

## BARBARA (ACERBO) WELSH



Age 75, of Pittsburgh, formerly of Port Chester, NY, and Norwalk, CT, passed away peacefully with her family by her side on Saturday, August 26, 2023. She has been battling with her health for the past few years. She is no longer suffering and is now resting in peace.

Beloved wife of Robert "Bob" Welsh; daughter of the late Theresa and Rocco Acerbo; loving mother of Cathy (Shawn) O'Malley and

Robert (Jamie) Welsh; adoring Nana to Hayley, Matthew, and Chase; sister of Cathy Acerbo of Port Chester, NY, Jack (Maria) Acerbo of Seminole, FL, and James (Jody) Acerbo of Monroe, CT. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. She had many close friends, cousins, and her Aunt Ei, who will miss her dearly.

Barbara was such a kind and loving soul. She warmed the hearts of all those who knew her. She was always there, never hesitating to help others in need. She was a family-oriented woman, who adored her three grandchildren, and always showed up for them, whether it involved school events or hockey games. She met her spouse of 54 years on a blind date, and since then they enjoyed life to the fullest with one another. She loved her dog, Bella, who she is now reunited with.

She grew up in Port Chester, NY, and Norwalk, CT. Barb graduated from Brien McMahon High School. She was the oldest of her siblings. She moved to Pittsburgh in 1975, but she kept her New York accent. She was a housewife and raised her children, along with her little brother, niece, and nephew in the summers. She loved making Dairy Queen runs with carloads of kids. She volunteered for Meals on Wheels as a driver and was a scout leader for her children.

Barb was known as "Speedy" for her fast typing skills. She won many awards. She worked alongside her husband with their business, and at NVR Settlement Services as an Executive Secretary. She will be dearly missed by all.

Friends will be received at the **JOHN F. SLATER FUNERAL HOME, INC.**, 412-881-4100, 4201 Brownsville Road, Brentwood 15227, Wednesday, August 30, 2023, from 3:00 - 8:00 PM. The Blessing Service will be held at 8:00 PM. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in Barbara's name to Give Kids the World, 210 S. Bass Road, Kissimmee, FL 34746, [www.gktw.org](http://www.gktw.org). Please send condolences to [www.johnfslater.com](http://www.johnfslater.com)

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