

## Patricia Dean



PATRICIA YVONNE SCOTT  
Accent on Youth 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Cheerleaders 2, Captain 2;  
Choral Club 2, 3, 4; Orpheus  
Club 4; Junior Class 3; Senior  
Class 4; Sophomore Class 2.



Brooktondale - Patricia (Pat, Momma Dean) Yvonne Theresa Scott Holland Dean (77) of Brooktondale, NY, passed away at Oak Hill Manor on Thursday, December 3, 2020 after a brief illness. She was predeceased by her beloved husband, Theadore (Man) Dean, who died in March 1999.

Born in Ithaca, NY, on March 21, 1943, she was the youngest of 3 daughters of Edward W. Scott, Jr., and Annie I. Johnson Scott, who both predeceased her as did her oldest sister, Alice Pernell Gould. Pat graduated from Ithaca High School, Ithaca, NY in 1961. She was an avid member of the school choir as well as a cheerleader.

After high school, Pat started a long career as an administrative professional. Her first job after graduation was at Cornell University where she worked in the Department of Electrical Engineering. She then worked as a Sales Coordinator for Ripley Motors.

She returned to Cornell to work as Office Manager at WHCU Radio and then moved onto campus to support the History and Science of Technology program, assisting with its transition to the Department of Science & Technology Studies. Her final position at Cornell was with the Africana Studies and Research Center where over time she was promoted to Administrator, a position she held until her retirement in 1999.

Pat was a member of Immaculate Conception Church. She was heavily involved with the IHS Class of '61 reunion committee and related activities. Pat enjoyed so many hobbies - music, singing, writing, reading, bowling, watching spectator sports, fishing and golfing with her husband, redecorating her home, hosting and organizing many

family gatherings, watching movies and TV, researching family genealogy, learning new skills, and travelling.

Pat suffered a debilitating stroke in October of 2006 which left her wheelchair-bound in her remaining years. Despite this challenging condition, Pat maintained her sense of humor and quick smile. She tried to stay active and involved in as many family and social activities as she could until her move to Oak Hill in 2014 following a decline in her health and mobility.

She is survived by her sister, Margaret (Pegg1) Love; children Theresa Lewis, Sharon Holland Loucks (Chris), Melissa Holland; step-children Cookie Bates-Dean, Reginald Dean; grandchildren Yolanda Lewis, Yvette Lewis Carrier, Aidan Holland-Loucks, Annie Loucks, Terry Bates, Effie Valenson, Sherry Dean, Monica Dean, Jackie Dean, Christine Dean, Trista Dean; numerous great- and great-great-grandchildren; and many loving nieces, nephews, cousins, extended family, and close friends.

The family is having a small private service for Pat on Friday, December 11th. A joyful celebration of Pat's life will be held at a time when it becomes safe for us to gather again. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a memorial donation to the charity of your choice.



"Pat's life in photos on a blanket."