



Patricia J. Matyja

June 5, 1947 - September 24, 2015

Patricia Matyja, age 68 of Moundsville, WV passed away Thursday, September 24, 2015 in Liza's Place, Wheeling, WV.

She was born June 5, 1947 in Pittsburgh, PA the daughter of the late Ward R. and Chloe Wright Grant.

She was a retired teacher from Marshall County Schools, after 30 years of service.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Roman Matyja.

Survivors include a daughter, Julie (Mark) Maidens of St. Clairsville, OH, a sister, Judy Becker of Pittsburgh; two granddaughters, Heidi and Jessie Maidens; a niece Amy Ulm Boyle; numerous friends and extended family who will miss her dearly.

There will be no visitation.

Private interment will be held at the convenience of the family.

Arrangements entrusted to Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, Moundsville.

Memorial contributions may be made to Central Elementary School, Attention: Weekend Meal Project, 750 Tomlinson Ave., Moundsville, WV 26041

Cemetery Details

Grisell Crematory

Tribute Wall

JH

“ Janet Hinerman lit a candle in memory of Patricia J. Matyja



Janet Hinerman - September 29, 2015 at 11:50 AM

PO

“ Julie, your mom was a special lady who loved you very much!! She'd always update me on your girls when I would see her out & about!! She was a good neighbor & always ready to help if needed!! David & I know you'll keep all those good memories of your mom in your heart!!

Patty & David Owens - September 28, 2015 at 05:33 PM



Thank you Patty. How is everyone? Tell the girls I said hello.

Julie Maidens - October 03, 2015 at 05:03 AM

KW

“ Without a doubt one of my all-time favorite teachers! I absolutely loved fourth grade because of Mrs. Matyja! She went above and beyond to teach and entertain all of us. We each felt special and loved. My prayers to Julie and the rest of her loved ones. God bless

Katie Williams - September 28, 2015 at 01:16 PM

FL

“ Mrs. Matyja was my 4th Grade teacher at Glen Dale Elementary, but at the time, her name was Mrs. Newman. That was so many years ago. I had just started as a new student at that school as I had just came from a private school and 4th grade was my first experience in the public school system. It was a very difficult transition for me and I felt very alone. She made sure that I was never alone. She was one of only a small handful of teachers who actually tried to make sure I was ok on a daily basis. She went the extra mile with me every single day and she became something of a mentor to me. I was only in Glen Dale Elementary for 4th, 5th, and 6th grade, but she checked on me every day for all three years. I will never forget that. She was a very special lady and she will be very sadly missed. I have never forgotten the kindness she had shown me. God Bless.

Fabrianne White - Lucido - September 27, 2015 at 10:34 PM

MR

“ Julie, so many of us share in the pain of your mom's passing. Pat was always so very gentle and kind, as both an educator and as a person; my children absolutely loved her, and often share memories and antidotes of time in her class at Glen Dale Elementary. May you be comforted by the knowledge that she rests pain-free and is basking in the loving arms of Our Savior.
May God bless all of you with comfort,
Mary Rose Robbins

Mary Rose Robbins - September 27, 2015 at 10:04 AM

BD

“ Julie & Family,

My thoughts and prayers are with you! Your Mom was a wonderful friend and a Master Teacher. She touched many young lives in Marshall Co and will be remembered as the "Teacher who really cared about ME!" She shared so many interesting stories of her life with all of us! She creating a whole new group of memories today to share with you later! Love You, Betty

Betty Duffy - September 27, 2015 at 08:32 AM

MD

“ Dear Ones --

May God's peace and blessings be yours during this most tender season; and, may He give you many lovely memories so that you may always have roses in December.

*Ever hoping . . .
Always in Jesus,*

Maryann (Music Ministry Volunteer)



Maryann Droll - September 26, 2015 at 11:16 AM