



Margo Elaine Locke

March 18, 1950 - December 10, 2024

Margo Elaine Locke, 74, of Kankakee, peacefully passed away on Tuesday, December 10, 2024, at her home with her son, Casey, by her side.

Margo was born on March 18, 1950, in Iroquois, Illinois, the daughter of Orval and Marie (O'Hare) Easter. She married Steven Locke in October of 1973 in Bradley, Illinois. She retired from Walmart as a sales associate. Margo enjoyed cooking with her grandkids, painting, gardening, and visiting her family in Ireland.

Margo is survived by her husband, Steven Locke; a son and daughter-in-law, Casey and Katie Locke; 3 grandchildren, Ayden Locke, Charley Johnson, and Libby Johnson.

She is preceded in death by her parents and brother, Don Wolford.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date.

Tribute Wall



“ *Dottie Waldron lit a candle in memory of Margo Elaine Locke*



Dottie Waldron - December 19, 2024 at 09:26 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Margo Elaine Locke.*



December 14, 2024 at 12:12 PM

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“ I have known Margo since I was 6 yrs old. She was my best friend all through school and till the day she passed. Many times, I spent the night at her home with her little dog Tammy and her mom and dad. Her mom would always make us special tea and toast in the morning. One summer when we were about twelve, she came to my parent's resort in Wisconsin and got so sunburnt that when she took a shower her back became completely covered with blisters. I remember telling her it did not look bad at all. It was not until later that we discovered we were also cousins through my great great grandfather who was an Easter. Then we not only best friends, but we were family. Margo was in my wedding when I got married in 1969. She looked beautiful, but then she always did.

I live in a small town in Idaho, so I did not see Margo very often. The last time was about two years ago when my sister-in-law took a trip just to see her. We had a wonderful time reminiscing about old times. We also talked about taking a trip to Ireland, what a trip that would have been! Even though Margo and I did not see each other, we did have long talks on the phone at times. My one regret is that I wish could talk to her one more time to tell her how much I loved her.

Margo was the purest soul I ever knew. She did not judge anyone, had an amazing way of viewing the world, and had many hardships, but always took everything with an optimistic attitude. She was extremely proud of her son Casey and spoke of him often. I know he and her grandson Ayden were a great comfort to her these last few years.

I will miss Margo every day and really hope to have a sign from her sometime soon. If anyone can reach across from the other side, it will be her. Goodbye my friend, I will always love you.

Sharon McKee

Sharon McKee - December 14, 2024 at 11:21 AM

