



Tanya M. Patterson

July 10, 1946 - April 7, 2018

Seabrook, NH – Tanya M. Patterson, 71, of Seabrook, passed away peacefully on Saturday, April 7, 2018 at her home.

Tanya was born in Monson, ME, the only daughter of the late Maurice and Ruth (Costigan) Davis.

Raised in Monson, Tanya graduated from Monson High in 1964 and later earned her Associate's Degree in Accounting. She married the love of her life, the late David L. Patterson, Sr. in 1966 and after spending time in Danvers and Peabody, MA settled into Amesbury, MA to raise their family. She had worked at the former Wilson Square Drugstore in Peabody for over 10 years and also worked as a bookkeeper for a number of other local businesses.

Family was most important to Tanya and spending time with them were the happiest times in her life. She had an amazing sense of humor and game nights with her family were full of laughter and fun. All who knew Tanya knew she was the ultimate Momma Bear with a fierce sense to protect her family and friends. Tanya's love and protection will leave a hole in the hearts of her family and friends.

Tanya leaves her son, David L. Patterson, Jr. of Cedar Rapids, IA, her daughters, Sandy Ellison, Lynette Cote and Sherry Cadell, all of Seabrook

and her six grandchildren.

She was predeceased by her husband of over 48 years, David L. Patterson, Sr., and her brother, Robert Davis.

Services will be held at 1 PM on Friday, April 13, 2018 at the Abbot Evangelical Free Church, 102 Main Rd., Abbot, ME 04406. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Abbot Evangelical Free Church at the above address.

Previous Events

Service

APR **13**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Abbot Evangelical Free Church
102 Main Road
Abbot, ME 04406

Tribute Wall



“ *Tanya M. Patterson*

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM



“ *To Lynette & family, Although I never met your mom, I feel like I know her in a special way. I am Alisa's mom & your mom always made those beautiful dishcloths & was nice enough to share them with me. I still have many left that she made 2 Christmas's ago. She sounds like a very special mom & grandmother, she should have had many more years to spend with all of you. I'm sure you will have many memories & stories to tell for a very long time. Please accept my condolences.*

*Sincerely sorry,
The Whites, Ray and Dolores*

Ray & Dolores White - April 12, 2018 at 08:05 PM



“ *I have many memories of Tanya from high school. Her sense of humor was fabulous and her laugh will be missed. You were much too young, Tanya. My sincerest condolences to her family.*

Dawn MacPherson-Allen - April 11, 2018 at 01:30 PM



“ *"I am so sorry for your loss. My prayers are with you all!"*



Lynda Patterson - April 11, 2018 at 12:19 PM

WW

“ I am so sorry for your loss. She was a very special lady who loved to laugh! It has been many years since I saw her. I pray that she is laughing even more now. ❤️ And I pray that all of you will find peace and joy looking back over the many special memories you have with her.

Wendy Wangberg - April 11, 2018 at 09:49 AM

ST

“ Susan True lit a candle in memory of Tanya M. Patterson



Susan True - April 11, 2018 at 09:22 AM

ST

I can remember when I first meet Tanny I with my dad and stepmom Hazel. the three of us went shopping in Mass that weekend we had a blast laughing and of course I had to use the restroom and not paying attention I walked in the men's rest room I thought Tanny was going to pea her pants laughing she was laughing so hard tears were running down her face. when she saw me coming out of that men's bathroom I told her there was a man in there wow was I ever embarrassed. That weekend with Dave and Tanny was the best time I ever had with all of them. they made me feel right at home. after that weekend every time she saw me she would start laughing. she was the best and when she laughed every one laughed with her. RIP Tanny I know your with Dave now I never will forget your laugh.

Susan True - April 11, 2018 at 09:40 AM

SF

“ Tribute to one of a kind friend and class mate who shared a wonderful sense of humor and loyalty with all she came in contact with. You are missed but know you and David are reunited again. Wonderful stories and times throughout The Academy days.. you taught me so much. Love and miss you my friend.❤️ Sue

Sue Flynn - April 10, 2018 at 09:05 PM

DP

“ So sorry to hear of Tanny’s passing. She was one of my best friends in high school and we shared many fun times together. RIP my friend!

Donna Sears Page - April 10, 2018 at 07:53 PM

DV

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this sad time. Ron & Dolly.

Diana Vainio - April 10, 2018 at 06:05 PM

DJ

“ Your contagious laughter will be missed beyond words. It is sad just thinking I will not experience it anymore. Heaven gained a fun soul with a deep heart for all she allowed into her family. Till we meet again.... I love and miss you Mom.

David L. Patterson Jr. - April 10, 2018 at 04:36 PM



Beth Costa-Howland

You always made me the little sister feel welcome. Your laugh was contagious. You'll be missed by all. My thoughts and prayers to your family.
Beth Costa

Beth Costa- Howland - April 10, 2018 at 07:59 PM

DC

Tanny we always considered you more family than friend. There are no words to express the sadness we are feeling. Just knowing you will never be at the other end of the phone...we love you! Please give David a hug from us. Our thoughts & prayers to the family. RIP dear lady 💔

Love Richie & Diana

Diana & Rich Costa - April 10, 2018 at 08:29 PM

RL

Tanny was a great friend for over 60 years. I was blessed in speaking with her recently. She always kidded me about being the fastest baby ever to be in a crib. The kidding would escalate as the years went by, by both of us. It was a great friendship filled with admiration for each other. Years went by of not being in touch. Fortunately we found each other several years ago. The friendship renewed as if we never had any time in between. She was an incredibly sweet girl and an unbelievably wonderful woman. To her family, I know how much she loved you all. She spoke of you each and every time we talked with such pride and love in her voice for you. I am sorry for your loss. God gained a great person. Those who knew her are blessed.

Rod Layman - April 11, 2018 at 12:55 AM

GF

So sorry for your loss. Hope to see you all on Friday. Use to enjoy visits with your mom and dad. Remember, Mothers never die they are just housekeepers in the sky". Love and prayers to you all. Dad,s cousin Gloriaj

Gloria Frederick - April 11, 2018 at 10:37 AM