

# MARY ANN ZUPON



At the age of 78, Mary Ann Zupon, of Pittsburgh, passed away on Monday, December 2, 2024, in Denver, CO, surrounded by family.

Mary Ann was the best example of how to live your life...everyone who knew her loved her. She was beautiful and generous to her core. She had a unique ability to make people feel welcome, whether you've known her for a lifetime or have known her for two minutes. She had

a special way of finding laughter and joy in any situation, bringing true light to those around her. She was proud of her work at the bank, real estate and school district but she was most proud of her family. She lived to spend time with her grandchildren. She prioritized quality time, authentic conversations and safe spaces...and was always up for "lunch out" together.

Through her unconditional love, she taught us all the importance of family and tradition and to be humble, kind, hard-working, giving and grateful for everything and everyone around you.

And while she passed too soon, her memory is a blessing.

Mary Ann was cherished by her family, many life-long friends and anyone that had the good fortune to know her. Mary Ann will be greatly missed and remembered by all. She was preceded in death by her parents, Mary and John Pogorelec; and her husband of 51 years, Les Zupon. Mary Ann is survived by her children, Amy Zupon (Gabe) Koroluk, Betsy Zupon (Chuck Lantzman), David (Anna) Zupon; grandchildren, Noah (17), Nathan (14), Maya (9), Talia (7) and Rose (5); and sister, Pat (Tom) Bielewicz. Her family would like to thank the staff at National Jewish Health, Rose Medical Center, St. Joseph Hospital and Denver Hospice for their skilled care and incredible support.

In lieu of flowers, Mary Ann may be honored through donations to LUNG FORCE <https://www.lung.org/lung-force>. LUNG FORCE is uniting people across the country to stand together against lung cancer, the leading cause of cancer deaths in the US. Through education, advocacy and research, they work to provide hope to all those impacted by the disease and to save more lives.

Family and friends are welcome at a Celebration of her Life to be scheduled in Myrtle Beach, SC this summer.

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