



Kathleen Dwyer Roehm

December 30, 1959 - September 24, 2021

Kathleen Dwyer Roehm, 61, wife of Ryan Roehm passed away on Friday, September 24, 2021, in Wauchula, FL. Kathleen was born in Boston, MA on December 30, 1959, the daughter of Peter and Ellen (Millett) Dwyer. Kathleen spent most of her childhood in Belmont, MA. Her family moved to Haines City, FL in 1974.

Kathleen graduated from Haines City High School in 1978, after living in Polk and Hillsborough County, moved to Wauchula with her husband in 1987. She was an active member of Peace Valley Lutheran Church in Wauchula, FL. She was a full-time mom for many years and later obtained a Bachelor of Arts and a Master of Business Administration from Warner College. Kathleen would work many jobs throughout the years, but her greatest priority was a flexible job that would allow her to put her family first. Her last position was a grant writer at Peace River Center.

Kathleen dedicated her life to serving others. She was often mistaken for a teacher because she was always volunteering in the schools of Hardee County. Kathleen served on many boards and was always involved in fundraising or community service projects, some of them include – a mentor for Take Stock in Children, Early Learning Coalition, RCMA, Habitat for Humanity, Lions Clubs of Wauchula, Hardee Swim, and every volunteer or fundraising event she could for her children at their schools. She was passionate about education – from early childhood education to upper-level education. Kathleen often advised people, “It was never too late to follow your

dreams.” When Kathleen wasn’t volunteering, she enjoyed reading, sewing, walking, traveling, camping, and canoeing. Although she didn’t want to be asked what was for dinner, she was an amazing cook.

Kathleen was a loving, devoted wife for 34 years to Ryan and the incredible mother to Jodi Oakes, Ryan (Stephanie) Roehm, Kirsti Roehm, and Korin Roehm. She was a grandmother, known as “Bella,” to Colen, Carter, Justin, Carlie, and Ryan III. She was a sister to Kevin, Ken, Peter, Charles, and Elizabeth. She was a sister-in-law, aunt, and friend to many.

Kathleen was preceded in death by her parents, Peter and Ellen Dwyer.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to be given to Peace River Center, or to donate to a school or teacher that you love. But more than anything, Kathleen would want everyone to volunteer their time to a meaningful cause.

Visitation will be at Robarts Funeral Home, Friday, October 1 from 6-8 pm. A private funeral will follow.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 1. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Robarts Garden Chapel
529 West Main Street
Wauchula, FL 33873
(863) 773-9773
robartsfuneralhome@gmail.com
<http://www.robartsfuneralhome.com>

Tribute Wall

JS

“ I remember when the Dwyer's came to Haines City. Kathy was a few years younger than I. Such and untimely death. What a beautiful and sweet girl she was. I am sorry to hear of her passing. But I know that she is in a better place. I also just learned of her passing and I so sorry for that. My parents knew the family as well. What a wonderful family they were and are. My heart goes out to all her loved ones and may you always hold her close in your hearts. Her memory will never die. She had such an infectious smile and was always happy!. I always remembered that about her. She had one of the sweetest personalities a heart full of love..... I pray for peace for all. God bless you and keep you in his care. With heartfelt sympathy, Love
Jane Stalnaker

Jane Stalnaker - December 12, 2021 at 02:29 AM



“ Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



October 01, 2021 at 05:25 PM



“ Multi-Color Standing Sympathy Wreath was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



October 01, 2021 at 12:43 PM

BE

“ Kathleen, you brightened my life when you entered. I will always cherish the fond memories of living with you and Jodi. I love you and will miss your smile and kind heart. Love you, Betsy



Betsy - October 01, 2021 at 09:03 AM



“ Cherished Memories - Multicolor Pastel was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



October 01, 2021 at 08:34 AM

JT

“ Joe Vickers Ryder Truck purchased the Multicolor Bright Sympathy Floor Basket for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



Joe Vickers Ryder Truck - September 30, 2021 at 03:52 PM



“ Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



September 30, 2021 at 08:35 AM

MS

“ She took the picture of my husband and I for the church photo book. We used that picture at our church here in Danville il. I watch the church service down there on Sundays. Gods blessing to her family



Margie Souza - September 29, 2021 at 10:51 PM



“ White Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



September 29, 2021 at 06:47 PM

KD

“ Kathleen, I am so fortunate to have known her, what a wonderful person she was. She was always a positive, happy, caring, and loving person, our lives will not be the same without her, but know she is at rest with our Heavenly Father.



