DOROTHY "DOTTIE" MARITZ LAURIA



Dorothy "Dottie" Maritz Lauria of McKees Rocks passed away peacefully on Sunday, March 23, 2025, at the age of 80.

Born July 27, 1944, to the late Stephen "Circus" and Naomi (Day) Maritz. Dottie graduated from St. Mary's Catholic School and The Western Pennsylvania School of Health Technology Pittsburgh, PA. As a Registered Nurse she served an internship in the Coroner's

office and was later installed as the first female Deputy Coroner of Allegheny County.

Beloved mother of Victor Lauria and sister of Mary Lou Hoffman, Edward (Lori) Martiz and Oscar (Peggy) Maritz. Dottie was preceded by her siblings, Stephen Maritz, Joseph Maritz and his wife Judy; and brother-in-law, Jim Hoffman.

She leaves behind her grandchildren, great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Family and friends will be received on Wednesday, April 2, 2025, from 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. at **SZAL FUNERAL HOME, INC.**, 238 Helen Street, McKees Rocks, PA 15136 where a blessing service will be held at 3:30 p.m.

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