



Danuta Kubelik Obituary

Danuta Kubelik, 75 of Lecanto, passed away Sunday, November 03, 2024 under the loving care of her family and VITAS Hospice staff. She was born December 17, 1948 in Smerdyna, Poland, daughter of Jan and Helena Dziedzic.

She was preceded in death by; her parents and brother; Tadek. She is survived by her loving husband of 35 years George Kubelik, son; Artur Rucinski, daughter-in-law; Maria Rucinski, granddaughter; Eva Rucinski of Beverly Hills, FL, her sister; Jasia Waliduda and her nephews; Jaroslaw of Pisarzowice and Slawomir Waliduda of Wroclaw, Poland and niece; Marzena Dziedzic of Chiampo, Italy.

Danuta dedicated many years to teaching math in Poland. She was known for her engaging teaching style and passion for the subject. In her spare time, she would enjoy reading murder mysteries and playing games such as Tetris and Minesweeper.

She discovered her love for running in the early 60s which became an integral part of her identity. She completed multiple full and half marathons, 10Ks, and 5Ks. She has several accolades in running events, including her participation in the Senior Games and Boston Marathon. She inspired friends and family with her dedication and perseverance.

The world has lost a truly remarkable individual, but her spirit will live on in every run, every finish line crossed, and every heart she touched.

Danuta was truly the heart and soul of our family. Her warmth and kindness will be deeply missed by all who knew her.

Rest in peace, Mom. You ran through life with grace, joy, and an unstoppable spirit. You will forever be remembered as a bright light in our lives.

Private cremation arrangements are in the care of Brown Funeral Home and Crematory, Crystal River.