



## Marian Stronach-Cardillo

September 7, 1941 - November 8, 2022

SHIRLEY : Marian Stronach-Cardillo died on Tuesday, November 8, 2022 at the age of 81. Her health started to decline over the past 14 months and had been dealing with dementia. Marian died peacefully in the comfort and quiet setting of her home surrounded by her loving husband, John Cardillo, Sr.

She was born September 7, 1941, in St. John New Brunswick, Canada.

Marian leaves behind her husband, John Cardillo, Sr.; her son, Andrew Dorcas and daughter Peyton and son Aaron Dorcas. Her stepdaughter, Tammy (Cardillo) Smyrl and stepson, John Cardillo, Jr. Her sister Muriel (Stronach) Urquart Selick and brother-in law Issac Selick. Niece, Kelli-Lynn Urquart and son Silas, daughter Freya. Nephew, Ross Urquart and daughter Hazel. And her cat, Pearl she loved so much. Brother, Donald Stronach and wife Melissa, sister, Deborah (Stronach) Walsh and daughter Tanya, son Michael and Shane. Sister, Patricia (Stronach) Carleton and daughter Kayla, sister-in law Frances (Knapp) Stronach & Family.

She is predeceased in death by her parents, Martha Aurelia Cavanta Stronach and Neil Dow Stronach, Sr.; her sister, Jean Aurelia Stronach and her two brothers, Neil Dow Stronach Jr. and Donald Reagh Stronach.

Marian earned her Bachelors and Masters Degree from College of Vermont.

She spent 20 years at Digital Equipment Corporation and ten years as the Office Manager for the Town of Shirley. She also worked part-time as a grant writer out of Boston for six years.

Marian enjoyed her time with close friends and time at the beach where she found it very peaceful to be by the ocean. She loved her yellow roses and white peonies. Also, she loved to knit while relaxing in her recliner. Whether it was reading a book or watching movies with John, she always wanted to have quiet time with her husband.

John and Marian were truly soulmates that loved each other so much. They were simply always together. She will be missed by many and may she now rest in peace.

Her services will be held privately.

Arrangements are under the care of Anderson Funeral Home, 25 Fitchburg Road, Ayer, MA. For additional information and for online condolences, please visit. [www.andersonfuneral.com](http://www.andersonfuneral.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My wife for 39 years and will forever be my loved woman and never forgotten. Its been one year November 8 2022 09:57 and its like yesterday .*



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**John J Cardillo SR** - December 02, 2023 at 07:52 PM

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“ *John, I am so saddened to read of Marian's passing. I have fond memories of you both from the old days at the Piccolino. Sending hugs & prayers*

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**Denise Stepleton** - November 12, 2022 at 01:04 PM

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“ *Marian and John were a couple's couple. They were good friends and great people.  
Marian will forever missed by those of us who knew her.  
Steve W*

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**Steve Woodcome** - November 08, 2022 at 08:43 PM

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“ *A lovely lady.....*

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**Bob Sama** - November 08, 2022 at 05:21 PM