

Warm memories of Christmas tree lightings in Wiswall Park and midnight Masses at St. Mary's Church inspired Mary Hauprich Reilly to create the snow-covered scenes that grace holiday greeting cards and mugs now available at O'Brien Pharmacy.



Mary, who graduated from St. Mary's School in 1977 and Ballston Spa High School in 1981, would later accompany her own little ones to post letters to Santa in the mailbox that once stood in the park named in honor of Irving Wiswall.



The youngest of the 10 children of Donald and Audrey Hauprich also treasures recollections of her parents' voices singing in the St. Mary's choir during long ago Christmas Eve services. The panoramic St. Mary's scene and the enchanting Wiswall Park artwork are additionally showcased within the covers of *Mornings with Morley*, a tribute to the life and legacy of Maurice "Christopher" Morley by Mary's author sister, Ann Hauprich.



As part of the 2018 heritage preservation project, Mary created a YouTube video (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lucwf3x0-mI>) that honors the late Ballston Spa History Consultant who endeared himself to generations of villagers as its old-fashioned toy-maker. (The richly illustrated 102-page title is also available at O'Brien Pharmacy. To learn more please visit www.LegaciesUnlimited.com.)

