



Mary Hoffman

January 30, 1949 - July 29, 2019

Mary Hoffman, 70, of Kankakee passed away July 29, 2019 at St. Mary's Hospital. She was born January 30, 1949 in Monmouth, IL to Anthony and Eulalia (Cramer) McCann. She married David Hoffman Sr. on May 26, 1990 at St. Teresa's Church, Kankakee, IL.

Mary was a school bus driver for First Student for 38 years. She grew up a fan of the St. Louis Cardinals and continued to be an avid fan throughout her life. She loved all the kids on her bus, country music and her family. Mary was also a member of the Moose Lodge and the American Legion.

She is survived by her husband, David Hoffman Sr. of Kankakee, a daughter and son-in-law, Shelby (Tyler) Meents of Decatur, IL, step children, David Hoffman Jr. (Heidi Schwarz) of Rantoul, IL, Sandra Findlay of Rantoul, IL and Robert (Debbie) Hoffman of New Jersey. Also surviving is a brother and sister-in-law, Joe (Janet) McCann of Oquawka, IL, grandchildren, many nieces and nephews and her beloved Cocker Spaniel, Cindy.

Mary was preceded in death by her parents, 4 brothers, Larry McCann, Fred McCann, Robert McCann and John McCann, 2 sisters, Anna Strange and Lois Foust.

The visitation will be 4-8 pm Friday, August 2, 2019 at Schreffler Funeral Home, Kankakee Chapel. The funeral service will be 10 am, Saturday, August 3, 2019 and burial will follow at the Aroma Park Cemetery. Father John Horan will officiate. Memorials may be made to Family Wishes.

Please sign the online guestbook at www.schrefflerfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Aroma Park Cemetery

Sandbar Road
Aroma Park, IL 60910

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 2. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Schreffler Funeral Home - Kankakee Chapel
1900 W. Court St.
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 932-2421
<https://www.schrefflerfuneralhomes.com/>

Funeral Service

AUG 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

Schreffler Funeral Home - Kankakee Chapel
1900 W. Court St.
Kankakee, IL 60901
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Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Hoffman*

February 03, 2023 at 04:30 AM



“ *Mary was such sweet and giving person and also willing to lend helping hand . I'm going miss your smile Mary and I'm praying for your family.. Love always Tasha Hill and First student family*



Tasha Hill - August 03, 2019 at 10:44 AM



“ *Dave, and family, so sorry to hear of your loss. Prayers for you and yours!*

Hang in there Fred!

Richard Strange and family - August 02, 2019 at 09:37 AM



“ *I drove for first student with Mary she was a wonderful person inside and out she will be greatly missed.*

Anna Arseneau - August 01, 2019 at 09:17 PM

KM

“ *Kimberly Mcgarth lit a candle in memory of Mary Hoffman*



Kimberly Mcgarth - August 01, 2019 at 09:16 PM

RC

“ *Rebecca Cramer lit a candle in memory of Mary Hoffman*



Rebecca Cramer - August 01, 2019 at 07:30 PM

DM

“ *Diane McCann lit a candle in memory of Mary Hoffman*



Diane McCann - August 01, 2019 at 04:47 PM

DM

Mary became my sister in law in 1984 when I married her brother Fred. I got to know Mary and David and David Jr pretty well over the years. After Mary and David got married they would come and spend time with us and with Eulalia, Mary's Mother who lived with us. Then Shelby was born and brought more joy to the family. Praying for all of you during this difficult time. Rest in peace now, Mary and tell Fred hello. Until we meet again.

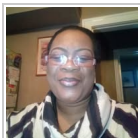
Diane McCann - August 01, 2019 at 04:56 PM

RG

“ *Rita Gravis lit a candle in memory of Mary Hoffman*



Rita Gravis - July 31, 2019 at 11:00 PM



“ *My sincere condolences to the family. Mary truly was a beautiful woman, I was her neighbor many, many years ago when we lived on Osborne, also her co-worker, driving the Ryder School buses. You all are in our thoughts and prayers. May God continue to bless and comfort you as you lay Mary to rest. Pastor Natalie J.*

Natalie Jordon - July 31, 2019 at 05:42 PM

RA

“ *Roberta C Asher lit a candle in memory of Mary Hoffman*

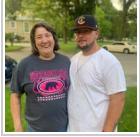


Roberta C Asher - July 31, 2019 at 12:10 PM

RA

I didn't know Mary for very long but we had midday together. She loved her baby's and loved work. She will be missed, she was a good person. My prayers go out to her family and friends.

Roberta C Asher - July 31, 2019 at 12:17 PM



“ *Mary was a wonderful person and such a kind hearted loving person I will miss her dearly! RIH Mary! Love you!* ”

Buddy Koenig - July 31, 2019 at 11:20 AM



“ *I have only known Mary for a short time but she welcomed me into her family with opened arms. She would always remind me not to wear my Cubs shirts when I would visit. You will truly be missed .* ”

Heidi Schwarz - July 31, 2019 at 10:35 AM



“ *I was Mary's bus monitor for the last two years she was with First Student. She loved her job & them baby's. She loved her family dearly she spoke of you all often. She will be so missed.. Fly high my friend..* ”

Lisa Zarate - July 31, 2019 at 09:55 AM



“ *We're going to miss you so much Mary we became a family at First Student bus company. Praying for your family.. Love you always Mary bus #39* ”

Tonya Hill - July 31, 2019 at 09:49 AM



“ *Hugs and prayers to the family and her friends.* ”



Angel - July 31, 2019 at 09:41 AM