



## Melody J. Stanley

August 22, 2021

Melody J. Stanley (McFarland), 74, of Lancaster, PA, passed away on Sunday, August 22, 2021. Born in Lancaster, PA, she was the daughter of the late Raymond McFarland and Lorraine Campbell.

She graduated from J.P. McCaskey High School with honors in 1964. Melody got a late start to her dream job in 1994, worked as a charge nurse at St. Anne's Nursing Home until 2000. She then finished her nursing career in 2006 at Quarryville Presbyterian Home due to health reasons. After 2006, her strong work ethic gave her the drive to start her own business as a courier for Phoenix Courier Services. She retired in 2018.

Melody loved to swim, dance, and sing, and had such a love for reading. She was stubborn and was known for saying exactly what she was thinking. "She was never wrong". She left this earth with a giant, fat head picture of Joe Biden watching over her.

She is survived by her two daughters, Stacy Hess (Park), and Kelly Slaymaker (Dean); her son Robert Stanley (Jennifer Kisskiss), her grandchildren, Megan, Nicole, Kayla wife of Caleb Kaylor, Caleb, Isabelle, Jordan, Alexandria, Danny, Flynn and J.T.; and her great-grandchildren, Cole, Charlotte, Bentley, Aubree, Denver, Ryker, Desi, Jayde, Collin, Jayden, and Runa; her brother, Mike McFarland and two nephews, Raymond McFarland,

and Michael Ellis.

Melody was preceded in death by her grandmother, Eleanor J. Campbell (Rineer), and grandfather Calvin P. Campbell.

Funeral Services will be private.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the American Lung Association. <https://www.lung.org/get-involved/ways-to-give>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Melody J. Stanley*

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ *Mel was definitely a “call it how I see it” personality. I loved our brutally honest conversations. Kelly, It seems like yesterday we were terrorizing pioneer woods! I wonder if she knew we were having pizzas delivered to the bedroom window? Haha as an adult, I occasionally chatted with her online and stopped by to say hi. She was always happy to see me. We discussed family, friends, and current events but I refused to talk politics with her! I will miss her! Condolences to everyone! Hoping my dad was there at the gates to show her around 🍷*

Crystal Lynn - August 27, 2021 at 03:40 AM

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*I'm sure he was there. Oh boy if only she knew about all the things we got into, especially with that window! I know she was so glad to see you one last time before she left, I'm pretty sure she was probably thinking about how to get you turn into a Democrat one last time. And secretly how to make soup for Jeremy by hiding the onions. Thank you for being there for me. She loved you like you were one of her own kids.*

kelly albright - August 27, 2021 at 12:45 PM