



## Roselyn V. Morton

March 4, 1949 - January 20, 2023

TOWNSEND : Roselyn Virginia Morton, 73, a longtime resident of Townsend passed peacefully in her sleep on Friday, January 20, 2023 at her home.

Roselyn was born in Lowell, March 4, 1949, one of six children born to Walter F. Morton Jr. and Jean L. (Hosmer) Morton – Lamy. She was a 1967 graduate of Groton High School and continued her education at Mount Wachusett Community College in Gardner. During the Vietnam conflict, Roselyn proudly served her country in the United States Air Force.

For over 35 years, Roselyn worked as a customer service representative at New England Business Service and later Deluxe, in Groton, retiring in December 2020.

Rosie was a vibrant and beautiful person inside and out. Her memorable laugh was contagious. She always had a smile and a listening ear. When asked how she was, she would often respond, “Not too bad for an old broad”.

She loved to dance and sang beautifully. She loved the sunshine and enjoyed playing golf, the beach, and working in her garden. Rosie brought beautiful color to her yard every year. She had a gift for painting, and we cherish the pieces she lovingly gave us.

Rosie was like a mom to so many. We would all look forward to meeting at her home, Grand Central Station, for her wonderful dinners we lovingly referred to as Rosie din-din.

She will be missed so much by us all. We will carry her beautiful memory in our hearts forever.

Rosie leaves behind her daughter, Hillary LaMay of Templeton, MA; her son, Michael LaMay and his wife, Lulu of San Pedro, CA; four brothers, Tim Morton and his wife, Deborah and Daniel Morton and his wife, Beth of Townsend, MA, Jon Morton of Bridgton, ME, and Steven Morton and his wife, Sally of Groton, MA; four grandchildren, Marley Roy, Ella Rose Escabi, Gracie Rose LaMay, Charlie LaMay; as well as many nieces, nephews, cousins, and dear friends.

She was predeceased by her parents, her stepfather, Robert Lamy, and her brother, Joseph Morton.

Rosie's family will receive relatives and friends at a visitation from 2-4pm on Saturday, February 4, 2023 at the Anderson Funeral Home, 250 Main Street (Rte 119) in Townsend Center. The visitation will be followed by a time of reflection at 4pm. At the conclusion of the services, the family invites everyone to join them for a time of fellowship at the VFW Function Facility, 491 Main St., Townsend.

For additional information or to leave an online condolence, please visit their website at [www.andersonfuneral.com](http://www.andersonfuneral.com).

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

FEB 4. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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

## A Time of Remembrance

FEB 4. 4:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ So Sorry to hear about this. She always had a huge smile when ever she was around

CHRIS COTTER - February 06, 2023 at 02:36 AM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Roselyn V. Morton.



February 03, 2023 at 11:23 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Tribute Wall



Richard Grant - January 31, 2023 at 12:39 AM



“ Rose was selfless, full of joy, warm hearted and brought joy to others. My children and I will always be indebted to the love and the helping hand she extended us many years ago. We have never forgotten. Our condolences to her family.

*With heartfelt endearment, Jondavid, Erin, Shane and Richard*

Richard Grant - January 31, 2023 at 12:33 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Roselyn V. Morton.*



January 31, 2023 at 12:31 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Roselyn V. Morton.*



January 30, 2023 at 08:46 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Roselyn V. Morton.*



January 27, 2023 at 06:14 AM



“ *Tim and other families. I was so sorry to hear about Roselyn's death. She lived a full life and we can be grateful for that. I remember her playing basketball at Groton High. I can still see her going and formation and shooting the basket. Sandy Carkin St. Martin, Columbus, OH, GHS class of 1967*

**sandy st martin** - January 26, 2023 at 05:18 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Roselyn V. Morton.*



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January 26, 2023 at 03:10 PM



