



## Eileen Teresa McNeill

September 27, 2020

Eileen Teresa McNeill (née McLoughlin) died on September 27th 2020 from pneumonia surrounded by her children. Mrs. McNeill was born on October 6, 1932 in New York City to her parents, Cornelius and Helena McLoughlin. The family returned to Ireland when she was 6 years old, and she grew up in the town of Mohill in the County Leitrim. She moved back to New York at the age of 16. Eileen was the first person in her family to go to college, and she graduated with a degree in Accounting from Hunter College, NY. She married William Peter McNeill in 1959. The McNeill's raised 5 children and Eileen returned to work at age 45, working as an accountant for the state of New York. After retirement, the McNeill's moved to Denton, Maryland and they spent most summers in Ireland. Eileen was a voracious reader with a love for mysteries. It's difficult to know for sure how many times she read the complete works of Agatha Christie. She was a member of St Elizabeth Church in Wyckoff, NJ where she served as a Lay Eucharistic Minister. She was a wonderful cook, loved slapstick, especially the Peter Seller's Pink Panther movies, she had an infectious laugh and only sang on Christmas. She was a loving, caring, strong woman who will be deeply missed by her family. Mrs. McNeill is survived by her daughter Helen McNeill (Geoffrey Lynch), her daughter Susan (Patrick) McKeever, her son David McNeill (Emily Tucker), her son Kevin McNeill (Kerry), her son Tom McNeill (Angie Salstrom), as well as her grandchildren Connor, Deirdre, Will, Patrick, Ciaran, Thomas, Lily, and Oona. She is preceded in death by her husband, William; her sister, May

Pelton, and her brother, Thomas McLoughlin.

A wake will be held on Wednesday September 30th 4:30 – 6:30 pm at JS  
Burkholder Funeral Home 1601 Hamilton Street, Allentown, PA 18102.

# Tribute Wall

DB

“ *Deepest sympathy to all the family, I have many fond memories of your mum. She will be sadly missed in Carrickacleeven. Sending my prayers, Donal Brady.*

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**Donal Brady** - October 02, 2020 at 11:39 AM

HB

“ *Sending my deepest sympathy to all the family on the passing of your dear mother/grandmother. Eileen was a beautiful woman in every way. I hold fond memories of Eileen and Billy and summers we spent as neighbours, always looking forward to their arrival. I'm happy that Billy and Eileen will be reunited again in Heaven. Thinking of you all at this sad time and I know you will miss her dearly.*  
*Helen Brady*

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**Helen Brady** - October 02, 2020 at 09:14 AM

TS

“ *It was a blessing interacting with Eileen as the Activity Coordinator at Topton. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. I enjoyed spending time talking about Ireland and when she joined our groups she was a spitfire with answering trivia questions! She also surprised you with her active game skills as often times she was quiet. She was a beautiful woman inside and out. May she rest in peace. Tammy Strunk*

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**Tammy Strunk** - September 30, 2020 at 03:00 PM

RS

“ *Sincerest condolences to Dr. Kevin McNeill Robert Sander*

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**Robert C. Sander** - September 30, 2020 at 09:25 AM

LI

“ Love Susan, Patrick, Deirdre, and Patrick III purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Eileen Teresa McNeill.



Love Susan, Patrick, Deirdre, and Patrick III - September 30, 2020 at 08:30 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Eileen Teresa McNeill.



September 30, 2020 at 03:08 AM

FR

“ From the family of Jack Roche purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Eileen Teresa McNeill.



From the family of Jack Roche - September 29, 2020 at 04:27 PM

HM

“ 1 file added to the album Eileen



Helen McNeill - September 29, 2020 at 04:12 PM

HM

“ 2 files added to the album Eileen



Helen McNeill - September 29, 2020 at 04:11 PM

CM

“ Carla Moure purchased the Fiery Lily and Rose for the family of Eileen Teresa McNeill.



Carla Moure - September 29, 2020 at 12:49 PM

LC

“ Love, Don and Maureen Cadogan purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Eileen Teresa McNeill.



Love, Don and Maureen Cadogan - September 29, 2020 at 12:19 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Eileen Teresa McNeill.



September 28, 2020 at 06:31 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Eileen Teresa McNeill.*



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September 28, 2020 at 06:12 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Eileen Teresa McNeill.*



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September 28, 2020 at 05:44 PM