



## Margaret "Peg" Donaghy

April 14, 1942 - April 26, 2026

Margaret "Peg" Donaghy died Sunday, April 26, 2026 from complications due to kidney disease. She was born on April 14, 1942 in Huntington Station, Long Island, NY to Anne and James Kennedy. She met the love of her life, Jackie Trobia, while working together at Paul Road School in Chili, NY. They married in 1981, and renewed their vows in 2010 when Massachusetts became one of the first states to recognize same sex marriage. She organized a union of support staff workers in the Gates Chili School District and served as president, and later became school librarian at School 29 in Rochester. She always lifted up those around her and treated everyone with the dignity she believed was due to all. She didn't have much tolerance, though, for those she thought were "too big for their britches." She was kind, generous, and a little salty, too. After Jackie died in 2014, she devoted much of her free time to making greeting cards, many of which she donated to local organizations. She was also active in the Genetaska club, a women's group which fundraises for local charities. She leaves three children, Dara, Delia and John, three grandchildren, Randi, Emily, and Brandon, and a great-grandson Cash, who was her delight.

At Peg's request, services will be private for the family.