



Kathleen Ricci

September 21, 1964 - May 10, 2026

Kathleen Ricci, 61, passed away peacefully on May 10, 2026. Born on September 21, 1964, Kathy was a warm, loving soul whose laughter, kindness, and deep love for animals touched everyone fortunate enough to know her.

Kathy was preceded in death by her parents, Fred Ricci and Marian Green-Ricci; her sister, Barbara Borek; and her beloved pets Duke, Sheila, Jada, Peanut, and Dash, who surely welcomed her home with wagging tails and open paws.

She is survived by her brother, Fred (Karen) Ricci; her niece and nephews, Jaime (Joseph) Burtulato and Michael (Alexis) Borek aunt of Chris and Josh and her cherished fur babies Scrappy, Gizmo, and Kara, who remained a constant source of comfort and companionship in her life.

Kathy found joy in life's simple comforts. She loved journaling her thoughts, relaxing with her favorite television shows, and most of all spending time surrounded by friends, family, and the animals she adored so deeply. Her home and heart were always open, especially to any creature in need of love and care.

Those who knew Kathy will remember her for her quick sense of humor, her constant jokes and laughter, and the warmth she brought into every room. She had a gentle spirit and a special ability to make people feel welcome, loved, and understood.

Her love for animals was unmatched, and caring for her pets brought her

endless happiness and purpose. They were never “just pets” to her. They were family, companions, and sources of unconditional love.

She will be deeply missed, lovingly remembered, and forever carried in the hearts of those who loved her

Tribute Wall



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