



Holly Ann Leonard

April 29, 1956 - November 21, 2025

Holly Ann Leonard, 69, passed away peacefully on November 21, 2025. Born on April 29, 1956, to Ronald and Gloria Hodgkins (both deceased), Holly grew up alongside her siblings: Bonnie Hodgkins (deceased), Pamela McCann, Maryann Shirley (husband Frank deceased), Heather Hodgkins-Achin (husband Matthew), and Ronald Hodgkins (wife Terry). She was also preceded in death by her cherished grandmother, Mary Murphy.

Holly married Michael Leonard, her devoted husband of 52 years, and together they raised two children who were her pride and joy: Timothy Leonard, married to Juliana Aloia, and parents to Holly's cherished granddaughter Lila Leonard; and Carey Swanson, married to Bret Swanson. Holly also embraced Michael's family as her own, sharing countless memories with her father- and mother-in-law, Richard and Joann Leonard, and her brothers- and sisters-in-law: Dennis Leonard, Stephen Leonard (wife Nancy), Karen Osborne (husband Frank), Susan Leonard, Thomas Leonard, and Annette Leonard. She was a very special aunt to so many more as well.

Professionally, Holly obtained her master's degree and had a career in the pharmaceutical industry, specializing in regulatory affairs, where her expertise and commitment made a lasting impact.

Holly's life was filled with joy and passion. She loved her dog Leo, delighted in cooking for her family, and found happiness in traveling, the ocean, and sharing "wine o'clock" with those she cherished. She was the heart and leader of our family, and nothing made her happier than bringing everyone together.

Holly was also known for her honesty and humor—she had a gift for telling it like it is, and you always knew where you stood with her. Her candid nature, paired with her warmth and laughter, made her unforgettable.

Her memory will live on in the hearts of her family and friends forever.

There will be no services at this time; a celebration of life will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the Melanoma Research Foundation in Holly's honor at <https://www.melanoma.org>.

Tribute Wall

KA

“ We are so sorry for your loss. May ‘the God of all comfort’ be with your family at this difficult time. Psalm 71:1a

Kathryn - March 15 at 10:25 AM

MA

“ I worked with Holly at Corning Medical for several years. She was smart and funny. Her daughter Carey worked as a summer intern in my area. I went to school at Franklin High with her sister Bonnie and grew up with a few of the Leonard boys. My deepest sympathy.
Margaret Steel Anderson

Margaret Steel Anderson - November 27, 2025 at 09:33 PM

NT

Prayers and love for the Leonard and Hodgkins families. Holly was a good friend. We spent hours discussing the world, the kids, and our books. She was so good to me. I have always cherished our friendship, and will remember her with happiness and joy. I send my condolences to the family.

Nancy Ozella Timmins - January 01 at 10:55 PM

MA

“ Matt purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Holly Ann Leonard.



Matt - November 25, 2025 at 07:10 PM

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“ Matt planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Holly Ann Leonard.

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“ Dr Huber and Dr Baird planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Holly Ann Leonard.

Dr Huber and Dr Baird - November 22, 2025 at 04:16 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Holly Ann Leonard.



November 22, 2025 at 04:16 PM

JB

“ Mr Leonard, Tim and Carey- Sending heartfelt condolences to all of you from back 'home' on Sunset Road, your Mom was truly great. So sorry to hear about this, wishing you all peace and comfort through this difficult time.

jason Bouzan - November 22, 2025 at 02:20 PM

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Thank you Jason. Miss Sunset road days. ❤️

Carey Swanson - November 22, 2025 at 03:51 PM