



Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis

February 22, 1951 - April 27, 2024

Margaret Muir (nee O'Neill) Narconis, 73, died on April 27, 2024 at Mari De Villa Nursing Home in Town and Country, MO. Meg was born February 22, 1951 in Alton, the daughter of the late Dr. Paul J. O'Neill and Elizabeth "Peg" (Smith) O'Neill. Meg was a 1969 graduate of Alton High School and received a bachelor's degree in nursing from Loyola University in Chicago in 1973, and an MBA from Webster University. She worked as a Risk Manager for the Washington University School of Medicine in St. Louis. On January 30, 1982, Meg married the love of her life, Roman "Ray" Narconis in Alton. He preceded her in death on January 25, 2017. She is survived by a son, Alex Narconis (Michelle) and a daughter, Dana Murray (Chris), all of Ballwin, MO, seven grandchildren, Evelyn Narconis, Lucille Narconis, Henry Narconis, Jack Murray, Alison Murray, James Murray, and Noah Murray and her faithful dog, Bailey. Also surviving is a sister, Gail Scyoc of Alton, and brothers, P.J. O'Neill of Glen Carbon, and Barney O'Neill of Winter Haven, FL. Along with her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by a brother, John H. O'Neill and a sister, Patricia O'Neill. There will be a prayer service at 3:30 p.m. followed by visitation from 4:00-7:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 1, 2024 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. A Mass of Christian burial will be at 10:00 a.m. Thursday, May 2, 2024 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Alton. Burial will be at St. Joseph's Cemetery in Alton. Memorials may be made to the St. Louis Zoo or the 5A's Animal Shelter. Online guestbook and information may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph's Cemetery

525 East 4th Street
Alton, IL 62002

Previous Events

Prayer Service

MAY 1. 3:30 PM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home
2409 State Street
Alton, IL 62002

Visitation

MAY 1. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home
2409 State Street
Alton, IL 62002

Funeral Mass

MAY 2. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary's Catholic Church
4th and Henry Street
Alton, IL 62002

Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.*



May 04, 2024 at 11:32 PM



“ *Roberto planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.*

Roberto - May 04, 2024 at 11:32 PM



“ *Rebecca F. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.*

Rebecca F. - May 03, 2024 at 08:39 AM

BO

“ My first encounter with Meg was about 1971 in Miami, Florida. She was in college and came to Miami for Spring Break. Meg knocked on our door, which I answered. She asked for “Paul O’Neill”, my dad always went by Barney so I was curious who she was. When dad went to the door Meg said, “ I think you’re my brother.” And that’s how I got to know about the Northern O’Neills. We had a beautiful moment with Gail, Meg and PJ just before Jane and PJ moved back to Alton. Much Love to all the O’Neills. ❤️



Bauman Diane O. - May 02, 2024 at 10:38 AM

BA

“ Memories abound of my beautiful friend. Meg was my best friend in grade school at St. Mary’s. I was at her house on 12th St. more than I was at my own. I had so much fun with Meg and her beautiful family. I know she will be missed by so many. Much love and sympathy to Dana and Alex, PJ and Gail.

Becky (Crivello) Adkins

Becky (Crivello) Adkins - May 02, 2024 at 07:52 AM

D(

“ What a beautiful soul and spirit, I am forever grateful for her open heart. She was a safe place.

Dana Schull (Sterbenz) - May 01, 2024 at 07:24 PM

SG

“ I worked with Meg for many years through Washington University. She also inspired me to volunteer for the Washington University Human Studies Committee where she had served as a volunteer for so many years. Her guidance and cool headedness were always appreciated. She loved to boast and tell stories about her kids and grandkids - she loved you all so much. My sincere condolences to her family. May all of your warm memories give you great comfort.



Sally Guemmer - May 01, 2024 at 03:52 PM



“ Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.



