



Margaret Mary Kelly

September 13, 2021

Margaret 'Marge' (nee McDevitt), 92, of Fox Chase, passed away peacefully on September 13, 2021. She was the daughter of the late James and Regina (nee McPeak) McDevitt. She was the loving wife of the late James Kelly for 61 years.

Margaret was the proud mother of 11 children. She is survived by 8 of those children: Michael (Pati), Matthew (Eileen), John, James (Dawn), Patrick, Vincent (Julie), Eileen (Mark), and Susan (Joe); 17 grandchildren; 5 great grandchildren. She is also survived by her sister-in-law Dorothy Kelly. Margaret is predeceased by her sons: Robert, Brian, and Timothy.

Marge was the "Mom of Fox Chase" to all of her children's friends who swam in their backyard pool, played basketball in their backyard, lifted weights in their garage, and attended numerous house parties. She was also an avid supporter of the Fox Chase Soccer Club and Fox Chase Summer Basketball Leagues, of which all of her children participated in. In later years, she enjoyed planning weddings, welcoming grandchildren, and hosting holidays. Her humorous, energetic and caring personality will be deeply missed by her family and all who knew her.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Marge's memory may be made to:
Wesley Enhanced Living Foundation

7040 Oxford Ave.
Phila. PA. 19111

Masks are required at the viewing and Mass.
Interment is private.

Previous Events

Viewing

SEP 17. 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM (ET)

Foley Funeral Home
1132 Cottman Ave.
Philadelphia, PA 19111
(215) 342-7380

Funeral Mass

SEP 17. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Cecelia's Catholic Church
535 Rhawn St.
Philadelphia, PA 19111

Interment

OCT 21. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Lawnview Cemetery
500 Huntingdon Pike
Rockledge, PA 19046

Tribute Wall

CD

“ Carl & Debby lit a candle in memory of Margaret Mary Kelly



Carl & Debby - September 17, 2021 at 06:31 PM

MJ

“ I did not know Mrs. Kelly personally, but her children are a tribute to the person she was. She raised wonderful children who became inspirations to many of the neighborhood youth. RIP Mrs. Kelly ❤️🙏❤️



Mary Ellen Jones - September 17, 2021 at 06:00 PM

 Kathy Moore

“ Mrs. Kelly was our friendly next door neighbor for years. She was the heart ❤️ of the family.

Kathy Moore - September 16, 2021 at 09:54 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Margaret Mary Kelly.



September 16, 2021 at 02:49 PM

KK

“ *Kim Kelly lit a candle in memory of Margaret Mary Kelly*



Kim Kelly - September 16, 2021 at 01:31 PM

JM

“ *Mrs Kelly always had the loudest voice on the sidelines at our soccer games at the Fox Chase rec. I think we won games just from her enthusiasm on the sidelines.*

Joseph McNamee - September 16, 2021 at 06:12 AM

EG

She sure did Joe ! Lol. She was a real fan 😊

Eileen Kelly Gormley - August 03, 2024 at 10:47 AM



“ *so sorry for your loss*



Doreen Brown - September 15, 2021 at 11:15 PM

DL

“ *Mrs Kelly was like a mother 2 me! I spent a lot of time at the Kelly house! My sincerest sympathy goes out 2the Kelly family! She was a great lady!! Dinky Linus*

Dinky Linus - September 15, 2021 at 10:53 PM

DR

“ *The "Mom of Fox Chase" is a great way to describe Mrs. Kelly . So many great times in the Kelly basement. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly always welcomed us; always asked us how we were doing; and asked about our families too. Loved the way she would banter with Brian and Johnny; how she'd bust on Macky (and Wally Knox). I feel like I was part of the family along with Mike, Macky, Brian, Timmy, Johnny, Jimmy, Pat, and Vinny.*

Thanks Mrs. Kelly - love you and will always remember you.

Dave , Maryann , Maryann & Colleen Redlinger

Dave Redlinger - September 15, 2021 at 04:46 PM