



Margaret D. Bodine

May 2, 1979 - March 19, 2020

Margaret D. Bodine (Zavala), age 40, of New Castle, DE, passed away on March 19, 2020. She was a loving mother, daughter, sister, aunt, and friend. Margaret loved her children unconditionally, as well as many other children who entered her life. She was often referred to as “my second mom” by many of the kids she got to know and love. Margaret could usually be found playing manhunt with all the kids in the neighborhood, in the kitchen cooking with her children, or taking spur of the moment trips to the beach with whoever was near her at the time. Margaret will always be remembered for her frank, outspoken communication style, and her funny personality. She was a compassionate and loving person with a heart of gold who would help anyone she could. She was loved by so many, and we know if love alone could have saved her, she would still be with us. Her family asks that when you think of Margaret, celebrate the good memories you have of her, and remember that life is fragile and short and should be lived to the fullest.

Margaret is survived by her beautiful children: Deborah, Harry, Alyssa, Eric, Julian, and Leelan; the father of her children, Eric; her bonus parents, Dale and Dorothy Lowry, sisters: Roxanna, Nina, and Toni (Micah), brothers, Billy and Eddie; as well as aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, and tons of friends. Margaret was preceded in death by her loving mother, Deborah (Debbie) Zavala; grandparents, Bertha and Sam Humphrey; and her nephew, Marcos Christian.

Services and burial are private. To send an online condolence visit, www.stranofeeley.com

Cemetery

Private

Comments



“ Heather Zickgraf lit a candle in memory of Margaret D. Bodine



Heather Zickgraf - March 26 at 04:10 PM



“ I remember every year aunt Margaret used to get me a hamster for my birthday. I moved in with her to do my high school years she always took care of me she used to pull up on me when I was working as a liberty tax sign spinner. She definitely was my mom. I have so many memories we went to the Phillies game

Christopher McGraw - March 25 at 10:06 AM



“ Sorry for your loss. Margaret was a very beautiful woman and a very good friend to have. I can remember as a very little girl she loved to spend time with all that loved her dearly. Rip beautiful lady.

Cheryl Marshall/Ralston - March 24 at 08:11 PM



“ Cheryl Marshall/Ralston lit a candle in memory of Margaret D. Bodine



Cheryl Marshall/Ralston - March 24 at 08:08 PM



“ Such a good person taken so soon, you will be missed by so many. Never forget that personality I met 20 years ago, And the memories we made in that time, you always left the best impression on people. Loving, caring, and Unforgettable. Rest In Peace. My condolences to her children and family.



Woodrow Biddle - March 24 at 08:22 AM



“ So sorry for your loss.

Joyce Greene - March 24 at 02:44 PM



“ Prayers for strength to all of Margaret’s family and lovely children. I was blessed to have known her, and had some great memories on my patio and hanging with my family! Will always remember the good times! Prayers to you Margaret for a peaceful journey home! Big smile’s always... April

april pechickjian - March 23 at 09:15 PM



“ This hurts the world lost a very special woman. My heart is so sad. I will set my mind on all the great times we shared. Her laugh and smile are forever imprinted in my heart.Love you always.

Charlotte Johnson - March 23 at 08:50 PM



“ Douglas Vass lit a candle in memory of Margaret D. Bodine



Douglas Vass - March 23 at 05:35 PM



“ Her smile will be etched on my soul forever. Margaret's children were her pride and joy. Actually all kids were precious to her. Her eyes lit up every time she came by my house and visited with my nephew. My hope is that we all release any guilt or shame from our spirits. Ask yourself, "What would she want for me?" and then try to live that life. I choose to remember her as a free spirit- a beautiful and care-free butterfly! May her true essence shine in each of us as we grieve her passing. Prayers and Peace to anyone that is suffering - especially her family . Love, Aunt Gail

GAIL RONNEBURGER - March 23 at 02:12 PM



“ God please take care of her children and all her loved ones. Margaret had a heart of gold. She was always trying to help someone. She will be missed by so many people. If you knew Margaret you loved Margaret. Rest in Peace beautiful angel. xoxo.

Toni M Butterworth - March 23 at 01:25 PM



“ Donna Sturgill lit a candle in memory of Margaret D. Bodine



Donna Sturgill - March 23 at 12:37 PM