



Malva K. Flowers

November 23, 1955 - June 26, 2024

Malva K. Flowers, 68, of Elizabethtown, passed away on Wednesday, June 26, 2024 at Hospice and Community Care, Mount Joy. Born in Mount Joy, she was the daughter of the late Melvin C. and Malva I. (Funk) Flowers. She was the companion of Paul Hoffman for 50 years.

Malva was a graduate of Donegal High School class of 1974. She retired from M&M Mars as a packer. Malva enjoyed trips to the casino, horses and spending time with her family, especially her nieces and nephews.

Surviving in addition to her companion, Paul are four brothers, Kenneth Funk, husband of Connie of Wrightsville, Stanley Flowers, husband of Loretta of Mount Joy, Jere Flowers, husband of Linda of Mount Joy, and Norman Flowers, husband of Linda of Glen Rock; and three sisters, Karen Schickel, wife of Tim of Newmanstown, Margaret Ritzel, wife of David of Elizabethtown, and Linda Fready of Elizabethtown; and many nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews.

A funeral service honoring Malva's life will be held at the Sheetz Funeral Home, Inc., 16 East Main Street, Mount Joy, PA 17552 on Sunday, June 30, 2024 at 11 AM. Family and friends will be received at the funeral home before the service from 10 AM to 11 AM. Interment will follow at Mount Joy Cemetery.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **30**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Sheetz Funeral Home
16 East Main Street
Mount Joy, PA

Funeral Service

JUN **30**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

BH

“ I met Malva at Mars and we worked together everyday for several years. She called herself “my work mom”. We learned so much about each other over the years that she felt like family. We went through a lot together. She was always there anytime I needed her, and even came to my wedding even though she was so unsure she wanted to because she didn't like dressing up and hated the heat. Lol. I can't believe she's gone. You will be missed my many! Thanks for all the fun memories. I will forever hold them in my heart. Thinking of Pete and the rest of her family. □



Brittany Herr - June 30, 2024 at 12:34 PM

SL

“ I met Malva working at Mars. She was a very kind person to chat with. She worked closely with my daughter making American heritage chocolate for many years. My deepest condolences go out to the family. May all of the memories you have of her help heal the pain and sorrow you are going through.
Sincere Sympathy
Shirl Lease



Shirl Lease - June 30, 2024 at 12:33 PM

RM

“ Norman and Flowers Family, I am sorry for your loss. Rosemary Crouse Mohn

Rosemary Mohn - June 29, 2024 at 05:18 PM

DE

“ I met Malva in 1989 at Mars. We instantly became friends with lots in common. Whether it was traveling or just doing something local we always had a rememberable experience to talk and laugh about. You will be missed my friend..Rest in peace.

Dee Emenheiser - June 29, 2024 at 09:16 AM

IT

“ I worked at Mars with Malva for many years. She could spin a wrench to keep wrapping machines running but also had that shoulder to support someone in time of need. A life gone to soon. Condolences to her family

Ilene Cooper Teijaro - June 29, 2024 at 07:59 AM

SY

“ I have many memories of Malva from working with her at Mars, horses, and traveling to Ireland together. We always had a good time together. May you rest in peace, my friend.

Shari Young - June 28, 2024 at 09:29 PM

MT

“ I love you cousin

Michael Tanis - June 28, 2024 at 04:06 PM

TA

“ I met Malva when I was 17 through horses. She was a great person and had a great sense of humor. Prayers for the family.

Trudy Achenbach - June 28, 2024 at 09:43 AM

AW

“ I have too many memories of Aunt Malva to even pick one to share. Just know that I love her and miss her so much. Life won't be the same without her.



April Wohlfeil - June 28, 2024 at 05:42 AM

CG

“ I met Malva at M&M Mars 1986 when we worked on the Kudos line and "fell in love with her" at the get go! She took me under her wing and along with her wisdom and compassion, by George ...I got the hang of it! She invited me on many trips with her friends. I wish I had said "yes" to more of them. She loved to travel. One trip I will never, ever forget was when we flew out West to a dude ranch and herded cattle! What an experience! I have been Blessed being a friend of Malva's!

Christine gebhart - June 27, 2024 at 06:54 PM

LB

“ I remember Malva went with us and our son, who was 5 at the time, 46 years ago, on a drive out west. We saw all kinds of things and places. One in particular was an Indian settlement that a man and his wife were doing the archeological dig. It layed behind the small area of Cliff, New Mexico. We found out about a way over the mountains to Arizona. We saw a long-horned steer just wandering. And Malva enjoyed every minute of it. Not the heat! I won't forget her lovely face or sweet smile. She was so good to Aunt Loretta. I will miss her so very much.

Linda Bartles - June 27, 2024 at 05:38 PM