

KATHERINE M. LENTZ



Katherine M. Lentz, age 88, of Gibsonia, PA, on October 14, 2024. Born in Wilkes-Barre, PA, on December 8, 1935, daughter of the late Lynn Mitchell and Myrtle Wheaton Mitchell. Beloved wife for almost 68 years of Benjamin C. Lentz. Loving mother of Deborah Stumpf (Philip) and Benjamin Lentz (Tina). Sister of Robert Mitchell, and the late Lynn Mitchell. Dear grandmother of Marie Stumpf, Megan

Stumpf, Christopher Lentz, and Carson Lentz.

Katherine was a 1957 graduate of Penn State University, earning a degree in Dietetics and Nutrition. Kathy was a strong woman who was the heart and soul of the family. Her life circled around her husband, children and grandchildren. She was also active in the community, and as a lover of music, a long time member of the church choir. Always well-dressed and a great cook, her mac and cheese, lasagna, and rice pudding are among her most loved recipes! She enjoyed ski weekends as a family in Vermont, and attending decades of Penn State football games.

She had a witty sense of humor, loved her life, and was so proud of her family, she recently stated, "If I could stand up, I would take a bow!"

Beautiful inside and out throughout her life. She was a resilient and steadfast woman. Kathy, Mom, MomMom, we love you and will miss you everyday.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, who Kathy was an annual supporter of.

A celebration of life will be held at a later date. Arrangements by **SHELLHAAS FUNERAL HOME & CREMATION SERVICES, LTD.**, Bakestown.

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