Karen Denburger - September 29, 2021 at 03:44 PM



“ White Sympathy Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



September 29, 2021 at 01:52 PM

SD

“ Shirley deHart purchased the Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



Shirley deHart - September 29, 2021 at 11:41 AM

GD

“ Ginny Voyles(Beth's mom) & Bob Duncan purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



Ginny Voyles(Beth's mom) & Bob Duncan - September 29, 2021 at 10:34 AM



“ Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



September 29, 2021 at 10:15 AM



“ Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



September 29, 2021 at 10:12 AM



“ *Healing Tears - All White* was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



September 29, 2021 at 09:11 AM



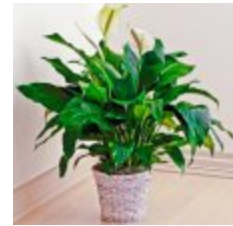
“ *Ryder Winter Haven* purchased the *Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray* for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



Ryder Winter Haven - September 29, 2021 at 08:36 AM



“ *Your OSU Optometry Class of 2017 Family* purchased the *Floor Plant* for Sympathy for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



Your OSU Optometry Class of 2017 Family - September 28, 2021 at 09:56 PM



“ *Cherished Memories - All White* was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



September 28, 2021 at 09:52 PM



“ *Shades of Purple was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.*



September 28, 2021 at 08:07 PM



“ *From your friends and coworkers at AECOM purchased the White Sympathy Baskets for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.*



From your friends and coworkers at AECOM - September 28, 2021 at 06:13 PM



“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.*



September 28, 2021 at 05:52 PM



“ I had the honor and pleasure to work with Kathleen and to become to know her as a friend. Her energy and unfaltering belief in the human race is something to aspire to. Kathleen was always there with a smile, encouraging words and solution suggestions. I feel that I was truly blessed to have been able to meet her in my life journey and to call her a friend.

My thoughts and prayers are with you, Roehm family as you learn to adjust and move forward without Kathleen, such a big presence in all those who lives she touched.

Jeanna Cox

Jeanna Cox - September 28, 2021 at 04:25 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.*



September 28, 2021 at 04:12 PM



“ *Allan & Gale Reeves purchased the Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.*



Allan & Gale Reeves - September 28, 2021 at 03:26 PM



“ *Love's Embrace Roses – White* was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



September 28, 2021 at 03:25 PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy* was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



September 28, 2021 at 01:57 PM



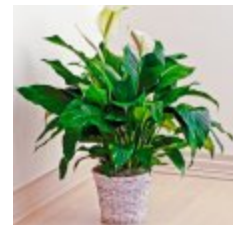
“ *Roger and Ellen Thornton purchased the Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White* for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



Roger and Ellen Thornton - September 28, 2021 at 01:54 PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy* was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



September 28, 2021 at 12:52 PM



“ *Healing Tears - All White* was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



September 28, 2021 at 12:47 PM



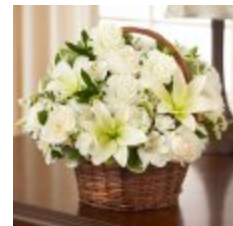
“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket* was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



September 28, 2021 at 12:28 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All White* was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



September 28, 2021 at 12:18 PM



“ *Cherished Memories - All White* was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



September 28, 2021 at 12:15 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Leslie Long - September 28, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



September 28, 2021 at 11:16 AM



“ Love, Mark Marlene & Bridget Saviola purchased the Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White for the family of Kathleen Dwyer Roehm.



Love, Mark Marlene & Bridget Saviola - September 27, 2021 at 08:03 PM