



Margaret Selma Smith

June 7, 1932 - April 17, 2025

Margaret Selma (Carlson) Smith, 92, formerly of Concord, MA, passed away peacefully on April 17, 2025 with family by her side.

Margaret was born in Malden, MA on June 7, 1932. She was the only child of the late Margaret (MacInnis) and Carl H. Carlson of Malden, MA.

She married the love of her life, Dexter Smith, on September 30, 1961. Together they raised a family and happily shared 49 years of marriage, until his passing in 2010. Margaret made Concord, MA her home for 47 years prior to moving to Shirley to reside with family.

Margaret is survived by her daughter Kelley (Smith) Jenkins of Shirley; granddaughter Megan (Jenkins) and her husband Matthew Dempsey of Shirley; son-in-law Matthew Jenkins of Gardner; a brother-in-law Edwin Smith of NJ; nephews, Lawrence Smith of NJ and Brian Wright and his partner Amy Feiner of CA.

In her younger years Margaret loved to travel. Often found with a book in hand, she was an avid reader in her spare time. She was also very talented and created beautiful counted cross stitch pieces. The most important aspect of Margaret's life was her family. She enjoyed the time spent together, and always wanted what was best for them. A life well lived; she will be greatly

missed.

Calling hours will be held in the Anderson Funeral Home, 25 Fitchburg Rd., Ayer, MA on Saturday, May 10, from 1:00pm – 2:30pm. A memorial service will begin at 2:30pm.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a memorial contribution to Boston Forgotten Felines at <https://www.bostonsforgottenfelines.org/donate/> or Fitchburg Friends of Felines at https://www.paypal.com/donate?hosted_button_id=8KVXDG6JF8ZPA

Previous Events

Calling Hours

MAY 10. 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

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25 Fitchburg Road ~ Route 2A
Ayer, MA 01432
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Memorial Service

MAY 10. 2:30 PM (ET)

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