



Mrs. Theresa "TJ" Murray

March 13, 1958 - September 17, 2018

Theresa "TJ" Murray, 60, of East Peoria, died at 11:24 PM on September 17, 2018 at UnityPoint Methodist in Peoria. She was born on March 13, 1958 to William and Esther (Williams) Cooley in Peoria. She married Bob Murray on June 21, 1997. He survives. Theresa is also survived by 1 daughter Sarah N. Murray of East Peoria; 2 sisters Mary (Dale) Craft of Prairie City and Debbie (Gerald) Manuel of East Peoria; and 1 brother Steve Cooley of Lewistown. She was preceded in death by her parents and 1 sister Shirley Wasson. Theresa worked at Jefferson Clinic for Dr. Brian Cohen for over 20 years. In 2012 she received Most Valuable Employee. Visitation for Theresa will be Thursday, September 20 from 5 – 7 PM at Gary Deiters Funeral Home. Service will be Friday, September 21 at 10 AM at the funeral home. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Cemetery. Pastor Gerald Manuel will officiate. Memorials may be made to Illinois Cancer Care.

Cemetery Details

Oak Grove Evangelical Bible Church Cemetery

3221 Springfield Road
East Peoria, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 20. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services
444 E. Washington Street
East Peoria, IL 61611
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Service

SEP 21. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Theresa "TJ" Murray*

October 08, 2023 at 04:50 PM



“ *For Theresa's husband. daughter, Dr. Cohen & friends, We were shocked & so saddened to hear yesterday, Theresa entered the kingdom of Heaven. There is a void left in this world. We will miss her positive attitude & smile as she greeted all. She was a warrior & a beautiful woman who will be missed the rest of our days! May God envelope you each, throughout this difficult time, & comfort you as only He can. Heaven gained another Angel too soon. Rip dear friend. Love & prayers Mike & Sue Noel.*

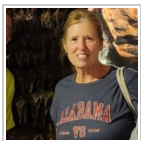


Mike & Sue Noel - September 25, 2018 at 08:45 AM



“ *Bob my sincere condolences to you and your family.---* Rich Gilmore

Richard Gilmore - September 20, 2018 at 06:49 PM



“ *Bob, I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. You and your family are in my prayers.*
Jill Starling

Jill Starling - September 20, 2018 at 10:32 AM



“ 25 files added to the album Life Tributes



Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services - September 19, 2018 at 08:16 PM



“ *Rest in peace aunt Theresa!!! Over the years we stopped being so close. But I remember when I was younger I always wanted to be with You! When we permed my hair and messed it up so horribly but laughed! Although it's been awhile since I've seen you and I have many regrets about that, you will be truly missed.* 🙏🙏

Andy N Price - September 19, 2018 at 08:01 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs. Theresa "TJ" Murray.*



September 19, 2018 at 06:48 PM

CA

“ Dr. Cohen, Staff, and family, so sorry for the loss of Theresa. She was always so kind, sweet, and helpful. She will be greatly missed. R.I.P.
Connie Aiello

Connie Aiello - September 19, 2018 at 04:48 PM

WR

“ We are so sorry for your loss~Rick and Robin purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Mrs. Theresa "TJ" Murray.



We are so sorry for your loss~Rick and Robin - September 19, 2018 at 04:44 PM

BC

“ Brian & Kelly Cohen purchased the Heavenly Heights Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Theresa "TJ" Murray.



Brian & Kelly Cohen - September 19, 2018 at 02:15 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Theresa "TJ" Murray.



September 19, 2018 at 10:32 AM

MM

“ *Mary Manley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Theresa "TJ" Murray*



Mary Manley - September 19, 2018 at 09:33 AM

MM

Theresa was a true fighter. She fought a hard battle for many years. She will be greatly missed and we will cherish our memories with her. Prayers for you and Sarah in this time.

Mary Manley - September 19, 2018 at 09:36 AM

RP

“ *Ron and Joan Potts purchased the Serene Retre at for the family of Mrs. Theresa "TJ" Murray.*



Ron and Joan Potts - September 19, 2018 at 06:22 AM

BW

“ *BOB SO VERY SORRY TO HEAR THIS SAD NEWS ABOUT YOUR BEAUTIFUL WIFE MAY GOD BE WITH YOU AN YOUR DAUGHTER AN FAMILY YOUR FRIENDS LARRY AN BECKY WRIGHT*

Becky Wright - September 19, 2018 at 12:51 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mrs. Theresa "TJ" Murray.*



September 18, 2018 at 06:25 PM