



Peggy Howe

October 2, 1959 - June 11, 2014

Peggy Ann Haines Howe, 54, Topeka, passed away Wednesday, June 11, 2014, in the comfort of her home surrounded by her family. The daughter of Roy and Patricia Moore Haines, Peggy was born October 2, 1959, in Topeka. She attended Hayden High School and graduated from Topeka High in 1978. Peggy graduated magna cum laud with a BBA from Washburn University. She was employed by Blue Cross Blue Shield of Kansas, most recently in information systems. On January 17, 1986, Peggy and Larry Howe were married. He survives. Peggy was a member of Mater Dei Parish. She participated in Relay for Life for the American Cancer Society, Meals on Wheels, Junior Achievement and was an alumnus of the Leadership Program through the Greater Topeka Chamber of Commerce. Peggy was a major proponent of alternative treatments, specifically Escozine by Medolife. Other survivors include Peggy's children, Sarah Alejos, Warren Howe and Elizabeth Howe; grandchildren, Isaac, Elijah, Joseph and Ellaine; her mother, Patricia Haines; siblings, Terrie Wedel (Kerry), John Haines (Jean) and Patrick Haines (Kathya); and many loving nieces and nephews. Peggy was preceded in death by her father, Roy, Sr. and brothers, Roy Jr. and Kenny Haines. Peggy will lie in state from 2 to 7 p.m. and family will greet friends from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614, where a parish rosary will be prayed at 7 p.m. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Saturday at Mater Dei Holy Name Church, 1114 SW 10th Street, Topeka KS 66604. Burial will follow at Mount Calvary

Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the funeral home or to the Howe family to help offset expenses.

Tribute Wall



“ *Peggy Howe*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Peggy was such a special person. My thoughts & prayers are with the family.*

Debbie Worland Boos - June 16, 2014 at 03:43 PM



“ *To the Haines and Howe family,*

I knew Peggy when she and I were little when she lived in our neighborhood for a time. She was a good and fun friend way back then and never forgot her even when she moved away. Always wondered what happened to her and the rest of the family.

I want to give you my condolences and pray that you will remember all your best memories of your daughter, sister, mother, wife, and grandmother. She will always be the curly haired girl from my childhood but sure that she was a marvelous friend and family member. Wish I could have seen her grow up along side of the rest of us that were once friends and neighbors.

Karen Cave Alexander

Karen Alexander - June 15, 2014 at 04:29 PM

KE

“ Terrie and family,

I am so sorry to hear of your loss, you are all in my thoughts and prayers

Karen Etzel - June 14, 2014 at 12:35 AM

KB

“ *I am blessed to have been able to call her friend. The world was blessed to have been graced with her bright smile, generous spirit, and enduring love. Rest well my friend it is well deserved. Love and prayers continue for Larry, Sarah, Elizabeth, Warren, and the remainder of her family. She truly was an angel before her time.*

Kelly Browning - June 13, 2014 at 07:41 PM

TG

“ *I met Peggy in 2011 at a cancer support meeting. From that day on she had been a friend, a positive influence in my life and my hero. I know God put her in my life and I'm so thankful for the time I had with her. She taught me to have strength, to enjoy life, to handle the tough times with grace and to rely on God for all things. I will miss her so very much but I'm thankful she is at rest now. My family and I loved her very much. Our prayers go out to her family. Terri, Tim, Tim Jr, & Trey Gates*

Terri Gates - June 13, 2014 at 06:18 PM

DE

“ *I am so saddened to learn of the your loss. Peggy and I worked together at BCBS for many years. My deepest sympathy to the family during this difficult time.*

Debbie (Layden) Escobar - June 13, 2014 at 03:04 PM

MB

“ My deepest condolences to Sarah and the entire family. I know this is a very sad time in your lives, but lean on each other, and take comfort in knowing that Peggy is a far better place now. I am sorry I am not able to come pay my respects in person, but please know you are all in my thoughts.

Michael Brennan - June 13, 2014 at 12:53 PM

LB

“ I admired Peggy for her courage and strength. She gave me hope. My prayers and thoughts are with your family. Lynnette Berg

Lynnette Berg - June 13, 2014 at 12:20 PM

JT

“ Sarah and family,
Your mom was a strong and beautiful woman, called back home by the Lord. She will forever be a part of your life, in your hearts and in spirit, always with you.
You are in our thoughts and prayers. Much love, The Tartaglia's,
Jennifer, Daniel and Joe

Jennifer Tartaglia - June 13, 2014 at 09:50 AM

TH

“ Peggy was a warrior, so brave and inspiring. She was full of love and pride in her family, now an angel and out of pain. We are deeply sorry for your loss.
Tiffany, Paige and Brooke

Tiffany Hall - June 13, 2014 at 09:02 AM

RP

“ I first met Peggy back in the 80's, when Sarah was just a little girl. Although it has been several years since I have seen Peggy in person, I've always considered her to be one of my dearest friends. I caught up with her and her family a couple of years ago and learned of her struggles with cancer. I feel blessed to have reconnected with Peggy even in the midst of her battle. She was such a positive force and enriched the lives of those around her. All my love to the family, and prayers for comfort at this time.

Randy, Belinda, Tegan and Isaac Phillips

Randy Phillips - June 13, 2014 at 08:43 AM

CS

“ Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. This world has lost a beautiful soul.

The Siemers Family. Tom, Cindy, Sarah and Katie

Cindy Siemers - June 12, 2014 at 06:40 PM