



Patsy Cochran Kishler

September 9, 1946 - May 12, 2026

Patsy Cochran Kishler passed away at The Arbors at Carroll on May 12, 2026. She was a breast cancer survivor and, during the last seven months of her life, dealt with Stage 4 kidney cancer.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Henry “Chet” and Helen Cochran, and her brother, Mike Cochran.

Patsy is survived by her beloved husband of 59 years, David Kishler; daughter, Jenny (Rodney) Russell; grandchildren, Kaden Russell and Maddy (Charles) Kropp; sister-in-law, Judy (Kishler) Cohen; and brother- and sister-in-law, Robert (Cindy) Kishler.

Patsy was a Registered Nurse and a founding member and past president of the Fairfield County Genealogical Society.

As the wife of a military serviceman, she lived in New York, Canada, and Montana. She also enjoyed traveling extensively and visited Alaska, Japan, Russia, England, Scotland, Ireland, France, Belgium, and Germany by air and cruise. She especially treasured Alaska cruises with her family and visiting the German Christmas markets.

After 2000, Patsy and David devoted much of their time to caring for their

grandchildren, Maddy and Kaden. The children would come to their grandparents' home after school for meals, homework, and loving care.

The family extends sincere appreciation to Dr. Varney; the administration and staff of The Arbors at Carroll; the staff of FairHope Hospice & Palliative Care; and especially the many excellent nurses and STNAs who provided compassionate care.

Cremation arrangements were entrusted to Day Funeral Service. Interment will take place at Floral Hills Memory Gardens.

A Celebration of Life will be held at the family's convenience.

Memorial donations may be made to Foundation Dinners 1000 W. Fifth Ave.,
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