



Mary E. Fox

March 21, 1967 - August 23, 2024

Fox; Mary E. (nee Mackiewicz)

August 23, 2024, Age 57, Unexpectedly, of Orchard Park, NY. Beloved wife of 32 years to Paul E. Fox Jr.; loving mother of Paul E. (Jen) Fox III, Brandy (David) Fox, Joey (Becky) Fox, and Courtney Fox; cherished grandmother of Connor, Dominic, Cassandra, Logan, and Scarlet; devoted fur babies Kaiya and Kalle; dear sister of Melissa (John) Santiago; dearest daughter of the late Edward and Diana (nee Ball) Mackiewicz; also survived by nieces, nephews, and many friends. Mary was an employee of David's Christmas Wonderland and Crafts, Cheektowaga. She also was an avid Bills fan and an active volunteer at the SPCA. The family will be present to receive relatives and friends on Wednesday August 28th from 3-7PM at the DANIEL R.

SMOLAREK FUNERAL HOME, 2510 Union Rd., Cheektowaga (2 blocks south of William St.) where a prayer service will be held at 6:45PM. Flowers are welcome, or donations may be made in Mary's name to the SPCA serving Erie County(<https://yourspca.org/ways-to-give/>). Please leave condolences online at www.SmolarekCares.com

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 28. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (est)

Daniel R. Smolarek Funeral Home - Cheektowaga
2510 Union Road
Cheektowaga, NY 14227

Prayer Service

AUG 28. 6:45 PM (est)

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Tribute Wall



“ *The Witnauer’s purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Mary E. Fox.*



The Witnauer’s - August 27, 2024 at 02:32 PM



“ *The Witnauer’s planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary E. Fox.*

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“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary E. Fox.*



August 26, 2024 at 11:39 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mary E. Fox.*



August 25, 2024 at 11:37 AM

CC

“ As I really didn't know Mary that well, she still extended her hands and love out for me as I was dealing with a hard time, and that alone shows what kind of person she was caring, sweet, protective and loving.. I will forever be grateful for her love. She was a beautiful women inside and out.



Ciera Calhoun - August 24, 2024 at 03:08 PM

MB

“ Mary will always be remembered as THEE mom! From the first day I met her she accepted me as her own, always wanting the best for all of us (Courtney's friends). Nobody cheered us on more than her, rather it was a big or a small accomplishment, a failure, a tough time, or a celebration Mary was always there with a big smile on her face telling me she loved me & anything was possible. A truly beautiful soul who wanted to see everyone happy and just enjoying life. I know even now that she would want us to smile, laugh, and be there for her family the same way she was always there for all of us.

Marissa Buettner - August 24, 2024 at 01:19 PM

SA

“ From the first day I met Mary she was the most vibrant and fun woman to be around. She welcomed all of her daughters friends and showed us nothing but love everytime she was around. We use to have a Halloween girls night and Mary always made sure we had a great time and loved hanging out with us. You can tell she really lived to make sure her daughter was happy. Seeing us girls all having a good time together made her genuinely happy. Mary your bright smile & beautiful soul will truly be missed. We love you

Savannah - August 24, 2024 at 10:51 AM

BR

“*Mary (Mama Fox) was such a beautiful great loving and caring soul. Always dancing, always in high spirits, just always a smile on her face. I've been friends with Courtney for years and one thing about her mom is she treated all of us like her own. Always so giving, always there for all of us. Just a beautiful person gone way too soon and I just don't understand it at all ! Rest In Peace Mama Fox we love and miss you!*



Briana - August 24, 2024 at 09:49 AM

MF

“*My mother was there for me through every hardship & every accomplishment. You were the shirt off of your back kind of woman. Putting yourself last & others first. From you I learned enormous wisdom and morals. There are so many things you left undone and unsaid. Your family loves you. Each and everyone of us are confused and devastated. I don't want to live life without my mother and it seems unreal that I have to learn how. You adored me, you were proud to have me... proud to be my mom. I'll never know somebody as loving and caring as you. I will never be able to replace you or fill up this void you left. I hope you're somewhere warm where the sun is shining bright. I hope you are the wind I feel through my window at night. Thank you for the good times and the bad. 26 years with you was just not long enough for me. I love you Mama Fox, the world was a better place with you in it. My world is so empty now.*



Marys Daughter Courtney Fox - August 24, 2024 at 06:53 AM

CA

This is heartbreaking!!!! I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your mother. She was such a sweet and kind soul who I was blessed to have gotten to know.

Cathleen - August 26, 2024 at 12:17 PM