“ *I met Rose around 1981 when we both worked at the same real estate office in Palm Bay, Florida. We became friends. Eventually, we both moved away. We kept in touch and saw each other a few times throughout the years. Our last visit was about 1 year ago in Florida. Rose had a great personality and was fun to be around. Her smile definitely lit up a room. I am very sad to hear of her passing. I send lots of love and hugs to her family and friends.*

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**Charmaine Burdette** - January 25, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *Always looked forward, to sharing a drink, on our shared birthday. You were such a beautiful person. And will be greatly missed.*

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**Michael Frank** - January 24, 2023 at 08:09 PM



“ *Lisa W. purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Roselyn V. Morton.*



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**Lisa W.** - January 24, 2023 at 12:33 PM

LJ

“ Our deepest sympathies to Tim, Dan, and the entire family . Rose was a lovely , person, and dear classmate . She had the voice of an angel . RIP dear Rose 🌹💔  
Louise & Peter Jahn

louise and Peter Jahn - January 23, 2023 at 11:53 PM

DH

“ Auntie Rosie,  
Oh how I'm going to miss you. This doesn't seem real. I'm so thankful to have had all the many years I had with you in my life. From our trips to Connecticut together to see Aunt Dot & Uncle Toots, to stopping by the house for dinner with family. You were such a trip, & I am so honored to be named after you.  
- Your great niece, Danielle Rose 🌹

Danielle Hobin - January 23, 2023 at 06:50 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Roselyn V. Morton.



January 23, 2023 at 06:02 PM

DA

“ What an amazing woman! You always made me laugh, you always brighten the room with your presence. You are loved by so many to include me, Shawn and Jacob. My heart aches but I know you're in a Great place, looking down on us. Rest in Peace Rose 🌹

Dan - January 23, 2023 at 05:43 PM

JS

*Rest in Peace Rose 🌹*

*Prayers for all family and friends*

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**Jean Snell** - January 23, 2023 at 05:56 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roselyn V. Morton.*



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January 23, 2023 at 05:13 PM

BM

“ *Rosie my friend and sister-in-law. You were so loved by many. It hurts my heart that you are gone but I know you are in a better place now. We have so many great memories that I will treasure forever. I am blessed and thankful you were a part of my life. I love you. RIP my friend.*

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**Beth Morton** - January 23, 2023 at 05:11 PM

TA

“ *Auntie Rose you were so full of love!! Your smile brightened any room. I was so blessed to have such a wonderful relationship with you. You will be in my heart always. I miss you! Love your favorite niece, Tammy 🥰💕*

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**tammy** - January 23, 2023 at 04:47 PM

RH

“ To know Rose was to love Rose. At work you would hear her say "Just sitting here waiting for your call". Well she got the call and we know she is at peace. Heaven is going to enjoy that laugh!!!



Rhonda - January 23, 2023 at 03:00 PM

JB

“ Rose was an awesome, funny, positive, co-worker that any one could have. Will always remember her funny sayings and how she would brighten up a room. My condolences to her family and friends, she will be missed.

Jan B - January 23, 2023 at 12:50 PM

GK

“ RIP Rose. You were a wonderful person to work with.

Gina Kearns - January 23, 2023 at 11:31 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Roselyn V. Morton.



January 23, 2023 at 11:30 AM

SM

“ When Old Time Rock & Roll played we were the first ones on the dance floor I'll always have that memory

Sandy Martin - January 23, 2023 at 11:30 AM

AS

“ Our prayers are with Tim & Dan & her family. Memories flood our minds going back to high school in Groton. “Memories are a gift from God that death cannot destroy”. Isaiah 51:12. “I, I myself am He who comforts you.”

*Art & Ann Starr*

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**Ann Starr** - January 23, 2023 at 06:49 AM

FG

*I feel so sad that Rose has passed. I've known her since the 1st grade. We've kept in touch all these years. She was such a loving person. My deepest sympathies to Tim and Dan and the family.*

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**Florence Dupuis Green** - January 23, 2023 at 05:57 PM