



Mary Lee "Sue" O'Brien

October 4, 1955 - August 4, 2018

Mary Lee "Sue" O'Brien, 62 years, of Toledo, Ohio, went home to be with the Lord on Saturday, August 4, 2018 in her home with her loving family at her side.

Born October 4, 1955 in LaSalle, Michigan, Sue was the daughter of the late Dallard and Stella (Standifur) Prater. Sue was a 1973 graduate of Monroe High School and attended Monroe County Community College.

On May 1, 2004 Sue married her beloved husband, Shawn D. O'Brien in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Sue was employed as a medical assistant and office manager for Dr. Chate Wonsom, Dr. Edward Feldman and Dr. James Miller. She was also a wonderful homemaker.

Sue was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. She enjoyed all types of crafts, sewing, cooking, gardening and canning. She was known for making the best jelly. Sue was also a wonderful caregiver to many. Sue had a heart of gold and was very generous and giving. Most of all Sue enjoyed time spent with family.

Sue is survived by her beloved husband of 14 years, Shawn, a loving son and daughter in law; Robert O.B. (Christine) Webb of Shelby Township, MI, a cherished granddaughter; Jessica, and two siblings; Pauline Coss of LaSalle, and Charles Prater of Monroe. In addition to her parents, Sue was preceded in death by eleven siblings; Annie, Viney, Hazel, Louella, Otsie, Grace, Ray, Finley, Eugene, Jerry, and Cal.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday from 1-8 PM in the Bacarella Funeral Home, 1201 S. Telegraph Rd., Monroe, MI, 48161 where a Rosary service will be held at 6:00 PM that evening. On Thursday, August 9, 2018, Mass of the Resurrection celebrating her life will be held at 11:00 AM at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church, 8330 Lewis Avenue, Temperance, MI, 48182. Fr. Sama Muma, will be the celebrant.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are suggested to St. Jude Children's Hospital or VFW Post 1138 in Monroe.

Events

AUG **Visitation** 01:00PM - 08:00PM

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Bacarella Funeral Home, Inc.

Address: 1201 South Telegraph Road, Monroe, MI, US, 48161

AUG **Rosary** 06:00PM

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AUG **Mass of the Resurrection** 11:00AM

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Our Lady of Mount Carmel

8330 Lewis Ave., Temperance, MI, US, 48182

Comments



“ Sorry I didn't know of Sue's passing until today.... My family and I loved Sue/ from day one. she was like family to us. So caring, thoughtful and sweet, no one like her or will ever be. Sue was One of a Kind.... I am very saddened to know she's gone. But knew she had been very ill.. She never shared with me after she left Monroe, just a Christmas Card every year that said she loved me... I would always write her a little letter in her's. She loved her son Bobby like I did my son. We always talked about them. She knew my son from coming to the Dr.s office where she worked. She was very supportive when we lost him. The world has experienced a great loss for sure. Heaven gained a beautiful angel. Sympathy to Bobby, Shawn and the rest of the family. So glad God Blessed her with a grandbaby before she left us...Love & Prayers

Ella/Austin Begley - September 17, 2018 at 03:44 PM



“ Sue was a fixture at my parents' medical practice (Wansom Medical Center) for many years and we recently heard the news that she passed. We send our sincerest condolences to her family, and we have donated to St Jude's Children's Hospital in her memory.

Sue was a very special person and was generous, kind, and loving. She could make anyone smile or laugh after just a short time. Patients loved her and we did too! As I spent many days at the office as a child, Sue would always make me feel welcome and at home and I have fond memories of spending time with her growing up.

Heaven has definitely gained another angel. I know Sue is singing and dancing up there! Rest in peace, Sue.

Tanya Wansom on behalf of the Wansom Family

(Dr. Wansom, Monty Wansom, Tanya and Derrick)

T - August 27, 2018 at 09:48 PM



“ My Mother-in-Law Sue

I've never met anyone that could make an entire room smile, I noticed this after meeting Sue within a short while.

Then in time I realized it wasn't just me who knew how special she was, It was everyone who knew her, even strangers, but mostly those she loves.

The doctors called her a miracle - while we called her an angel. She was a true

friend, aunt, wife and mother -forever faithful.

Six years wasn't long enough to know her,
but right from the beginning our love grew & grew. From the stories I've heard, we
would have been great cooking and shopping buddies, I believe this to be true!

We found joy in other things instead like watching "Parenthood" and on her shoulder
I would lay my head. I hummed silly songs to her and she would guess what they
were and sing, now I will miss her calls and hearing her special ring.

I will miss her voice and how she sang Happy Birthday - every word she word sing!
Always doting over us and asking if we needed anything.

She collected angels and so did I, we truly had so much in common my husbands
mother and I.

The connection she had with her son was a gift they shared with me. Bobby's love
for her - and hers for him was a connection all could see.

When I would say Jessica's name, her face would just light up! Sammy misses her
already, he's been laying with her since he was a pup.

She loved calling me daughter and always told me I smelled good! Her love for me
she always made sure I completely understood.

Little did I know my dream man she would bring into the world. I thanked her for my
Bob all the way until the very end. She would look at me so sweetly - say, "you're
welcome" and squeeze my hand.

Although we will miss Mom Sue and all the joy that she would bring, she is now in
heaven and in our hearts - happy to be resting.

One day we will be together again, and on that day we all will sing. I have no doubt
she's now above with God -and until we meet again...we are all under her angel
wing.

Thank you Sue for all the joy you have brought to my life!

RIP I love you!

Your daughter,

Christine



“ To Sue’s family,
I met Sue through my mom Bonnie who worked with her at Dr. Feldman’s office. She was such a kind and compassionate woman and always had a beautiful smile her face. Prayers for all of you as you celebrate this beautiful life. God bless you.
Sincerely,
Mary Ansel

Mary ansel - August 08, 2018 at 09:32 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mary Lee "Sue" O'Brien.



August 07, 2018 at 06:29 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Lee "Sue" O'Brien.



August 07, 2018 at 03:58 PM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Mary Lee "Sue" O'Brien.



August 07, 2018 at 03:00 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mary Lee "Sue" O'Brien.



August 07, 2018 at 12:03 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Mary Lee "Sue" O'Brien.



August 06, 2018 at 11:55 PM



“ Prayers to all of Sue's family and friends during this difficult time. Sue was a compassionate woman with the hugest heart. Rest peacefully Sue:(

Jennifer StBernard - August 06, 2018 at 09:55 PM



“ Renay Blakesley lit a candle in memory of Mary Lee "Sue" O'Brien



renay blakesley - August 06, 2018 at 08:57 PM



“ My favorite!



Christine Fox - August 06, 2018 at 08:53 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Christine Fox - August 06, 2018 at 06:31 PM



“ Lisa Prater sent a virtual gift in memory of Mary Lee "Sue" O'Brien



Lisa prater - August 06, 2018 at 04:26 PM



“ Love ya , gone but never forgotten rip

Lisa prater - August 06, 2018 at 04:27 PM