947, a daughter of the late Joseph and Lucy (Thompson) Chartrand and was raised in Lunenburg.

For many years Betty worked for NEBS in Groton as a customer service representative until her retirement.

She will be fondly remembered for her green-thumb and ability to maintain beautiful houseplants and outdoor gardens. Having a passion for dance, Betty was an accomplished ballroom dancer, who happily shared this pastime with her husband. After retiring, Betty and Walt enjoyed extensive traveling throughout the United States, Europe, and the Caribbean. No matter where her travels took her, Betty was always happiest spending time with her family; she was a loving wife, mother, and grandmother, who will be greatly missed.

She is survived by her husband of 57 years, Walt Orlow of Lunenburg; three daughters, Kristina Caissie and her husband Daniel of Brooklyn, CT, Stephanie Orlow of Gardner, and Alicia Orlow and her partner Dwayne Flowers of Lunenburg; five grandchildren, Corey Caissie, Kaylin Caissie, Timothy Caissie, Maya Flowers, and Sophia Flowers; siblings, Elvin Chartrand

of Athol, Eliot Chartrand and wife Corinne of South Hadley, Elroy Chartrand and wife Connie of Norridgewock, ME, Elton Chartrand and wife Sue of Scott, Arkansas, Linda Bricker and husband Dan of Ocean Shores, Washington, and Judith Karkane of Lunenburg; many nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, Betty-Fay was predeceased by her son-in-law Robert Perry and her brother Erwin Chartrand.

Calling hours will be held in the Anderson Funeral Home, 250 Main St., Townsend on Tuesday, October 29, from 11:00am to 12:30pm. A service will begin at 12:30pm in the funeral home. Burial will be held privately at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, gifts may be made to Dana-Farber Cancer Institute in memory of Betty-Fay Orlow to support cancer research and patient care at: Dana-Farber Cancer Institute P.O. Box 849168 Boston, MA 02284 or via dana-farber.org/gift.

Previous Events

Calling Hours

OCT **29**. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

Anderson Funeral Home - Townsend
250 Main Street ~ Route 119
Townsend, MA 01469
(978) 597-2692

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

TR

“ Consider yourself {{{Judy.}}}

In the Warm Love of His Wonderful Son.



Tricia - October 31, 2024 at 05:04 PM

SO

“ Sending so much love to each and every one of you ❤️. "Aunt" Betty was a huge part of my childhood growing up, and has been a wonderful ear during my father's recovery very recently. I will never forget that

Sonja O'Brien - October 28, 2024 at 07:53 PM

TK

“ So deeply sorry for your loss.
Tracy Knight



Tracy Knight - October 28, 2024 at 02:25 PM

KR

“ I'm so sorry for the Orlow family sending my thoughts and prayers

Kimberly A. Ryder - October 28, 2024 at 09:11 AM

AH

“ Amy H. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betty-Fay Orlow.

Amy H. - October 28, 2024 at 12:34 AM

PO

“ To Walter, Judy and the Orlow family. We send Our deepest sympathy and sorrow for your loss. Betty was a wonderful person who we knew through dances with the Frohsinn club.

Paul and Amy O'Keefe



Paul f okeefe - October 25, 2024 at 10:06 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Betty-Fay Orlow.



October 25, 2024 at 03:30 PM

TC

“ To the Orlow family, my deepest condolences for your loss. I remember spending time with Betty-Fay and Walt at the many dance classes and social events they attended. Betty-Fay had a contagious smile and always had something witty and funny to say. Her kindness and ability to listen was one of the many virtues. She will be missed greatly by all that had to pleasure of knowing her.



Trish Camera - October 25, 2024 at 03:20 PM

CB

“ Betty a lovely lady will be missed at Frohsinn dances by us all.
Carol & Jim.

Carol Bethoney - October 22, 2024 at 06:29 PM

AG

“ To the Orlow family, my deepest sympathies for your loss! Betty was a beautiful soul and a heck of a dancer :) I'll always treasure the memories of taking a swing class with her, Walt and Maya some years back. She lit up on the dance floor and that's how I'll remember her.

With love, April Greenberg

April Greenberg - October 22, 2024 at 10:17 AM

JF

“ Jennifer Conley and Family purchased the Fiery Lily and Rose for the family of Betty-Fay Orlow.



Jennifer Conley and Family - October 22, 2024 at 09:42 AM

JF

“ Jennifer Conley and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betty-Fay Orlow.

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