



Mary Carol O'Donnell

April 1, 1946 - May 18, 2015

Mary Carol "Mom Riggs" O'Donnell of Waldorf, Maryland, died on Monday, May 18, 2015 at her home. She was 69 years old.

Born on April 1, 1946 in Washington, DC, she was the daughter of the late Mary "Babe" Sullivan Wheeler and the late Louis Cooke. Mrs. O'Donnell was a job coach for Melwood. She enjoyed playing Bingo, gambling, cooking and being with her family.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. O'Donnell was preceded in death by her husband, James Alton O'Donnell; her sons Theodore James Riggs and John Preston Riggs; her sisters Margie and Joanne; her brothers Billy Cooke and Louis Cooke.

She is survived by her daughter Debra A. Hammonds; sons Robert Riggs and his wife Marian, Gene Jordan; sister Eileen Fisher; daughter-in-law Connie Riggs; grandchildren Jacqui, Theodore Jr., Mattie, Jennifer, Robbie, Crystal, Dylan and Lisa; five great grandchildren.

Visitation on Wednesday, May 27, 2015 from 11AM until time of service at 2PM at the Raymond Funeral Service, P.A. 5635 Washington Avenue La Plata, MD 20646. A private interment will take place at a later date at Cedar

Hill Cemetery in Suitland, MD.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Accokeek Volunteer Fire Department P.O. Box 226, Accokeek, MD 20607.

Previous Events

Visitation

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Carol O'Donnell*

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ *Mary Carol O'Donnell*

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ *Once again Sissy had two stepsons that thought a lot of her. Left out of the obituary, her husband James was my dad. She was always good to me, my brother also. She could crack my ol man up! They'd go back and forth making each other laugh, he was lucky to have her as his health failed. I'll never forget you Sissy. Love Danny and Michael O'Donnell*

Danny O'Donnell - January 02, 2019 at 11:10 PM



“ *Mom, you was the best mother anyone could ever have. you was my best friend and my father and my mother all rolled up in one. You are irreplaceable. I love and miss you so much my heart is broken in a million piece and I don't know how to go on with life without you but I will stand strong for the rest of my family and try to take of the rest of the family like you did. I miss calling you ever morning and ever night. I cant think of a better person on this earth to call mother. I will see you again please take care of grandma, teddy, jack, billy, bubba, Margie and give them all my love. Love Always Your Son Bobby*

Bobby Riggs - May 30, 2015 at 01:15 PM

DO

RIP Bobby, always liked you and P.

Danny O'Donnell - January 02, 2019 at 11:11 PM

YJ

“*Mary, you are one of a kind, I will miss your smile and laughter and just the crazy little words that came out of your mouth when I used to see you at the Bingo halls. Such a sweet person, Rest in Peace. To the family, I'm sorry about your loss, my prayers are with you.*

Yvonne Jenkins

Yvonne Jenkins - May 26, 2015 at 12:20 PM

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“*Mary Mary, you were my sister, my best friend and my all around confidante. You would lift me up when I was down, and always kept me laughing until I was in tears. I will truly miss you my friend, and I'll always love you and keep you in my heart where you truly belong. Rest in peace Dear One, until we definitely meet again. Missing you so much, Millie*

Mildred Johnson (Millie) - May 26, 2015 at 10:16 AM

BH

“*Mary, you were definitely one of a kind. Always a story to keep us laughing and up-beat. You can now continue your journey of laughter and love with your sons in heaven. Love and miss you girl. May you Rest In Peace.*

Brenda Hayden - May 26, 2015 at 04:26 AM

MS

“ Mary you will be missed by so many. I will miss the Laughs, Stories you told, and going Gambling. Many you Rest In Peace with your Sons. To the Family I'm so sorry for your Loss. Mary was one of a kind, Loving and Caring Mother and Grandmother and Great Grandmother. Until we meet again Mary.



Marilyn Silbaugh - May 25, 2015 at 10:01 AM

MN

“ We are at loss for adequate words to express our sadness for the family. We had the blessed opportunity of knowing your mom as neighbors and we know heaven has received one of the most special angels. Sis was such an amazing person and she will truly be missed. When your mom moved from the neighborhood, Milton and I lost a good neighbor. May the love of God enfold each of you during your journey through grief.



Milton and Ann Newman - May 22, 2015 at 07:39 PM

DH

“ mom Im griveing so much missing you but I feel comfort knowing that You are there with Teddy and Jack and that we have another angel watching over us. I love you so much Debbie,



Debbie Hammond - May 22, 2015 at 12:47 PM

CR

“ *Mary I miss you so much we had so much fun together you was my mother in law and my bestfriend heaven just got a super angle. I love you Connie*



CONNIE RIGGS - May 22, 2015 at 12:31 PM

 Marian Reardon

“ *She was one of few that make work fun, beautiful heart, infections laugh she will be missed...*

Marian

Marian Reardon - May 22, 2015 at 10:33 AM