



## Marcia W. (Fairbanks) MacMaster

March 29, 2017

Marcia was born the only child to the late Malcolm and Avis (Newcombe) Fairbanks on August 24, 1943 in Fitchburg, MA. She grew up and attended the schools in Fitchburg, graduating from Fitchburg High School in 1961. Marcia later earned an Associate Degree in Science & Healthcare from Becker College in 1963.

She started her career as a medical secretary at Burbank Hospital and later retired as a home health aide having worked for multiple companies.

Marcia was blessed with a loving family. She married the love of her life, Robert "Bob" MacMaster, on July 25, 1964. She helped raise three children with patience, discipline, and humor. During her 52 years of marriage to Bob, his career in the Air Force took them around the world to places such as Okinawa, Japan, Sembach, Germany, and various locations across the U.S. After retiring from the Air Force, they relocated to Townsend for 33 years.

Among her favorite places was the seacoast of Maine vacationing with family and friends. Marcia was a loving wife, a caring mother, a proud grandmother and devoted friend to many.

Marcia was dedicated to her faith in God as a long-time member of the Townsend United Methodist Church. She enjoyed decorating the church altar,

teaching Sunday School and Vacation Bible School, volunteering at church fairs and various church suppers, and praying for all those in need. Marcia stayed active in the community by working at the Townsend Senior Center as well as the voting polls on election days.

Marcia is survived by her husband, Robert; three sons. Thomas MacMaster his wife Lisa and their three children, Melissa, Trevor and Derek; Brian MacMaster and his two children, Jacob and Joseph; David MacMaster his wife Renee and their two children, Andrew and Riely.

# Tribute Wall

CM

“ As one of Marcia's college roomies, I still smile when I think of the four of us saying "Good Night Wall" every night from our bunk beds, something Marcia instituted. Many a night Marcia and I would close ourselves into a closet with a flashlight to study. I was privileged to be one of her wedding attendants, and I will miss our correspondence. To the family, I pray that your grieving period will be brief and happier times will replace the sadness. My prayers & love, Carol

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**Carol Ann Milewski** - April 09, 2017 at 06:20 PM

SS

“ Bob , our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family .Also , a lot of us have your six if you ever need anything

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**Steve & Kathy Spofford** - April 03, 2017 at 09:45 AM

DB

“ Bob , our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

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**David Bean and Lisa Bazzinotti** - April 03, 2017 at 08:26 AM

JB

“ Bob and family,

We are sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Marcia was always kind to our family and that is how we will remember her.

Jeff and Kelli Brown

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**Jeff and Kelli Brown** - April 03, 2017 at 08:05 AM

AB

“ Bob and family, very sorry for your loss, thoughts and prayers to you all, she will be missed

Andy & Marilyn Brown - April 02, 2017 at 10:35 AM

BR

“ To Bob and family, I am so sorry for your loss, she was a great person and was always there for me and Carol through our times, my prayers and love are extended to you and your family she will be missed by all.

Bill Roberts - April 01, 2017 at 10:42 PM

KB

“ Our sincere condolences in Marcia's passing. Our prayers are with you.

Kevin and Linda Brooke - April 01, 2017 at 09:39 AM

LM

“ The MacMaster Family,

We are sorry to hear about the passing of Marcia (Wife and Mother, etc.). Marcia was a wonderful person and will be greatly missed by all who knew her. She will always be with you. Our condolences and prayers to all family members. Rest in peace Marcia.

Lyle and Terry McSparren - March 31, 2017 at 11:21 AM

KM

“ Rest in peace my friend, you will be missed.

Krissy Miner - March 30, 2017 at 08:31 PM

SF

“ Bob and family,

*Sending heartfelt condolences for your loss. Marcia was a wonderful woman. It was such a joy when she brought her grandchildren to church because her love for them was so evident. You are all in our prayers.*

*The Fallons*

*Susan, Dan, Price, Delaney, and Cassidy*

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**Susan Fallon** - March 30, 2017 at 05:10 PM

D(

“ Sorry for your loss but it is Heaven's gain. Last time I saw Marcia, I think, was helping out at VBS. Fun times!  
Love, hugs & prayers

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**Debbie White (Coit)** - March 30, 2017 at 04:29 PM

KR

“ Sending thoughts and prayers to Dmac and his entire family. Your Mom sounded like an amazing women!  
-Regs

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**kristen Regan** - March 30, 2017 at 02:35 PM

BR

“ Thoughts and prayers for the MacMaster family. She was truly a wonderful lady. She will be missed

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**Becky Rice-Skaggs** - March 30, 2017 at 12:59 PM

TF

“ Our deepest sympathies to all of Marcia' s family. She was a beautiful lady who will be greatly missed.

