



Norene Clegg Osswald

July 8, 1943 - April 5, 2026

Norene Clegg-Osswald, 82, of Greenport passed away peacefully April 5, 2026 at her home surrounded by her loving family. Known for her spirited Irish eyes and a quick, sharp wit, Norene brought a sense of humor and warmth to every room she entered. Born July 8, 1943 in Bronx, NY, daughter of Frank Clegg Sr. and Nora Clegg (Moran), the family moved to Ghent, NY when she was 5. A 1961 graduate of Chatham High School, she attended Albany Business College. She went to work for New York State Civil Defense Commission and then the University of New York, leaving NYS employment to start a family. She then sold Real Estate for Ralph's Country Realty in Germantown for almost 40 years. In November of 1967 she married Herman "Buzzy" Osswald, married for over 58 years. She loved to travel with family and friends and very much enjoyed her trips to Ireland, visiting her mother's home town, trips to Cape Cod and vacations to Maine with her husband. Norene was known for her spontaneous drives to towns throughout the Northeast to discover hidden gems, shops and restaurants. She also enjoyed her time at home with family taking in the scenic views from her patio behind the house. She is pre-deceased by her parents, brother Frank Clegg, Jr and her Sister-in-Law Julia Ellen Osswald. She is survived by her husband Herman, Daughter Robin, Son Ryan and Daughter-in-Law Jennfer, grandchildren Molly and Dylan, and cousins, nieces and nephews. Per her wishes, there will be no calling hours. There will be a celebration of life at a future date at the family's convenience. Donations in her memory may be

made to Community Hospice and St. Jude's Children's Hospital. The family wishes to thank Community Hospice for their compassionate care and support.

Tribute Wall

JH

“ Buzzy,

So sorry for your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

John and Amy Hilliard

John Hilliard - April 13 at 07:29 AM

AB

“ *I'm so sorry to hear about your family's loss. Sending my condolences during this difficult time to the Osswald family.*

Amanda Baker - April 10 at 09:30 AM

MH

“ *Buzzy, I am very sorry to read of Noreen's passing. My sincerest condolences to you and your family.*

Mary Ann Horner

MaryAnn Horner - April 09 at 07:19 AM

KB

“ *So sorry for your lose Buzzy. Your wife was a beautiful person!*

kathy Bucholsky - April 08 at 06:00 PM