



## Marietta R. Cooley

March 26, 1944 - August 1, 2023

Marietta R. Cooley (Dorn), age 79, Carneys Point, NJ, passed away Tuesday, August 1, 2023, at Christiana Hospital, Newark, DE.

She was born in Koslin, Germany, which is now known as Poland, and raised in Berlin, Germany. Marietta came to the United States at the age of 19, and obtained her American citizenship in the State of Louisiana.

She retired as a Comptroller after a lengthy career working for car dealerships in DE and NJ. Marietta enjoyed going to the beach, traveling, gardening, reading, classical music, crossword puzzles, and giving talks about the history of Berlin, Germany. She was an inactive member of The Union Presbyterian Church, Carneys Point, NJ.

Marietta was preceded in death by her mother, Margarete Dorn (Conradt); her father, Karl K. Dorn; and, sister-in-law, Ingrid Dorn.

She is survived by her daughter, Claudia I. Cooley, of Pennsville, NJ; brother, Rainer Dorn; nephew, Martin Dorn (Andrea); niece, Corinna Harden; two great niece's and one great nephew, all of Berlin, Germany.

Marietta is also survived by her best friend, Barbara Wright, of Woodstown, NJ, and her close friend, Linda Cates, of Carneys Point, NJ, and by her four legged companion, Moxie.

A private graveside service will be held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made in Marietta's name to:  
The American Legion Ambulance Association, 32 Maple Court, Woodstown,  
NJ 08098 OR The Pink Clover Foundation, 754 Asbury Avenue, Ocean City,  
NJ 08226

"Don't wait until tomorrow, hug your loved ones today"

# Tribute Wall



“ Our dear Marietta,  
Our "Marietta of Oz" our wise and bravest of the group members of Gildas, I was just asking about you. I will miss the sound of your voice, and the calm that you brought to our group. You always pushed through everything with a go with the flow attitude. Heaven must be partying hard with you up there. It was an honor and privelage to have met you. Even though cancer is what brought all of us together, it allows you to meet some of the most beautiful souls. May you rest in peace, no more pain. May your family be healed from the pain of your loss, knowing that you are now smiling down on them.  
Christina <3

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**Christina Gambogi-Tonczyczyn** - August 08, 2023 at 05:22 PM

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“ I had the pleasure of meeting Marietta while helping with her care. She always had a bright smile and I looked forward to seeing her. To her family, please accept my humblest condolences. To Marietta, Auf Wiedersehen, wir sehen uns irgendwann wieder.

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**Jacob Beal** - August 07, 2023 at 04:04 PM

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“ I had the pleasure of meeting Marietta through Gilda's Cancer Support Group. I always enjoyed hearing her stories of growing up in Berlin, coming to America, and so forth. As time passed and her health struggles increased, I can honestly say that she always had a smile on her face and words of encouragement to share. Her light will continue to shine and lead us as we travel this healing journey from cancer.

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**Traci Scott** - August 07, 2023 at 03:18 PM

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“ *Brenda and Ed Bevis*

**Brenda and Ed Bevis** - August 06, 2023 at 04:36 PM

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*Rest in peace Marietta.*

**Brenda and Ed Bevis** - August 06, 2023 at 04:38 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Marietta R. Cooley.

August 06, 2023 at 07:41 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Marietta R. Cooley.



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“ *Carol Molinari Monks lit a candle in memory of Marietta R. Cooley*



**Carol Molinari Monks** - August 05, 2023 at 02:21 PM