*Ellen and Bob Smith*

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**The Smith family** - March 30, 2017 at 12:39 PM

RF

“ Dear Dave and family,

*Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. She will be missed greatly.*

*Jeff, Leslie, Kate & Jay*

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**Rice Family** - March 30, 2017 at 11:00 AM

EM

“ Bob and Family:

*Sending our deepest regrets and condolences at your time of sorrow.*

*Erv. and Janet*

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**Erving Marshall** - March 30, 2017 at 10:53 AM

ST

“ Deepest sympathy for the sparkle that has left your life. Marcia was loved by many.

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**Susan (Woolfrey) & Neil Teachout** - March 30, 2017 at 10:46 AM

MK

“ Tom, so sorry to hear of your Mom's passing. Thoughts and prayers for strength during this trying time for you and your family.

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**MaryAnn Kazmierczak** - March 30, 2017 at 10:37 AM

DF

“ Dear Bob and family.

We were so sad to hear about Marcia. You are in our thoughts at this difficult time.

Love,  
Dick and Linda

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**Dick and Linda Friend** - March 30, 2017 at 10:03 AM

JM

“ Bob, Tom, David, Brian and Family Members  
My heart is heavy but now Marcia can rest in peace.  
Much love to you all.

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**Jessie Marshall** - March 30, 2017 at 09:47 AM

CS

“ My thoughts are with you. Sorry for your loss

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**Casey Sweeney** - March 30, 2017 at 09:03 AM

CM

“ So sorry for your loss. our thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Chris McSparren** - March 30, 2017 at 07:08 AM

CS

“ *My thoughts are with you. Sorry for your loss*

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**Casey Sweenet** - March 29, 2017 at 11:40 PM

ED

“ *My condolences to you and your family. Need anything let me know. May God bless you and your family.*

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**Eric Darden** - March 29, 2017 at 09:10 PM

BR

“ *With heavy hearts we send our deepest sympathy to all of you. May she rest in peace with the lord, whom she adored. Peace & love to all.*

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**Bob, Nancy & Brent Reagan** - March 29, 2017 at 08:12 PM

CF

“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family in this time of of sorrow.*

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**Colleen and Steve Smith and family** - March 29, 2017 at 07:02 PM

Jl

“ *Tom and family,  
I am so sorry for your loss.*

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**Jill** - March 29, 2017 at 06:01 PM

DL

“ *Dear Dave, Renee and family, So sorry for you loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

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**Diane and Norm Lariviere** - March 29, 2017 at 05:57 PM

VK

“ Bob and Family...So sorry to hear of Marsha's passing. She did it her way, she is no longer suffering and know that she is in a better place. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Virginia Kowalski** - March 29, 2017 at 05:52 PM

MC

“ Dear Bob sorry to hear of the loss of wife Marcia and the boys Mother.. My thoughts and prayers to all.

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**Madalyn Chase** - March 29, 2017 at 05:43 PM

JB

“ Tom,  
So sorry to hear of the loss of your mom...I will keep you and your family in my thoughts

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**Jennifer Broberg** - March 29, 2017 at 05:31 PM

DC

“ So sorry to hear of your loss.

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**Dorie and Kevin Cormier** - March 29, 2017 at 05:22 PM

PW

“ Tom & Family,  
  
*Deeply sorry to hear of the loss of your Mom....wishing you and your entire family added strength & peace during this time of such sadness.*  
*We are all thinking of you here at the DCU Center and sending added prayers of comfort.*

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**Paige Williamson** - March 29, 2017 at 03:46 PM

DS

“ Bob & family,  
I am very sorry to hear of your loved ones passing. My thoughts are with during this time of grief.

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**Denise Stepleton** - March 29, 2017 at 02:37 PM

J(

“ Dear Bob and Family,  
Sending my condolences for the loss of your Wife and Mother to your children. I'm sure the memories of her will remain with all of you during this difficult time and forever. My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family. May she Rest-In-Peace. God Bless You All.

*Janet Mita (Harsh)*

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**JANET MITA (HARSH)** - March 29, 2017 at 12:22 PM

CF

“ Brian and Family We were saddened to hear of your Mom's passing. You are all in our thoughts and Prayers.

*Fondly Frank and Cecile*

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**Cecile Brown Franco** - March 29, 2017 at 12:15 PM

MB

“ For Brian and family...so sorry to hear about Marcia's passing. I have so many memories of her. I will always remember family dinners ending with a dessert, her always crafting, anything to do with the church and her kind nature and whitty humor. May she rest in peace.

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**Mandi Sue (Brown) Bleau** - March 29, 2017 at 11:58 AM