



Antonia Bales Nasrallah

March 17, 1957 - February 17, 2026

In Loving Memory of Antonia Bales Nasrallah

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Antonia Sotirios Bales-Nasrallah was born on March 17th, 1957, in the village of Megalopolis, Arcadia, Greece. She spent her early childhood with her father Sotirios, mother Stamata and two sisters Kiki and Christina in the neighborhood of Kato Petralona, Athens. At the age of 9 her family moved to Boston, Massachusetts where she would become a true Bostonian.

From her father, Sotirios she learned the value of hard work and that with such ethic a woman could do anything in this world. With this belief in her sharp mind, she excelled in school and was motivated to go down the path of becoming a chemical engineer. For her efforts in and outside the classroom she was awarded full scholarship to RPI and UMass Lowell Tech from which she graduated with a degree in chemical engineering. A very rare occurrence for a woman in her day and age as well as today. She would begin her career working for then General Foods, now, Kraft-Heinz. Landing this job enabled her to begin giving back and she started this lifelong pursuit by buying her parents a multifamily home in Somerville, Massachusetts. She spent most of her career at Kraft-Heinz working on food & beverage namely Maxwell House coffee, but perhaps most importantly she would meet her future husband, Maurice. She and Maurice would tie the knot in 1987. The coming decade

would bring her four boys Christopher, Jonathan, Alexander and Phillip. These boys were the pride and joy of her life. During such time she would also continue to advance her career and education, garnering an MBA from Pace University and reaching a career height as Global Vice President of R&D and Packaging for Avon Cosmetics with two engineering patents to her name. She was a driven individual that pushed herself and others forward; yet simultaneously selfless and would drop everything for someone in need, especially her family, she showered all that knew her with love and joy.

Her favorite hobbies were reading, group exercise classes with her girlfriends, painting, and walking her pup outdoors with her family. Antonia was a fervent believer in her Greek Orthodox faith and always a proud Greek! She perpetually donated to causes for women, children and the sick. She embodied piety and was guided by her faith and belief in God until the very end of her time here with us on Earth.

Coming to this country as a young immigrant who didn't speak English from a family with little money; through her intellect, hard work, and wonderful treatment of others; Antonia went on to conquer the corporate world and live out the American dream.

Above all else, Antonia's greatest devotion was to her family. She was a loving and steadfast wife to her husband, Maurice Nasrallah, and a proud and devoted mother to her four sons: Christopher, Jonathan, Alexander, and Phillip, in the order they blessed her life. Her love was constant, protective, and deeply rooted. She built her life around her family and carried each of them in her prayers every day.

She leaves behind a legacy of faith, strength, resilience, and unconditional love. Through her example, she taught her sons the meaning of commitment, integrity, heritage and reverence for God and family. Her presence was a

foundation, her prayers a shelter, and her love a lifelong inheritance.

She will be deeply missed and forever remembered.

May her memory be eternal.

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In place of flowers we kindly ask you to consider donating to the children in Gaza, Palestine. The most deeply rooted cause in Antonia's heart, emanating from the love of her husband and four sons.

Following the link provided will lead you to an easy-to-use donation process where you will have the choice to contribute towards an area of your choosing, namely Orphans, Food-Aid, Health, Shelter, or Education services on the ground in Gaza. This donation is also tax deductible, and receipting will be provided to you via email.

HEAL Palestine – Help The Holy Land Donation (https://linktr.ee/HealP2?utm_source=linktree_profile_share&sid=5add46e4-e936-49e1-8bb5-0097f5d600a6)

Family and friends are invited to gather for a viewing on Tuesday , February 24, from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM at Dwyer & Michael's Funeral Home, located at 90 North Broadway, Tarrytown, NY 10591.

A Funeral Mass will be celebrated in her honor on Wednesday, February 25, at 10:00 AM at The Greek Orthodox Church of Our Saviour, 2195 Westchester Ave E, Rye, NY 10580. Following the Mass, the interment will take place at 1:00 PM at Sleepy Hollow Cemetery, 540 N. Broadway, Sleepy Hollow, NY

10591.

Previous Events

Viewing

FEB **24**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Dwyer & Michael's Funeral Home
90 North Broadway
Tarrytown, NY 10591
(914) 631-0621
info@dwyerichaels.com
<https://www.dwyermichaelsfh.com>

*ATTENTION: In lieu of flowers, donations preferred to the HEAL Palestine – Help The Holy Land organization
Do NOT send Flowers.*

Funeral Mass

FEB **25**. 10:00 AM (ET)

The Greek Orthodox Church Of Our Saviour
2195 Westchester Ave E
Rye, NY 10580

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Interment

FEB **25**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Sleepy Hollow Cemetery
540 N. Broadway
Sleepy Hollow , NY 10591

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Tribute Wall

EB

“ Since I heard this sad news, I have had your warm, smiling face in my mind. My heart goes out to your family and loved ones, may they find strength in their memories. I hope wherever you are you can keep dancing, full of joy and light.

Eddy Bernstein - February 23 at 12:21 PM

LG

Dear Kiki and Christina. I just learned from your cousin, Maria, of the untimely death of your dear sister, Antonia. Eternal be her memory. Maurice, I'm a cousin of Antonia and her sisters in Springfield, Ohio. My condolences to you and your sons. May God keep you in his care

IPeter Grigiss - March 19 at 11:55 AM

DR

“ Dearest Toni: I still see your joyful face and the way you always light up a room. It has been my pleasure to know you and to dance with you in MuZe class with Bettina and the girls. Thank you for welcoming me and Eddie into your home to share time with you, Maurice, your beautiful boys and Theo. You are loved and will always be remembered.

Deborah Radcliffe - February 23 at 08:32 AM

MS

“ Maria Stathopoulos sent a virtual gift in memory of Antonia Bales Nasrallah



Maria Stathopoulos - February 23 at 08:09 AM

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In memory of Antonia, a beautiful soul.

Maria Stathopoulos - February 23 at 08:10 AM

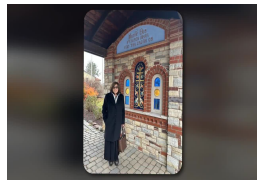
MS

“ *My Antonia, my dear, sweet friend. I can't believe you're gone. It breaks my heart. We had our fun whenever we would sit together. I will cherish those moments for all my days. God has you in His embrace now. Find eternal peace & rest. Dear family, I extend my deepest condolences & pray that God grant you comfort & courage during this difficult time. Eternal be her memory. May she rise in glory. - Maria Patrianakos Stathopoulos*

Maria Stathopoulos - February 23 at 08:08 AM

Ji

“ 1 file added to the album Antonia Slideshow Video



ji - February 23 at 01:58 AM

BM

“ *We are so sorry for your loss and our heart breaks for your family. Watching our kids grow up together-from elementary school soccer games to high school and beyond-your mom and family have been a part of so many memories. We will always remember the fun times in the backyard barbequing or cheering on from the sidelines at the games. Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers. With heartfelt sympathy, The Misuracas*



Brenda Misuraca - February 21 at 10:39 AM

EP

To Maurice and the family

We are so sorry , we will always remember the good times we had together and the great food your mom prepared. Our prayers and thoughts are with you . Liz and Pasquale Pirrotta

elizabeth pirrotta - February 22 at 12:24 PM