



Nancy Elizabeth Dambrot

July 5, 1957 - April 8, 2025

Nancy Elizabeth Dambrot, age 67, of Manassas, VA – formerly of Wantagh, NY - passed away peacefully on Tuesday, April 08, 2025, at home surrounded by her family.

Nancy was born on July 5, 1957, in Wantagh, NY to the late Samuel and Margaret Padgett.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Sheldon Dambrot

Beloved Mother of Charlene Dambrot, Marc Dambrot, Travis Dambrot,
Devoted grandmother to Shayna Jacobs, Loving sister to Linda Gerken
(Kevin) Cherished Aunt and Godmother to both Jeremy Gerken (Hannah) and
Samantha Gerken all of Manassas, VA.

She was a loving and caring person who will be missed by all who were lucky enough to have known her.

All services will be private.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the memorial Go Fund Me (<https://gofund.me/19a0b5e1>) page help with funeral expenses.

Tribute Wall

SG

“ Aunt Nancy has always been a wonderful and loving aunt and godmother to me. She was only ever kind and supportive to me and always gave without ever asking for anything in return. I cherished the gifts she gave me, especially since I knew she gave even when she didn't have the means to. I always looked forward to the times I would get to visit her and my grandparents and cousins in New York. When she and my cousins moved to Virginia, a part of home was brought closer to me, and I was happy to see them whenever I could. Whenever she was on a call with my mom, I would yell hi to her just to let her know I was there. She meant more than the world to my mom and there is a void in the world without her presence. She has touched so many lives, and she will always be dearly missed and dearly loved.

With love, your niece and goddaughter Samantha

Samantha Gerken - April 12, 2025 at 04:33 PM

MD

“ My Mom was the most important person in the world to me. She was always so giving and never asked for anything in return. Even when I was an adult in 2010 and had my first kidney stone, she came to the hospital and stayed with me for 10 hours. When she came home from the hospital after the diagnosis, I dedicated myself to taking care of her for the rest of her life. She didn't want me to at first, because she never knew how to accept help. Only provide it. She deserves so much and was the best Mom you could ever ask for.

Marc Dambrot - April 10, 2025 at 10:58 PM

KE

“ I remember the first time I met Nancy. It was a beautiful day in November of 1977. Nancy came to a small amusement park on Long Island where I worked called Adventureland. She came with her sister, Linda, and one of her friends.

Linda did not want to go with them that day, but Nancy insisted, saying you never know, you may just meet someone. Linda and I have been married over 40 years, and I have Nancy to thank for it.

Nancy was one of the most caring, loving, and considerate people I have ever known. She would do anything to help, and it didn't matter what she was doing. If she could do it, she would drop everything to lend a hand.

Nancy was a devout daughter, sister, mother, and grandmother always putting family first above all else.

She leaves behind a large void in our lives that will never be filled.

I know there is a special place in heaven for Nancy, just as there will always be a special place for her in my heart.

She will be missed but always loved. Nancy will never be forgotten, and we all will rejoice when we get together again soon.

Until then...

Love,
Your “brother,” Kevin

Kevin - April 10, 2025 at 03:50 PM

AC

“ I've been friends with Marc since we were 5, so I had an extra mom in Nancy since then too, and she was also close friends with my mom for decades. Nancy had to overcome way too many obstacles, but always managed to be extremely loving and generous (with her time and resources) to everyone in her life. It is widely known how devoted a mother, grandmother, and sister she was, but she was also an amazing friend. She gave probably thousands of hours of her time to my mom on epic phone calls, during which they were each other's therapists. She also sent me, my mom, my brother, and my nieces birthday cards and gifts, even when she couldn't afford it, for 30+ years. We were grateful for every single greeting and thoughtfully picked-out item.

My mom and I are devastated and will miss Nancy very much. My deepest condolences to my dear friend Marc, his siblings Travis and Charlene, Nancy's granddaughter Shayna, and Nancy's sister, Linda, brother-in-law, Kevin, and godchildren Jeremy and Samantha.

*Love,
Angela*

Angela Cave - April 10, 2025 at 02:20 PM

SS

“ I grew up with Marc as a kid and we were great friends and Nancy picked me up in ocala in 2019 to join their trip to Disney. I also got to see her when I went to visit Virginia for Marc's birthday in 2019. She was such a sweet woman and a wonderful mom to her kids and grandmother to her granddaughter. She will be missed



Selina southard - April 09, 2025 at 10:18 PM

SS

Actually 2018 we went to Disney. Typo

Selina southard - April 09, 2025 at 10:20 PM

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Linda - April 09, 2025 at 04:19 PM

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Linda - April 09, 2025 at 04:06 PM

LI

“ Nancy, I can't believe I am actually typing this because it doesn't seem real that you are gone.

You were the best big sister I could have hoped for. You always called me the baby of the family even though we are only three years apart. I remember when I was in labor giving birth to Jeremy I heard you were telling everyone the baby is having a baby.

We have been through so much together both good and bad. The good was all our fun times growing up, our weddings, our children and mostly you loved being a grandmother to Shayna. Of course, the bad, losing your husband, Shelly, at such a young age leaving you with young children. Also, all the health issues your family has had, financial struggles all your life, going through my cancer, and then these last few months the worst - you being diagnosed with cancer and suffering with pain these last few weeks.

But through all the tragedies that you suffered you always kept your faith, and you continually cared about everyone else. I can't even fathom going through the rest of my life without you. Not talking on the phone all the time and texting and of course seeing each other in person to discuss everything and anything.

I know you are with Shelly and Mom and Dad now, but I am feeling so left alone with all of you now gone. I miss you so much already. I do know we will see each other again. Until then I will keep you in my heart and cherish all the memories.

*Love Always
Your baby sister,
Linda*

Linda - April 09, 2025 at 03:52 PM