



Eileen E. Iovine

October 25, 1942 - November 3, 2017

Eileen E. Iovine, 75, of Bonita Springs, FL, passed away on Friday, November 3, 2017. Formerly of Sarasota, FL, she had been a resident of Southwest Florida since 1994. She was born October 25, 1942 in New Haven, CT, the daughter of John and Elizabeth (née Hammond) McKeon.

She was the Executive Assistant to Patrick Ciniello at Bowling Management Associates (BMA) in Fort Myers for 28 years and before that she was an Executive Assistant at Tropicana to VP of Transportation. She was a member of C3 Church, had been a Deacon and was a member of the choir.

Mrs. Iovine is survived by her sisters, Betty-Jo McKeon of Sarasota, FL and Kathie Mackay of Bradenton, FL; her daughter-in-law, Marti Iovine; her grandchildren, Elizabeth, Amanda and Anthony; two great grandchildren; and two dear friends, Sandra Kunkle and Marilyn Hayes.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her beloved husband, Dominic Iovine in 1993; and by her son, Shawn Iovine in 2015.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, November 18, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. at Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home, 28300 Tamiami Trail South, Bonita Springs with a Celebration of Life to follow at HeadPinz 14513 Global Pkwy, Fort Myers, FL immediately after the memorial service.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that memorial contributions be made to The American Cancer Society or Joanne's House at Hope Hospice.

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

NOV 18. 2:00 PM (ET)

Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home
28300 Tamiami Trail So.
Bonita Springs, FL 34134
(239) 992-4982
bonitafhbill@comcast.net

Celebration of Life

NOV 18. 3:00 PM (ET)

HeadPinz
14513 Global Parkway
Ft. Myers, FL

Tribute Wall



“ *Eileen E. Iovine*

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *Eileen, a dear person! Pat's "gatekeeper". When she married Abby & me, and I forgot rings! She gave hers for Abby to borrow! All our love old friend: Abby & Dason*

Dason Slack - December 13, 2017 at 05:53 PM



“ *I met Eileen when I first visited Sandra Kunkle in Florida. I saw her again when she and Sandy came to Amarillo, where I had just moved, to see the American Quarter Horse Museum. Eileen was in her element as we toured the facility. I know you will miss her and my impression of her for our short visits was that she was a great person with a great deal of empathy and kindly friendship for all she met and knew.*

Bess Fickel - November 23, 2017 at 12:46 PM



“ *Betty-Jo McKeon purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Eileen E. Iovine.*



Betty-Jo McKeon - November 15, 2017 at 04:22 PM

PC

“ *First, our deepest condolences to Eileen's family & dear friends. We are very heartbroken to lose Eileen after her very long struggle. She was an incredibly strong person and fought the hardest fight of her life. Now she is at peace and we know in a better place. She worked along side of us in BMA and Qubica and was an integral part of our organization. Eileen also assisted Pat with industry organizations including MUBIG, BPAA & Bowling Museum and Hall of Fame. In addition to all of her dedicated hard work within our company, Eileen was also a very dear friend and we always considered her part of our personal family. We will miss her beyond what any words can describe. We love you Eileen and know you're in a better place and know in our hearts we will meet again. Rest In Peace.*

Pat & Lisa Ciniello & Family

Pat & Lisa Ciniello - November 09, 2017 at 07:16 PM

BW

Eileen was one of the strongest women I have ever known. Her love for life was in her determination to fight and to live as long as God would allow

She fought for seven long years, and in that time she had unbearable heartaches , but she had her friend Sandy and her sisters who stood by her through the worse of times

We know where Eileen is today, with her beloved son, husband and her parents I will miss and love you til we meet again.

Betty & Bill Wilson

betty wilson - November 22, 2017 at 12:03 PM

BR

“ Eileen was a dear friend who fought a hard, long battle with cancer but now, she can rest in peace. She was a faithful member of Community Congregational Church and loved singing in our Choir. When ever someone wanted something, Eileen would be the "to go to person". She helped a lot of people by bringing God to them. She never lost her faith. She will be missed by many. Blessings and peace to her family and her dear friend, "Sandy".

Betty Riddle - November 08, 2017 at 06:51 PM

HC

“ As a friend and business associate of Pat and Lisa Ciniello, I had the pleasure of meeting Eileen in those early days when she became Pat's executive secretary. Being a current resident of Connecticut, where Eileen also resided, we often shared stories about the state. Those days, when visiting Pat in his office, it was Eileen who was always there to greet us with an engaging smile and a warm hug. Unable at times to immediately grasp Pat and Lisa's vision of the future, it was Eileen who would patiently detail the finer points of some of those meetings. She went beyond what would be her normal role, and became a dear friend. It was she whom I would chose to speak to when Pat was not available. Eileen was and will always be remembered as a dear friend and a gracious lady. She will be missed by all of us who were fortunate to know her. Rest In Peace, Eileen.

With love, Hank and Clara Cattaneo

Henry Cattaneo - November 08, 2017 at 03:07 PM

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“ EILEEN WAS A FAITHFUL MEMBER OF COMMUNITY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH AND WAS A LOYAL FRIEND . WILL BE MISSED! SEE YOU IN HEAVEN!



CHARLES LEWIS - November 08, 2017 at 01:21 PM

BR

EILEEN WAS ONE OF A KIND . SHE HAD A HEARTOF GOLD AND WAS ALWAYS READY TO HELP ANYONE WHO NEEDED SOMETHING. SHE WAS A VERY DEDICATED MEMBER OF COMMUNITY CONGREGATION CHURCH AND LOVED SINGING IN THE CHOIR. SHE FOUGHT THE BATTLE OF CANCER FOR A LONG TIME AND CAN NOW REST IN PEACE. IT WAS AN HONOR KNOWING HER AND SHE WILL BE MISSED!!

Betty Riddle - November 08, 2017 at 05:12 PM

JB

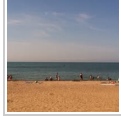
Dear Eileen - your passing has left me sad yet I know your faith and that you are happy and content serving others from Heaven and your strength will remain always with Bob and I. Sandy may God be with you and others sharing in this loss but your particular care and devotion to Eileen was noted by all.
We miss our church family as well. Blessings!

June and Bob - November 09, 2017 at 05:31 PM

TF

Great aunt Eileen gave my first child a gift at birth of a soft cloth book of the thank you prayer. Now both of my young sons and my wife still say it every night before bed, and I remember Eileen every time. It's funny how God works. I was privileged to know her for just a few years, but she left a lasting message to my family. We will always remember her sweet nature and overwhelming kindness. Rest now sweet angel. And thank you!

The komor family - November 09, 2017 at 09:38 PM



to Eileen's family and the group at group at BMA/Qubica usa sorry to hear Eileen passed away. she was always so nice to me when I worked there.

Michele Kelly

Michele Kelly - November 11, 2017 at 03:15 PM



We will always remember Eileen's Godly spirit and positive attitude.

Suzanne and Bill

Bill Whitney - November 12, 2017 at 08:21 AM



I was Bless to be a caregiver for Eileen and felt like we had been friends forever. Love until we meet again my friend.

Patricia Rackliff - November 13, 2017 at 04:53 PM