



## Kathleen Elizabeth Burger

February 1, 1963 - January 9, 2026

Kathleen Burger, age 62, passed away peacefully on Friday, January 9, 2026, at St. Peter's Hospice Center.

Kathleen was born on February 1, 1963, in Catskill, New York, to Donald and Elizabeth Burger, both of whom predeceased her. She grew up in Athens, New York, and went on to graduate from Plattsburgh State University. Kathleen dedicated over 25 years of her professional life to Verizon, where she was known for her strong work ethic and commitment.

Kathleen had a deep love for cats and enjoyed fishing, camping, visiting casinos, and listening to country music. She was a devoted New York Giants fan and cherished time spent with those closest to her. She was also predeceased by her brother, Mark Burger, and her beloved wife, Karon Vink.

Kathleen is survived by her brothers, Donald Burger and William Burger (Sarah); her sisters, Colleen Holloway and her sister Irene Maxwell; her sister-in-law, Gloria Burger; and her nieces, Kelly Speenburgh (Molly Boyce) and Kristi Fallon (John). She is also survived by her life partner of over three years, Ruth McDermott, who brought her great happiness and companionship.

Services will be held on Saturday, January 17, 2026, from 10AM to 12PM at Brady's Funeral Home 97 Mansion Street in Coxsackie, New York, with family

and friends welcome. A celebration of Kathleen's life will be held at the funeral home at 11:45 am, the same day.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Kathleen's memory to Animal Kind, Inc., 72 Warren St. Hudson, NY.

Kathleen will be deeply missed and lovingly remembered by all who knew her.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the W.C. Brady's Funeral Home in Coxsackie.

# Cemetery Details

## Athens Rural Cemetery

Athens, NY

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

JAN 17. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

W.C. Brady's Sons. Inc.

97 Mansion Street

Coxsackie, NY 12051

(518) 731-8000

<https://www.wcbradyssonsinc.net/>

## Celebration of Life

JAN 17. 11:45 AM (ET)

W.C. Brady's Funeral Home

97 Mansion St

Coxsackie Village

Coxsackie Village, NY 12051

[info@richardsbradysfh.com](mailto:info@richardsbradysfh.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ Kathleen you are sorely miss. My heart hurts so much you always took care of everyone without asking for anything in return. You have been taken too soon. I will miss you my friend love you to the moon and back ❤️❤️❤️❤️. I know you will be watching out for all of us. Rest in peace friend.

Wendy Harris - January 15 at 02:52 PM

WC

“ Thoughts and prayers to Kathleen's family.  
May she Rest in Peace 🙏  
Wendi (Tompkins) & Mike Carroll



Wendi Carroll - January 15 at 12:07 PM

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“ We had some many great times & laughs together ! Especially the snif in chips! That will never be forgotten my friend! Can't make this up ! ❤️ only our buddies would get it!!

adrienne young - January 14 at 09:04 PM

MC

“ *Its hard to believe such a vibrant person has left us. It was so many years ago that you work with me at the Catskill Burger King. You always made it fun. However, I'll never forget your walking into Burger King in Plattsburgh when I was sent there when everyone quit. You were just looking for extra money for college and you let me talk you into being my night manager. I'll be forever in your debt for bailing me out. Looking. at your picture I see your familiar smile. Although it just a brief moment that our baths past, I will always remember the wonderful person you were. Rest In Peace Kathleen.*  
*Mike Camadine*

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**Michael J Camadine** - January 14 at 04:56 PM