



Marion Markowicz

September 13, 2025

Marion Markowicz, the best of mothers, the best of friends, died peacefully on September 13, 2025 at 83 years old. She was preceded in death by her mother, father, and sister (Grace, Hym, and Nora Michaels) and is survived by her 2 daughters, Leah (Geoff) Rhodes and Eve Markowicz; her grandchildren, Simon & Micah Rhodes of Ringgold GA and Avery Markowicz & Sylvia Thomas of Jacksonville FL; and a gaggle of dear, dear friends.

Belovedly known as “bunny” by her grandsons and granddaughter, Marion lived a generous life. She constantly and consistently gave to those around her, always putting others first and expecting nothing in return.

After earning degrees from Mercyhurst & Bryn Mawr Colleges, Marion dedicated her life to helping and caring for others as a social worker. She touched lives in every setting she worked, leaving a lasting impact on her clients, their families, and her co-workers. Her nurturing and protective nature, combined with her calm and steady demeanor, brought great comfort, joy, and guidance to everyone around her.

Marion had a quick, sharp wit that stayed with her until her final days. She loved her family, her friends, her many pets, and a good treat from Dairy Queen. Her love for others was a testament to her beautiful and compassionate (and sometimes feisty) spirit that will be profoundly missed. The family will celebrate Marion’s life privately at a later date. In lieu of flowers, please consider honoring her with a donation to Four Diamonds, whose mission is to ensure every child has access to superior medical care

and comprehensive support to conquer cancer. Checks can be made to “Four Diamonds” and sent to: Annville Cleona High School, c/o Four Diamonds, 500 South White Oak Street Annville, PA 17003

Tribute Wall

GB

“ Marion was one of a kind. I had the honor and privilege to be her colleague at the Hershey Medical Center caring for children with cancer and their families. We made a dynamic duo. She was so caring and compassionate. We had fun too. People still reminisce about the time we dressed up as each other for Halloween. Everyone loved it! Only Marion could have pulled that off so well. My thoughts and prayers are with her family and I hope you'll find comfort in knowing ALL the lives she's touched over all her years.

Greg Baiocchi - September 20, 2025 at 12:19 PM

MW

“ An angel on earth! Her support and compassion to me and my husband dying of terminal cancer was never ending! To the end! My favorite memory of her was being an avid member of Softball Kazoo band and her showing up in ICU long after sun went down! I asked her What are you doing here? I couldn't sleep thinking about Bruce so I got up and here I am... in her PJ's! That was Marion! I loved and admired her! I hope she and Bruce get to greet one another! God's love surround you! Mary Alice (Bingaman) ☐ 🥹🥹

Mary Alice (Bingaman) Why - September 14, 2025 at 12:40 PM

LR

that is a perfect description & wonderful memory ~ thank you 💜

Leah Rhodes - September 14, 2025 at 03:00 PM

MW

You are welcome! She is close in my heart! And your old home in Annville is very close to mine. When I pass I think of her! ☐ 🏠

Mary Alice (Bingaman) Why - September 14, 2025 at 05:34 PM

RL

What a great person. She helped me through a tough time in my life. I have never forgotten that.
Robert Lau

Robert Lau - September 15, 2025 at 05:03 PM

LR

Thank you both ☐

Leah Rhodes - September 16, 2025 at 04:35 PM

SB

Marion helped me through one of the darkest times of my life, literally saved me. I knew her over several years, and she was truly a light in the darkness. May God bless you and your family. She will always be with me in my heart.

Sandi Brettler - September 20, 2025 at 10:00 PM



Marion helped me thru some pretty tough times emotionally. I was usually her last client and would give her a ride home if her car was in the shop. I appreciated her wisdom, wit, and compassion. My thoughts are with all of you during this time.

Kristen Sherman - September 24, 2025 at 11:54 AM

DW

“*Marion was there for us when our marriage was in jeopardy. Her understanding and compassion for me and my husband was 100% influential for our marriage to survive and live happily ever after. I am forever grateful to her. May she rest in peace in the arms of Jesus in her heavenly home. From D.M.*

Donna Warren - September 14, 2025 at 11:26 AM

MW

Marion was a saint! She helped my husband suffering from terminal cancer and me through to the very end! She even came into hospital in wee hours of AM to check on him while in intensive care! I asked "What are you doing here?" I couldn't sleep thinking of him so, here I am (in her PJ's) ! I loved and admired her so very much! Jesus will welcome you home, Marion. I missed you when u moved away and that hole will follow me! Loved you and your compassion and love for others! Mary Alice

Mary Alice (Bingaman) Why - September 14, 2025 at 12:08 PM

LR

thank you, Donna 💜 lovely words

Leah Rhodes - September 14, 2025 at 03:02 PM