



## Cynthia "Cindy" Clark

February 9, 1957 - February 18, 2025

Cynthia "Cindy" Clark (nee DILWORTH), beloved wife, mother, grandmother, sister, and friend, passed away peacefully at home on February 18, 2025, surrounded by her family. Her legacy will live on through those she left behind, including her devoted husband Gene, her children Patrick, Caitlin (Sweeney), Kelsey, and Hayley, and son-in-law Colin Sweeney. Cindy's love and devotion to her family extended to her grandchildren Riley, Chase, Ava, and Evan, all of whom she adored. Cindy was also deeply cherished by her sister Alicia (Dilworth) Mignogna (Anthony Mignogna), brother Timothy Dilworth (Kyle Dilworth), over a dozen sisters and brothers-in-law, and 18 nieces and nephews.

Born in Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania, to Erwin "Bud" and Joan Dilworth, Cindy was a proud 1976 graduate of Radnor High School, where she met the love of her life, Eugene "Gene" Clark. The two were married in 1982, beginning a life full of love and adventure. Throughout their marriage, Cindy and Gene lived in Bryn Mawr, Collegeville, and Royersford, Pennsylvania, where they made lifelong friends and created a strong sense of community.

Cindy's greatest purpose in life was to nurture and care for her family. As a devoted mother and grandmother, she poured her heart into raising them, offering unconditional love, guidance, and unwavering support. Her nurturing spirit made her the best daughter, wife, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt,

niece, cousin, and friend anyone could ask for. Cindy's selfless devotion to those she loved resonated on so many levels. She was a reliable voice of reason, always listened without judgement, and managed to find positivity in everyone and everything. Her mere presence uplifted those around her—whether with a belly laugh or a comforting word, she could wipe away a tear and brighten even the darkest of moments.

Cindy was well-known for her infectious spirit and the epic parties and gatherings she hosted for every occasion. Whether it was a birthday, holiday, or just a reason to celebrate, Cindy always found a way to bring family and friends together. If you knew Cindy, chances are you've attended one of her unforgettable events, and even more likely, you've shared at least one lemon drop shot with her to mark the occasion. These celebrations were just one of the many ways Cindy brought joy, laughter, and love into the lives of those around her.

It was no secret that there was another man in Cindy's life. It was love at first sight in 1975 when Cindy first saw Bruce Springsteen. Her infectious enthusiasm for Bruce and the E Street Band led her to share this passion with everyone around her. Alongside her sister Alicia, Gene, and countless family and friends, Cindy attended hundreds of concerts in a variety of venues. Anyone who had the privilege of experiencing, firsthand, Cindy's magical connection with Springsteen's music could see how deeply it resonated with her. Her devotion wasn't just to the music—it was to the very spirit of the man and his band, a bond that transcended mere fandom and became a part of her very soul.

Cindy was a natural athlete, effortlessly excelling in every sport she tried. Whether it was softball, volleyball, or horseback riding, she was always the one to beat at Camp Tegawitha. Her athleticism didn't stop there. At Radnor, Cindy dominated the tennis court, honing her skills year after year, always

striving to be better. But it wasn't just about winning for her—it was about the thrill of competition and the joy of improving her game, no matter the sport.

Growing up on Meadowood Road, Cindy's childhood was marked by endless outdoor challenges with the neighborhood kids, as they faced off against their rivals, "The Creek Creatures." Whether it was playing games or practicing her casting technique with her dad in the backyard before a fishing trip, Cindy was always active, always striving to be the best. And when she wasn't on the field or in the yard, you could find her engaging in a game of backgammon with friends or a round of Go Fish with her grandchildren.

Cindy's competitive spirit didn't end with childhood games. She carried that energy into her love for Philadelphia sports teams, where her heart was always with the Eagles—especially after watching their Super Bowl win, aptly coinciding with her birthday last week! But when it came to the Phillies, well, let's just say her affection was... a bit more complicated. Regardless of the team, Cindy was always passionately invested in the game, her love for sports never wavering.

