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CURRAN, SUSAN

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CURRAN, SUSAN, 41, passed away on the morning of Sunday, January 6th at home after a battle with cancer. A native of Providence, Susan was the daughter of the late Dr. Robert Louis and the late Betty Brier Curran, and the loving and devoted wife of Matthew Wilson, also of Providence.



Growing up on the East Side, Susan attended the Wheeler School before finishing at Northfield Mount Hermon in

Massachusetts; she graduated from Boston University with a degree in English. After college, Susan honed her skills at a series of technology startups in the Boston area. Her career wove together her love of words with an interest in technology. She worked as a website editor for Oxford University (Oxford, UK) and Rhode Island School of Design. Susan brought her curiosity, wit, and wide-ranging interests to her work as editor for the MIT Homepage, a job she loved.

Susan and Matt met in 2000, and decided to live together in 2003 since they were already inseparable. They were the best of friends and shared every adventure, from kissing on the porch in Somerville to touring the capitals of Europe. A special highlight was visiting Lithuania, where her father's father was born.

In 2011, Susan and Matt returned to Providence to support her mom Betty through illness. They were married in a bedside hospital ceremony on August 27th of that year, with Betty (on her final day) in attendance.