



## Marie A. (Amoroso) Davis

June 6, 1948 - June 29, 2023

Marie A. (Amoroso) Davis, 75, of Portland, ME, former longtime resident of Harvard, MA, passed away on June 29, 2023, in Maine Medical Center in Portland, ME.

Marie was born in Cambridge, MA, on June 6, 1948, daughter of the late Joseph "Babe" A. and Esther D. (D'Arrigo) Amoroso, graduating from St. Peter's High School in 1966.

She leaves her husband, Bunker L. Davis of Portland, ME; two sons, Oliver R. Davis (Kellie J. Irving) of Cumberland, ME, and Benjamin B. Davis (Amanda K. Schuman) of Oceanside, CA; a daughter, Esther M. Davis of Acton, MA; a brother, Joseph A. Amoroso, Jr. (Donna) of Cambridge, MA; two sisters, Janice T. Martin (John) of North Reading, MA, and Patricia L. Amoroso (James T. McAlpine) of Cambridge, MA; four grandchildren, Eli Irving-Davis, Dahlia Irving-Davis, Desmond Davis, and Maxwell Davis; nephew Jeffrey Martin (Nicole); nieces Andrea Gottschalk (Raymond) and Christina Casey (Reed); great nieces Taney and Sarah Martin; and great nephew Alexander Gottschalk.

Marie was the ultimate caretaker, and loved nothing more than helping support her family, friends, and neighbors. She was a devout parishioner of St. Theresa's Church in Harvard, MA, where she was a CCD teacher and

Eucharistic Minister. Her sense of service to her community extended to many organizations that she joined; she was an active member of The Harvard Woman's Club and was very proud of her time serving as President. While in The Harvard Woman's Club, she also chaired the Veteran's Committee and was passionate about providing support and assistance to all veterans.

Marie adored attending community events together with Bunker and her friends and enjoyed being anywhere her loved ones were gathering, especially holidays and birthdays. Her home gardens were extensive, and Marie relished the time spent taking care of her perennial beds, tending her flowers and plants in the same way she tended to her people—with love, light, and lots of conversation. Her smile, everlasting sense of hope, and zest for life leaves a legacy that will not soon be forgotten.

Her funeral Mass will be celebrated on Friday, July 7, at 11 a.m. at Holy Trinity Catholic Parish, 15 Still River Rd., Harvard, MA. Burial will follow at Bellevue Cemetery in Harvard, MA. A calling hour (10–11 a.m.) in the church will be held on Friday morning prior to the Mass.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to The Harvard Woman's Club, PO Box 438, Harvard, MA 01451 or the VA Bedford Healthcare System, 200 Springs Road, Bedford, MA 01730.

The Anderson Funeral Home, 25 Fitchburg Rd., Ayer, MA, is assisting the family with the funeral arrangements. [www.andersonfuneral.com](http://www.andersonfuneral.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Bellevue Cemetery

Still River Road  
Harvard, MA 01451

# Previous Events

## Calling Hour

JUL 7. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Holy Trinity Catholic Parish  
15 Still River Rd.  
Harvard, MA

## Funeral Mass

JUL 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

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15 Still River Rd.  
Harvard, MA

# Tribute Wall

KM

“ Karen M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Marie A. (Amoroso) Davis.

Karen M. - July 14, 2023 at 12:18 PM

DC

“ To my dear sweet cousin Marie You were so loved and will always be in my heart forever you are very special to me Love cousin Donna Cappadona

Donna Cappadona - July 07, 2023 at 02:43 PM

TM

“ She was a truly wonderful, kind woman, who will be sorely missed. I've known Marie and her family for at least 30 years. Prayers and condolences for the entire family.

Tim Mara and Family

Tim Mara - July 06, 2023 at 10:23 PM



RF

“ Ralph & Betty Frongello purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Marie A. (Amoroso) Davis.



Ralph & Betty Frongello - July 06, 2023 at 03:35 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Marie A. (Amoroso) Davis.



July 05, 2023 at 09:31 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Marie A. (Amoroso) Davis.

July 05, 2023 at 09:31 PM



“ Bunker and family, I was so sad to hear of Marie’s passing. My deepest condolences to you all. I will never forget Marie’s sweet and kind ways. She was an Angel here on earth and now she is an Angel in heaven. I will never forget Marie. Sending my love and hugs to you all. Praying you find peace and comfort during these difficult days. Love you all Peggy (Backlund) Libertoski 🙏

**Peggy Libertoski** - July 05, 2023 at 09:04 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Marie A. (Amoroso) Davis.

July 04, 2023 at 04:29 PM

BT

“ *bunker,I'm so sorry to hear about Marie! She was a lovley woman and always kind to me,and everyone else as well.I didn't know you moved to Maine,I hope you are doing well,it will be hard for you without Marie,she was special.*



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**barbara towne** - July 04, 2023 at 02:05 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Marie A. (Amoroso) Davis.*



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July 04, 2023 at 12:59 AM

GF

“ *The Fricchione family remembers Marie with great fondness. We are so sorry to hear of Marie's passing and send our heartfelt condolences to Esther, Bunker and the whole Davis family.*

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**Greg and Kathy Fricchione** - July 03, 2023 at 08:20 PM