Cindy's family and friends were in awe of her grace and determination as she faced health challenges over the past few years. Despite numerous setbacks, Cindy never wavered. She continued to plan for the next milestone, defying medical predictions at every turn. Countless family and friends fiercely participated in these events, inspired by Cindy's determination until the end. Her resilience and unwavering spirit earned her the well-deserved title of "Bad Ass," a testament to her strength and unrelenting will to live life on her own terms.

Cindy's impact on her family, friends, and all who knew her will never be forgotten. She leaves behind a legacy of love, resilience, and a spirit that will

continue to inspire generations. We take solace in Springsteen's lyrics that Cindy sang with conviction, and we will indeed someday meet her in, "The Land of Hope and Dreams."

Friends and family are invited to call beginning at 1pm on Sunday, February 23, 2025, at The General Warren Inn, 9 Old Lancaster Rd, Malvern, Pennsylvania 19355. A celebration of life will begin at 2pm.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in Cindy's memory may be directed to:  
The Trustees of The University of Pennsylvania  
Abramson Cancer Center Development Office  
3535 Market Street, Suite 750  
Philadelphia, PA. 19104  
<https://giving.apps.upenn.edu/fund?program=MC&fund=600499>

# Previous Events

## The family will receive guests

FEB 23. 1:00 PM (ET)

General Warren Inn  
9 Old Lancaster Rd.  
Malvern, PA 19355

## Life Celebration

FEB 23. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ My sisters Susan, Resie and I were part of the Meadowood Rd gang. So many wonderful memories, including the time we “lost” a crayfish captured in the creek in the Dilworth’s living room. Mrs Dilworth was not happy.

*I also remember the summers at Tegawitha...*

*I am so thankful Cindy and I reconnected via Facebook. Gene, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. May Cindy rest in peace and eternal joy.*

*Love,*

*The Carney Girls*

*Carroll Carney Robertson*

*Susan Carney Fahey*

*Resie Carney Flaherty*

*Formerly of 7 Meadowood Rd.*

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**Carroll Robertson** - February 21, 2025 at 10:30 PM

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“ With love, the AIS girl gang purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Cynthia "Cindy" Clark.



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**With love, the AIS girl gang** - February 21, 2025 at 07:33 PM

MT

“ Maria Treadwell purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Cynthia "Cindy" Clark.



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**Maria Treadwell** - February 21, 2025 at 12:28 PM

MT

“ Maria Treadwell planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cynthia "Cindy" Clark.

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Maria Treadwell - February 21, 2025 at 12:28 PM

SM

“ It comes with deepest sympathy to hear about the passing of Cindy. She was always warm spirited and very friendly. She was very helpful and would go out of her way always to assist staff that were in need for something. As a veteran staff at Devereux, I got know Cindy over the years as a front office administrative assistant /receptionist assisting staff with last minute reports and state inspections. Cindy was always flexible and would get the job done. Lastly, I discovered that Cindy shared the same birthdate as my daughter., " February 9th" which makes her more special. May you rest in peace. My prayers go out to you and your family. Your Devereux Colleague, Sheela

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Sheela S. McClain - February 20, 2025 at 02:58 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Cynthia "Cindy" Clark.



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February 20, 2025 at 02:37 PM



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PD

“ I was so sad to hear this news about my dear friend. We met when we were 10 years old at a camp in the Poconos. The friendship continued at Harcum Junior College, and then the great times and year at our apartment in Bryn Mawr Pennsylvania. I will miss her forever And I pray now she is at peace. Godspeed Cindy, love you always Trisha.

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**Patricia Donnelly** - February 20, 2025 at 01:56 PM

PS

“ Dearest Cindy. May you RIP. God has blessed everyone in your life with your presence. .A wonderful wife, Mom, Grandmom, and Mother in Law to our son, Colin. Praying for comfort and peace for your family and friends. With deepest sympathy, Pat n Barb Sweeney...

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**Pat n Barb Sweeney** - February 20, 2025 at 01:53 PM