



Patricia Ann Woolf

February 14, 1954 - January 16, 2026

Patricia Ann Woolf, “Patty”, passed away suddenly on Friday, January 16, 2026. She was born in Stamford, CT on Valentine’s Day, 1954, to Vincent and Phyllis Melsopp.

Patty is survived by her husband of 33 years, Lawrence Woolf, “Lem”. She is also survived by her brothers, Michael “Mike” and David “Dave” Melsopp. She also leaves behind her cousin, and goddaughter, Linda Bennett, and her two nieces, also goddaughters, Alissa and Amber Melsopp. Also surviving are Dave’s wife, Lori (Angotto) Melsopp and Mike’s life partner, Christine Quarre.

She was predeceased by her beloved parents, her grandfather, Sylvester Bartnick, “Pop”, her sister-in-law, Deb Martino, and her uncle and aunt, John and Veronica “Ron” Bennett.

Patty was devoted to her family, gifted with a great sense of humor and was very quick to laugh, especially at herself. She was a graduate of St. Cecilia School and Stamford Catholic High School. She attended Harriman College and the University of Connecticut. She enjoyed a number of positions including finishing her career as a managing supervisor at Swiss Reinsurance. The last years of her life were happily spent with her friends and family, who she was constantly communicating with and visiting with right up to the end.

She will be missed by a great many people, her family, friends and associates.

Patty, even though you left us, we'll warmly remember you in our hearts and prayers.

Visitation will be from 4pm to 7pm on Wednesday, January 28th, at Bosak Funeral Home & Cremation, 453 Shippan Avenue, Stamford, CT. A Prayer Service will follow at 7pm at the funeral home.

If you wish to make a remembrance for the family, you may sign the family guestbook at www.bosakfuneralhome.com or www.facebook.com/bosakfuneralhome.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 28. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Bosak Funeral Home & Cremation
453 Shippan Avenue
Stamford, CT 06902

Prayer Service

JAN 28. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

VS

“ Lem, Mike, and Dave,

I was so saddened to hear about Patty. Please accept my heartfelt condolences on the loss of your wife and sister. Patty was truly the cornerstone of Hilltop. After I moving away from Stamford, every time I came home she would stop by, spend time talking, and we would always end up laughing together. She was still picking Dave and me up from the train station in our 50s, as if we'd never left high school.

She was a wonderful person and will be deeply missed.

Vinny Suppa

Vincent Suppa - January 28 at 11:45 PM

DL

“ Lem, Mike, Dave & Family,

My condolences and deepest sympathy to your family. I am so sorry for your loss.

I worked with Patty for many years at Swiss Re. She was an incredibly kind, friendly, helpful and always supportive teammate. She had a wonderful sense of humor and helped me so much in my work. I feel lucky to have had the opportunity to know her and work with her.

Dave Lillian

Dave Lillian - January 28 at 07:15 PM

JM

“ Dear Mike and Dave,
I didn't know Patty very well, but in the times I was in her company,
she was always friendly and full of life. May your happy memories of
her help to bring you some healing along the way. Jack Macomber

Jack Macomber - January 28 at 01:19 PM

AL

“ My deepest sympathy to Lem, Patty's relatives and friends.

*It was always a treat when Patty came to Cambridge, MA to visit her
dear friend, Donna. I met Patty at our famous Monday night suppers
when Patty shared stories and lots of hilarity.*

*Patty was a special person and is sorely missed.
Ann Marie L.*

Ann Marie L. - January 27 at 07:31 PM

BK

“ Lem, Mike, Dave and Family,

*Our deepest sympathy and condolences for the loss of your dearest
wife, sister, aunt and so much more. Patty was an integral part of
the love that existed on Hilltop for many decades reaching back to
the 60's. Truly an adopted daughter and sister of the Kelly family
that survives to the very last day and beyond. Her tender heart will
certainly be missed and held in memory forever.*

Bryan Kelly, SCS 1968, SCHS 1972

Bryan Kelly - January 24 at 04:30 PM

KN

“ So many memories of growing up with Patty and our beautiful neighborhood of Hilltop Avenue. So much fun! Sleepovers, snow days, listening to the latest album, "Double Dating" with our Dads to the Father Daughter Dance and going through St. Cecilia's and SCHS together. Patty always had a smile every time we met in recent years. Condolences to her husband Lem, Mike and Dave.

Karin Mulreed Nadriczny - January 23 at 02:15 PM

LP

“ I've known Patty since I was 5. She was a great and fun playmate when we were children and grew to be a wonderful woman. My condolences to her family and all those who loved her.

Laura PintoDeFelice - January 23 at 10:15 AM

CB

“ Patty will be missed by her SCHS '72 Classmates. She always had a kind word and fun loving smile for all! Rest in Peace Patty! We send our condolences to her entire family and many friends 🍀💛🙏

CM Baranowski - January 23 at 09:34 AM

TM

“ With my sincere condolences and sympathy. Patty was always a cheerful person. She always had a smile for me. I will miss her friendship. Keeping her family in my prayers.

Teresa Medina - January 22 at 05:17 PM