



## Donna L. Murphy

April 13, 1947 - April 4, 2021

Donna L. Murphy (nee Pauler), age 73, of Chardon OH. and Tucson AZ., passed away in the early morning on April 4th, 2021 at Hospice of the Western Reserve in Euclid, with her daughter Deborah and her grandson Keaton by her side. Donna was born April 13th, 1947 in Chardon, OH. to parents John and Sophie Pauler. On November 11, 1994 Donna married her sweetheart, Gary Murphy in Willoughby, OH. Donna was the ultimate caretaker, loving and dedicated wife, and the best mom and grandma anyone could have. She is survived by her daughter; Deborah (Fred) Kelly of Chardon, her son; Albert (Gillian) York of Seattle WA, and stepsons; Michael (Tanya) Murphy of Virginia, and Chris (Rosa) Murphy of Florida. Donna is also survived by her brothers; John Pauler and Larry Pauler, and her 5 loving grandchildren; Keaton & Killian Klemencic, Juniper, Alison & Katelyn Murphy. She is preceded in death by her loving husband Gary Murphy (12/11/20) and her sister, Heather Ahlers. The loss of her beloved Gary was too much to bear. We know they are together again.

A private family burial will take place at Perry Cemetery June 12th of 2021. Memorial donations can be made in Donna's name to The Hospice of the Western Reserve, 17876 St. Clair Ave., Cleveland, OH. 44110. Lake Erie Cremation & Funeral Services assisted the family with arrangements. 440-361-2273, [www.lakeeriecrematory.com](http://www.lakeeriecrematory.com)

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“ The last of the original pierogi makers! One of my fondest memories is being in the kitchen with my grandma aunt Heather and mom learning the ropes of making Polish pierogies from my great-grandmother's recipe. Lots of polish banter and good times as I was the youngest and the low man on the totem pole I had to work my way up to learning the art of the twist.

My mom was a kind soul and always supportive. She was the kind of grandma everyone wishes for for their children. My boys adored her and she helped shape them into the men they are today. She was beamingly proud of them both.

So many things I still wanted to do with my mom, her life cut too short. I will miss those beautiful blue eyes and giving nature.

I can only hope that my mom has entered a place where she will be with her loved ones and be able to do what she loves best and that is to nurture and care for those she loves.

Miss you forever Mama you beautiful creature!

**Deborah Kelly** - April 07 at 10:12 AM