

# DOROTHY J. "JUDY" SALVATORE



Age 86, of McMurray, passed away with family by her side on Saturday, August 24, 2024.

She was born January 25, 1938, in Carnegie, a daughter of the late Charles Vaughn and Dorothy (Hiles) McIlvaine.

She obtained her bachelor's degree in education from California University of Pennsylvania and master's degrees in education from Duquesne University. She retired from

the Upper St. Clair School District after many dedicated years of teaching fifth and first grades at Johnson and Eisenhower Elementary Schools.

Judy loved to play the piano and shared her talent with her students at school and Sunday school students at Trinity United Methodist Church. Judy enjoyed all sports including golf, tennis and ping pong. She lived an active lifestyle and loved watching her family participate in band concerts and track meets.

Judy was the beloved wife of the late Joseph B. Salvatore. They spent forty-eight years golfing, bowling and spending time with loved friends Paul and Barbara (Midge) Rinaldi and John and Linda Baldigowski.

She also had the opportunity to spend several years traveling and cheering at her grandchildren's events with loyal companion and colleague, John Gido.

Left behind to cherish her memory are her daughter, Jeanne (Joe) Wolk; two grandsons, Nathan (Sarah Post) Wolk and Nicholas (girlfriend Mary Borkoski) Wolk; two nephews, Mike (Patrice) Salvatore and Richard (Angie) Fozard and their daughter Lauren Fozard; and best college friends Midge Kennedy and Theresa Hickman, as well as many dear college friends. She also had the privilege of having a wonderful group of teachers, neighbors and friends with whom she spent many happy retirement years.

A gathering to celebrate Judy's life will be held Sunday from 1-3 p.m. at **BEINHAUER FUNERAL HOME**, 2828 Washington Road, McMurray (724-941-3211) followed by her memorial service at 3 p.m.

Memorial contributions in her memory may be made to Gallagher Hospice

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