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AUBURN – Janice Briggs Bilodeau, affectionately known by many as the “Cookie Lady”, 86, of Auburn, passed away peacefully at home after a short but heroic battle with pancreatic cancer on Tuesday July 16, 2019.

Janice was born in Lewiston, Maine on March 25, 1933

to Louise (MacDonald) Bilodeau and Frederick

Briggs. She married the love of her life, Roland

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Bilodeau, on Nov. 24, 1954. Janice was an active

woman her entire life, and some of the activities that

she enjoyed most were bowling, tennis, kayaking,

canoe trips, hiking, baking, and running. She was

actively involved in giving back to her community

and served as a volunteer for the Mount Washington

Observatory, Baxter State Park, the Audubon

Society, the Appalachian Mountain Club, Central

Maine Medical Center (CMMC), and the Maine

Track Club. In 2012 she was named the State of

Maine's Outstanding Volunteer of the year. In 1984

she started volunteering for CMMC, where she so

lovingly referred to her friends there as her second

family. She spent thousands of hours spreading love

and kindness to staff by sharing cookies and baked

goods right up until June 2019. Janice took up the

sport of running at the age of 67, completing

hundreds of 5k road races and several 10k's and

inspiring many new runners along the way! Janice

also competed in the Senior Olympics, representing

the State of Maine in the 5k event. Janice loved her

family and friends deeply and unconditionally and

she will be missed by everyone whose lives she

touched. Janice was predeceased by her husband of

65 years, Roland Bilodeau, on Aug. 22, 2018. She is

survived by her four children, Elaine Wagg of Minot,

Bruce Bilodeau and his wife, Lisa, of Auburn, Sue

Adams and her partner, Jeff, of Auburn, and Nancy

Heidrich and her husband, Fred, of Saco. She is also

survived by her grandchildren, Jim and Josh Wagg,

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Eric and Christine Eild

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Adams, Landon and Conn Heidrich; and her great-granddaughter, Olivia Wagg.

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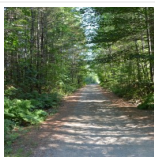
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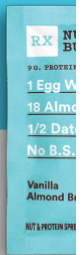
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