May 01, 2024 at 02:22 PM

DN

“ O'Neil and Bassford. The names were always combined during my childhood. The strongest of friendship , good times and sad times, we shared.
Megs sister, Patty ,was my best friend, Friends from the womb , Patty would say. I truly loved and love
The O'Neil family. Rest In Peace Meg. The perfect
“Coleen “my Dad called her.Beautiful blue eyes and
Long dark hair. My deepest sympathy to Gail, P.J. And the entire family.
Thanks for the memories , DeeDee Bassford

DeeDee Bassfird Nappa - May 01, 2024 at 01:03 PM

ML

“ Mickey Lopeman purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.



Mickey Lopeman - May 01, 2024 at 03:40 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.



April 30, 2024 at 09:24 PM

EM

“ Eileen, Andy, Chris, & Maggie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.

Eileen, Andy, Chris, & Maggie - April 30, 2024 at 09:24 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.



April 30, 2024 at 09:06 PM

SP

“ *My sincere sympathy to you all. I rekindled our friendship while Meg was working at Alton Memorial Hospital. Our parents were life long friends. Meg was such a to so many. Always that great smile and kind words for all. Many prayers!*

Susie Henesey Pruetzel

Susie Pruetzel - April 30, 2024 at 08:06 PM

DM

“ *Deborah M. purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.*



Deborah M. - April 30, 2024 at 06:54 PM

NB

“ *Neil Best purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.*



Neil Best - April 30, 2024 at 06:44 PM

JS

“ *Jerre Shank purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.*



Jerre Shank - April 30, 2024 at 03:31 PM

JS

“ *Jerre Shank planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.*

Jerre Shank - April 30, 2024 at 03:31 PM



“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.*



April 30, 2024 at 02:50 PM

FP

“ *Fort Zumwalt PDTC planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.*

Fort Zumwalt PDTC - April 30, 2024 at 02:50 PM

EB

“ *Meg was a great co-worker when we were at Jefferson Memorial Hospital (Mercy South). She was insightful, dedicated, and reasoned. Sending prayers for peace to her family.*

Elaine Bowles - April 30, 2024 at 02:28 PM

FS

“ Frank ,Mary , Isabel and Sarah purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.



Frank ,Mary , Isabel and Sarah - April 30, 2024 at 12:05 PM

LA

“ Love, The Mintzes and Agees purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.



Love, The Mintzes and Agees - April 30, 2024 at 10:50 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.



April 30, 2024 at 10:34 AM

SO

“ Sarah O. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.



Sarah O. - April 30, 2024 at 10:04 AM

SO

“ Sarah O. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.

Sarah O. - April 30, 2024 at 10:04 AM

PB

“ Patrick Waters & Mia Bland purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.



Patrick Waters & Mia Bland - April 30, 2024 at 08:25 AM

PG

“ Paul Gleason purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.



Paul Gleason - April 30, 2024 at 01:34 AM

TF

“ The Berman family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.



The Berman family - April 29, 2024 at 11:08 PM

TF

“ The Berman family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.

The Berman family - April 29, 2024 at 11:08 PM

TM

“ The McDonoughs purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.



The McDonoughs - April 29, 2024 at 10:02 PM

TM

“ The McDonoughs planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.

The McDonoughs - April 29, 2024 at 10:02 PM

TF

“ The Scyoc and Waters families purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.



The Scyoc and Waters families - April 29, 2024 at 09:12 PM

TF

“ The Scyoc and Waters families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.

The Scyoc and Waters families - April 29, 2024 at 09:12 PM

JM

“ I never forgot the help you gave me when you were the risk manager at Alton Memorial Hospital. My son had been in a critical accident and you were a great support to me.

Judy Mayhew - April 29, 2024 at 08:22 PM

SL

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Sylvia Lacey - April 29, 2024 at 07:55 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.



April 29, 2024 at 07:12 PM

TF

“ Traci, Liz, Katy (& families) planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.

Traci, Liz, Katy (& families) - April 29, 2024 at 07:12 PM

LJ

“ Linda and Gordon Johnson purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.



Linda and Gordon Johnson - April 29, 2024 at 03:15 PM

LJ

“ Linda and Gordon Johnson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Muir (O'Neill) Narconis.

Linda and Gordon Johnson - April 29, 2024 at 03:15 PM