



Kayong Park

February 22, 1975 - July 10, 2024

Kayong “Kay” Park, 49, of Tinton Falls, NJ passed away on Wednesday July 10, 2024 after bravely fighting cancer for 1.5 years. She was surrounded and comforted by her immediate and extended family as she passed at the Monmouth Medical Center.

She was born in 1975 to parents Sang Do Park and Kim Pal Nam in Taegu, South Korea. She attended Keimyung College and graduated with an Associate of Art degree in Interior Design in 1997 and started her career at Camp Walker, South Korea. There she met her future husband, Keundo Park, who served as an U.S. Army officer and were married in 1998. Kayong quickly assumed the role of a military spouse and supported her husband through different assignments at Fort Gordon, GA and Fort Lewis, WA before settling at Tinton Falls, NJ in 2001. Soon thereafter, she became a certified cosmetologist and a fixture at Nails Plus in Shrewsbury, NJ for almost 20 years. She was known by her regular customers as affable and easy going, making personal connections with everyone she met.

To her family, Kayong was a devoted and generous kin who regularly looked for ways to help improve everyone’s quality of life. Although she was not the oldest sibling and comparatively small in stature, she had the biggest personality and heart, often taking the lead in organizing gatherings and serving as the family matriarch. Her laugh was equally loud and contagious. She also loved to travel and ensured she and family members were regularly

cruising to a faraway island or jetting away to another country.

She is survived by her devoted husband of 26 years, Keundo, and her two children, Chris and Sara. She predeceases her parents and four siblings (Imsun, June, Ju, and Yongjin).

The family will hold a private memorial to honor her life before her interment at the BG William C. Doyle Veterans Memorial Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in her memory to the Monmouth Medical Center.

Cemetery Details

Private

Tribute Wall

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“ *Beloved wife's interment.*



K Park - July 28, 2024 at 12:15 PM

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“ *Kay was a vibrant and joyful person. She will be missed by all her colleagues and customers at the Nails Plus salon. Our heartfelt condolences to her family.*
Anne and James

Anne Persichetty - July 25, 2024 at 03:54 PM

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“ *On behalf of the Abrahams Family, I would like to extend my condolences to Keundo and his family on the passing of his wife, Ms. Kayong Park. Please know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers during this time of bereavement.*

John Abrahams - July 17, 2024 at 09:52 AM

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“ *Bongarzone Funeral Home lit a candle in memory of Kayong Park*



Bongarzone Funeral Home - July 11, 2024 at 11:18 AM