



## Carol Jansen

March 15, 1937 - March 22, 2022

Carol Jansen, 85, of Hudson, passed away Tuesday March 22 in Hudson, NY. Born March 15, 1937 in Brooklyn, she moved to Columbia County in the 1980's.

Carol was always young at heart and never saw herself as getting older. She would look at photos of herself and say with a chuckle, "who's that"?? She had a gift of storytelling, and a spicy sense of humor that sometimes left you guessing what she meant by that. A loyal friend through and through, if you told her a secret, it was in the vault forever. Her love for her family and friends was unconditional, and her resilience, strength and guidance taught you that you can get through anything no matter what. Her many quotes can confirm that. Carol loved many things, especially strolling down Warren Street looking for trinkets and clothing. She enjoyed books, horror movies, a good glass of wine, and naps. She also enjoyed board games, telling stories of her youthful adventures, and giving worldly advice.

Carol is survived by her daughter Irene Porcaro and her husband Michael Meyers, her son Steven Porcaro and his wife Michele Depew, grandchildren Matthew Sigler and wife Tamra, Rowan Meyers, Bella Lugo, Elizabeth Porcaro and Maggie Porcaro. She is also survived by her sister Joan Versaci, and special extended family Deride O'Flynn, spouse and children who shared the same adventurous spirit.

A special thank you to Columbia Memorial Hospital, all the doctors and nurses, and the Greenport Rescue Squad, and to Donna Coons whose

commitment and care for Carol was immeasurable.

To honor Carol's wishes, there will be no services. Her wish was to have a drink, tell a story, help a stranger in need, and give time to a local charity.