



Karen Marie Herr

April 17, 1965 - August 20, 2020

Karen Marie Herr Age 55

August 20, 2020

Proud Mother of Tara Dye and Ashley Herr and the late Jacob Dye

Dear daughter of Mary Ann and the late Ken Follmer

Loving sister of Kathy (Steve) Waite.

Aunt of Carley and Carson

Former wife of Hugh Dye and loving friend of Tim Andrews

Karen adored her family and creating beautiful memories each and everyday. Her daughters were her world. She loved the outdoors camping, and being by the water. Her kind heart was full of love for others including animals. She loved arts and crafts and giving back to the community. Karen will be missed dearly by all.

Visitation will be at the O'Brien/Sullivan Funeral Home 41555 Grand River Novi Thursday, August 27, 2020 from 3-8pm.

Instate at Holy Family Church 45175 Meadowbrook Novi Friday, August 28, 2020

10:00am until the funeral Liturgy at 10:30. Interment will be at Oakland Hills Cemetery.

Donations can be made to the family

<http://gofundme.com/f/in-memory-of-karen-herr>

Cemetery

Oakland Hills Cemetery

43300 W 12 Mile Rd,
Novi, MI, 48377

Events

AUG **Visitation** 03:00PM - 08:00PM

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O'Brien/Sullivan Funeral Home

41555 Grand River Avenue, Novi, MI, US, 48375

AUG **Liturgy** 10:30AM

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Holy Family Church

24505 Meadowbrook Rd., Novi, MI, US

Comments



“ My condolences to Karen's entire family, Karen and I have been friends for a long time and knowing a lot of the same people but the thing I'll always remember is finding out that you were a cousin of Lori Kinjorski who my mother watched all her children and I thought to myself what a small world. Karen you're going to be missed by all who knew you



Tim Lee - August 26 at 12:44 PM



“ Dear Mary Ann and family....my heart just aches over your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers



Sylvia Kievit-Milan - August 25 at 02:11 PM



“ Karen, I can't even believe you're gone. Seems like yesterday at Grandpa's cottage, you and your girlfriend in one boat and Jill Jacques and I in the other. I'll never forget when you whacked me over the top of the head with the paddle. Every time you and I talked about that story we laughed so hard. That will be missed and most of all, you will be missed. Love Cuz Lynn.

Lynn Redmond - August 24 at 08:41 PM



“ Karen and I have been friends for 41 years!!! We had the best of fun in high school and just hanging out together. We grew together, we were at each other's weddings and through the births of our kids. We lost touch off and on, but NEVER ever forgot to wish each other a Happy Birthday, as mine is on FEB 17 and Karen's on APR 17. Just so happens in the recent year, our oldest girls became friends and I'm so very

thankful that just last year our girls and our moms and Karen and I had a real nice lunch all together. I will cherish that day as that was the last time Karen and I were together. I spoke to her many times within this last year and she never gave up hope on getting better. Even within the last month she said to me, "I just need to get stronger so I can get my damn knee fixed!". She fought the fight until the end. I will miss her so much. She was a really good, kind person. To the entire Follmer family, Maryann, Kathy, Tara, Ashley and all the rest of the family, I'm so very sorry for your loss. The Kovac/Somers families have you in our thoughts and prayers.

karen somers - August 23 at 05:52 PM



“ Karen; it is so sad to think that your gone now!! It's so hard to think this is even true it's hard to believe it's true!! To Karen's family I'm sorry for your loss and I am thankful to have a friend like Ashley, If I could go back I would thank Karen today for the beautiful girls she brought into this world Tara dye and Ashley herr, Karen loved her family and loved her animals! I will never forget all the laughs we had and sitting outside talking!! You will be missed!! Xoxo
REST IN PEACE SWEET ANGEL your family is in my thoughts and prayers,
Ashley and Tara love you very much and they have many loved ones in there life!!
From,Danielle paglia



danielle - August 22 at 10:17 PM



“ My Dear niece Karen, you have had some tough times and struggles in your short life, but kept on fighting. You were a great daughter, mother, sister and niece, cousin and friend to many, Loved by all. May you rest in peace. Love you Karen, you will be missed. Aunt Chris

Christine Hughes - August 25 at 11:07 PM



“ Rest in peace my friend. I love you...you were out favorite babysitter and long time friend... I remember you teaching the kids how to clean up with silly songs that still ring in my head today!!!
Hmmm and that Big Purple DINASAUR! ...Taraaaaa?
We had some giggles, I still laugh about today.
Mostly talking Hughie. Ahaha..
I was blessed to have all of you in my life. And...
Soooo many good times with Tara. (Bubble). Nice and DJ.
She and Ashley are beautiful inside and out like you. Full of character, personality and compassion like you.

...my heart hurts. I'm sorry you had to go.

Don't worry about your girls too much...they have tons of love. . including big sister Nici and big brother DJ (by 20 days) ..(ok Tara ?).

God is good, but this sucks!

Thanks for the memories, Karen. Thank you for sharing Tara all of these years.

I love you!..

Chery Pieske

Chery Pieske - August 22 at 02:49 PM



“ My sincere sorrow during a very difficult time. Here for you Ashley. Hugs and Prayers.
Ms. Koehler

Dee Koehler - August 23 at 10:58 AM



“ Dear Mary Ann and all the Follmer family. I'm so very sorry for your great loss. I will keep you all in my prayers. I know how close the entire family is and all your wonderful memories will keep you closer than ever. All our love, Barbara and Lee Carlesimo

Barbara Carlesimo - August 22 at 02:40 PM