



## Nancy L. Murtagh

December 19, 1949 - March 27, 2026

Our beloved wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, Nancy Murtagh, passed away peacefully on Friday, March 27, 2026, surrounded by her family. She was born December 19, 1949, in Spokane, Washington, but made her home in East Wenatchee with her beloved husband of 55 years. She was truly a blessing to her family and friends. She married the love of her life, Kenneth Murtagh, on March 27, 1971, in New Jersey. She had a love for cooking and started her career with Wenatchee Food Services and then worked for many years as the kitchen manager of the Wenatchee Valley Senior Activity Center. Her passion for cooking shined through and her love for people in general, made so many lasting friendships with the people she met there over the years.

She was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother, was able to enjoy her grandchildren and loved to watch them grow up and followed along with all their sports throughout the years. She loved to entertain her grandchildren and their friends, after school, with pizza or any food they wanted! She adored her siblings and always looked forward to visiting or anytime she could get with her brothers and sister. If you knew Nancy, you know how kind she was and her smile will live on forever!

She leaves behind her husband, Kenneth Murtagh; son, Derek, and his wife, Lieta; daughter, Darci, and her husband, Tim; granddaughter; Kelsie Best, (Colton Moon); grandson, Kyle Best, (Katelyn Vasquez); grandchild, Teagan Murtagh; and great-grandchildren, Kaisen & Kaden Best and Violet Moon. In

addition to her sister, Sharon (Mark Harrison) of Defuniak Springs, Florida; brothers: John (Susan Morse) and Ed (Terri Jack-Morse) of Wenatchee, several nieces and nephews in Florida and Wenatchee, and in-laws in New Jersey. She was preceded in death by her parents, John and Shirley Morse; and a brother, Greg Morse.

Her Celebration of Life will be at 2:00 pm on Saturday, April 18th, 2026, at Heritage Memorial Chapel Funeral Home, 19 Rock Island Rd, East Wenatchee.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

APR 18. 2:00 PM (PT)

Heritage Memorial Chapel Funeral Home

19 Rock Island Rd

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Barry & Linda purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Nancy L. Murtagh.*



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**Barry & Linda** - April 18 at 01:47 PM

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“ *Nancy was genuine, kind and loving. She loved to entertain, and we loved eating her wonderful meals. Rest in peace sweet lady 🙏 You will be missed*  
*Rob and Alice*

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**Alice Murtagh** - April 10 at 10:06 AM

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“ *This lady was a light to so many. I had the privilege of working with her at the Wenatchee School Food Service. To have known her was to love her. Shirley*

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**Shirley Howard** - April 09 at 06:21 PM