

## OBITUARY



Rita Ann Gallagher, 60, of Delaware Water Gap, died early Sunday morning, March 1, 2015, at VNA Hospice House in East Stroudsburg. She was the wife of Robert E. Gallagher with whom she shared 43 years of marriage. Born on April 25, 1954 in Hackettstown, NJ, she lived in Monroe County for the past 45 years. She was a waitress at the Delaware Water Gap Diner for over 30 years. Rita was a social member of the Delaware Water Gap Fire Company. In addition to her husband, she is survived by her father, Ale Peter Klaver, Sr. and his wife Susan of Bangor, mother, Beverly Trexler and her husband Ralph of Allentown; three children, Lori Ike and her husband Howard of Stroudsburg, Lisa Lathom and her husband

Jeff of Ashland, VA and Robert Gallagher and his wife Krisi of Stroudsburg; three grandchildren, Allen Blakeslee, Jessica Miller and Courtney Ike; four great grandchildren, Brody and Colton Miller, Rilee Ike and Lacey Rode; five siblings, Gary Klaver and his wife Anna of Stanhope, NJ, Dale Klaver and his wife Millie of Jacktown, Ale Peter Klaver, Jr. and his wife Cathy of Bangor, Natalie Bisher and her husband Bruce of Bangor and Irene Heckman and her husband Ed of Bangor; and many nieces and nephews. The viewing will begin at 9:00AM followed by funeral services at 11:00AM on Wednesday, March 4, at the William H. Clark Funeral Home, 1003 Main Street, Stroudsburg. Private cremation will follow. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial remembrances be made to the Salvation Army, 226 Washington Street, East Stroudsburg, PA 18301.

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