



Elinor Nora Fortin

April 11, 2025

Elinor Nora Fortin passed away on April 11th surrounded by loved ones at the age of 86 . Elinor was born in Providence on July 16, 1938 to John P. Fenley and Elinor P. Fenley.

She is survived by her 4 children: Sally Schroth (Kurt Muller), Diane Fortin, Billy (Julie) Fortin and Mark (Liza) Fortin. She was predeceased by her son Dennis Fortin Jr.. Elinor also has 4 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren who affectionately referred to her as Cookie Monster. Grandchildren: Dennis Fortin III, Holly Ann Hubbard, Ashley (Michael) Silva and Danielle Fortin. Great-grandchildren: Wyatt Fortin, Dean Hubbard and Freya Hubbard.

After raising five children, Elinor went back to school at CCRI and graduated as an RN. She worked for the VA Hospital in RI and White River Junction, VT as a nurse for more than 20 years before her retirement. When Elinor wasn't working, she loved spending time with her family and friends. The family spent many wonderful days vacationing at Disney World (her favorite place to go). During the summertime, Sunday afternoons were spent at Arcadia Park with the family.

She entertained grandparents, aunts and uncles, nieces and nephews, cousins and the neighborhood kids at her home on holidays and almost every Sunday that the family was home. Mostly though she loved spending time with her children and grandchildren. She also loved and missed until the day she passed her favorite horse, Wally and her German Shepherd, Champ.

The family will have a Celebration of Life party on June 7, 2025 at the Elks Lodge, 42 Nooseneck Hill Rd., West Greenwich from 12 to 4. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Coventry-West Greenwich Lions Club Scholarship Fund, PO Box 1226, Coventry, RI 02816. A scholarship in her name will be presented to high school students planning to become nurses.

Special Thanks to Hope Health Hospice and Saint John and Paul's Church.

Tribute Wall

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“ Auntie was a spitfire that lit up the room when she entered it. I will always remember the fun we had when we would get together for holidays. Thanks for all the laughs and the freedom to be ourselves. Love you!



May God comfort my cousins while they go through this difficult time.

Love Cousin Michelle DuPont

Michelle DuPont - May 13, 2025 at 09:54 AM

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Thank you love you guys

Diane - May 13, 2025 at 02:24 PM