



Marlene Matter

July 3, 1936 - March 25, 2013

Marlene J. Matter, 76, of Herndon, passed away on March 25, 2013, peacefully, at the Geisinger Medical Center, Danville, PA. She was born in Hebe, PA on July 3, 1936, a daughter of the late Elva (Weist) Leitzel and the late Warren Leitzel. Marlene was employed as a Secretary for Meckley's Farm Supply, Mandata. She was the wife of Lamar Matter, married for 58 years. She was a member of St Paul's UCC, Urban; Rebecca Idella Lodge, Dornsife; Women's Group at St Paul's UCC. Marlene's joy in life was her family, grandchildren, and baking for her family and others.

Marlene is survived by her loving spouse Lamar Matter, 3 daughters - Tammy and husband Mitch Leiby of Catawissa, Cindy and husband Clint Geist of Leck Kill, Shelly and husband JD Straub of Dalmatia; brother-in-law - Donald Wetzel; sister-in-law - Betty Leitzel; grandson - Nathan Leiby of Catawissa; granddaughter - Allyson Leiby of Catawissa, and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by sister, Irene Bohner, sister, Gladys Maurer, sister, Roxie Wetzel, brother, Ray Leitzel, brother, Leon Leitzel, brother, Glenn Leitzel.

A Visitation will be held Friday, March 29, 2013 10:00 am - 11:00 am at Saint Paul's UCC, Urban. Funeral service will be held on Friday, March 29, 2013 at Saint Paul's UCC with , Rev. Tom Degnitz officiating. Interment will take place in the Saint Paul's Cemetery, Urban.

In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to Geisinger Heart Institute or to Saint Paul's UCC Building Fund.

James A. Reed Funeral Home, Pillow is in charge of the arrangements. To sign the on line guest book visit www.reedfh.com.

Send Flowers & Gifts

Tribute Wall

JG

“ A dear, Christian lady who blessed the lives of those around her. I've been honored to have her as my aunt. I will think of her often. She will be missed.

Jim Gerhard - April 08, 2013 at 11:50 AM

CR

“ Cindy & Family,
Words seem inadequate to express the sadness I feel about your mothers passing. I am here to support you in your grieving process. With sincere sympathy,
Carol Richards

Carol Richards - April 08, 2013 at 11:50 AM

DB

“ David worked with Marlene years ago at Meckleys and we often saw her over the years before we moved back to Nebraska. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time of loss.

David and Tana Brown - April 08, 2013 at 11:50 AM

BL

“ Dearest Lamar and family, I was so saddened to hear of Marlene's passing. She was a very special person who brought a lot of sunshine with her. I think of all of you often and know that you will miss her. Just remember she gave you a treasure chest full of memories and you should visit it often and speak of her often. We never talked about my mother, who passed away in childbirth with me. Therefore I never got to hear all those great stories. Don't make that mistake. I love you all and you will be in my thoughts and prayers. God bless you all. Miss ya! Barb

Barbara Leitzel - April 08, 2013 at 11:50 AM

DH

“ Dear Lamar and Family, So sorry to hear about Marlene's passing. I knew her through High School . She was a great athlete. She and my husband George were good friends. Marlene was always so sweet and kind . Please know I am thinking about you and keeping you in my Prayers! Blessings to you! Donna

Donna Lou Hepler - April 08, 2013 at 11:50 AM

CS

“ Matter Family,
I was deeply saddened hearing of Marlene's passing. She was a friend of my Mother and sister-in-law to my neighbor JoAnn. I always enjoyed being in her company as she was a great lady. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

Candy Schade - March 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ Our deepest sympathy to all of Marlene's family. She was a great lady.
Marvin and Ruth Long Harrisburg

Marvin and Ruth Long - March 29, 2013 at 09:06 AM

KK

“ Tammy, my deepest sympathy to you and your entire family on your Mom's passing.

Kathy Koval - March 29, 2013 at 09:06 AM

LK

“ My sincere condolences to the family

Luke Kauffman - March 29, 2013 at 09:06 AM

TW

“ *Shelly and JD,
You are in our thoughts and prayers. I cherish our childhood
memories with your family.
Jill and Tom*

Tom and Jill (Witmer) Webber - March 29, 2013 at 09:06 AM

DT

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you--will miss a favorite aunt. Will
see you Friday. My love to all Hugs Dolores and Lorenzo*

Dolores Tironi - March 29, 2013 at 09:06 AM