



MaryAnne Knickerbocker

December 5, 2014

MaryAnne Knickerbocker, although family and friends knew her best as: Babe, Poopshkins, Ma, Mom, Baba, Babi, Maria, Harry, and Sis, died unexpectedly on December 5, 2014 at the age of 61 in her hometown of Syracuse, New York.

MaryAnne is survived by her husband, Bradley Knickerbocker; children: Dean Swenson, Deanne Ziober, and Daniel Knickerbocker; grandchildren: Paul, Alex, Beckham and Upton; and brothers Edward Bukowski, Thomas Bukowski, and John Bukowski. She is predeceased by her father, Edward Bukowski; mother, Mildred Millier; and brother, Paul Bukowski.

MaryAnne was put on this earth for one reason...to bring love, happiness, and laughter to everyone she came in contact with. Her smile would light up any room. MaryAnne put her heart and soul into giving and helping others. Her positive energy was one that can never be duplicated.

MaryAnne loved camping, fishing, kayaking, and most of all her family. Her grandchildren meant everything to her. "My grandchildren are my life" is what she'd always say.

MaryAnne loved life and was full of it. She was a one of a kind who will be deeply missed by all who knew her. We sure hope Heaven is ready for some polka music every Sunday morning!

Calling hours will be held at Giminski-Wysocki Funeral Home from 4-7 pm on Monday. A Mass for family and close friends will be at the Basilica of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in Syracuse, Tuesday at 9:30 am. .

In lieu of flowers, all contributions can be made to the Child Life Program: 750 East Adams Street, Syracuse, NY 13210.

Tribute Wall



“ *MaryAnne Knickerbocker*

January 28, 2023 at 02:06 PM



“ *Kris Brooks lit a candle in memory of MaryAnne Knickerbocker*



Kris Brooks - December 14, 2014 at 09:10 PM



Deanne, Brad, Darlene, Carol, Amy, Ma Knickerbocker and all the rest of MaryAnne's family...my thoughts and prayers are with you. Everytime I saw MaryAnne, she was smiling or laughing, always happy. We shared stories of our Grandbabies who truly were her life. She will be missed by all. If any of you need anything please call me at 315-484-3910.

*Hugs to all,
Kris Brooks*

Kris Brooks - December 14, 2014 at 09:15 PM



“ *Jenn Starkey lit a candle in memory of MaryAnne Knickerbocker*



Jenn Starkey - December 13, 2014 at 09:30 PM



So very sorry for your loss Swenson family.

Jenn Starkey - December 13, 2014 at 09:30 PM



“ *The warmest, kindness,sincere,most loving individual. God bless you my dear friend. Rest in peace. You will forever be in our hearts.*



Lorraine Mott Southworth - December 13, 2014 at 07:13 PM

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“ Dearest Maryanne...seems like yesterday, we were kids playing in our adjoining backyards, eating saltine crackers in your "summer house," and climbing your fruit trees! I will forever cherish our childhood and adulthood memories. The goodness in your great big heart, and your big, beautiful smile will remain with me forever.

Please give "Lucy and Ethel"as you called your mom and my mom, a trillion kisses for me, my friend. God needed you way too soon, to brighten the heavens. We will all miss you always. RIP dear, sweet MaryAnne.
I love you forever!
Carol (your "little Chicker")

Carol Checkosky Balestra - December 13, 2014 at 04:05 PM



“ Let It Snow was purchased for the family of MaryAnne Knickerbocker.



December 13, 2014 at 02:39 PM



“ My Maria...I could write a book on all of our memories. She was a sister to me and I long to hear her voice and see her smile one more time. Mary Anne was the most loving and talented person I have ever known. I will carry her in my heart until we meet again. Give Mildred and my brother Jimmy hugs and kisses from me and watch over all of us. Maria, I love you with my whole heart and don't you forget it..EVER!

Judi Abert - December 13, 2014 at 01:24 PM



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Judi Abert - December 13, 2014 at 01:09 PM



“ *Basket of Joy was purchased for the family of MaryAnne Knickerbocker.*



December 13, 2014 at 12:59 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of MaryAnne Knickerbocker.*



December 13, 2014 at 11:41 AM