



Mary Margaret Skender

March 8, 1952 - April 5, 2020

Mary Margaret Skender, age 68, of Zanesville, died 5:46 AM, Sunday, April 5, 2020, at Lafayette Meadows in West Lafayette, OH.

She was born Saturday, March 8, 1952 in Columbus, OH, the daughter of Sylvester A. Skender and Mary E. (Rutherford) Skender.

She was a member of St. Nicholas Catholic Church. Mary was the 1957 Easterseals Child for Muskingum County. She enjoyed Elvis and loved men with mustaches and uniforms.

She is survived by her brother: James (Kathie) Skender of Zanesville, Nieces and Nephews: Amanda (Andrew) Patterson of Chesapeake, VA, Nichole (Chad) Fracker of Roseville, Ronald Taylor of Zanesville; several great nieces and great nephews and special friend Keith Doran.

The family would like to give a special thanks to Staff of Lafayette Meadows and Community Hospice for their loving care.

Please take time and listen to an Elvis song in Mary's memory and stay kind, stay strong, stay home and stay safe.

A private family service will be held with Fr. Martin Ralko officiating. Burial will conclude in the Mt Olive Cemetery.

To sign the online register book or to send a personal condolence note please visit www.hilliscombsnestor.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Margaret Skender*

October 06, 2023 at 04:22 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of the passing of Mary. 😞 She would always greet us with a beautiful smile when we would come to pick up our daughter, Wendi. She will be missed. Sympathy and prayers for her family and her Lafayette Meadows family. 💕🙏 Sincerely, Tina and Sam Gillespie*

Tina Gillespie - June 19, 2020 at 05:48 PM



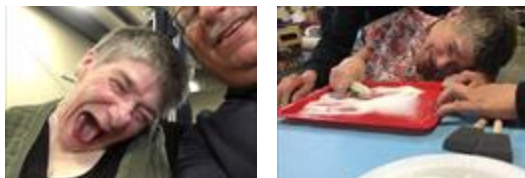
“ *I am so blessed to have gotten to share this moment with you. Your smile lit up Graceland and melted hearts. I know you are with the king now smiling bright as ever.*



Megan Sampsel - April 12, 2020 at 10:24 AM



“ *2 files added to the album Memories Album*



Keith Doren - April 10, 2020 at 09:54 AM



Mary-

You will be missed so much. I enjoyed working with you and your roommates while I was there to take care of you all. I miss you yelling at me sometimes. Haha. You were also very helpful when you saw someone else needed help, you let staff know. I'm so sad hearing you went home. Now you won't suffer. I'm sure you will meet other great friends. Love you dear friend, mary.

Nathan McGee - April 10, 2020 at 03:26 PM

AM

“ Sis,

*Your bond that you and I shared was irreplaceable. I loved shaking my leg with you to elvis. You was very fun to talk to as well as be around. You always wanted your jammies and fuzzy socks. I'm glad I got to be your RCC caregiver. I love you sis
R.i.h sis*

Amanda - April 09, 2020 at 12:06 AM

SK

Thank you for sharing

Skender - April 09, 2020 at 08:58 AM

LF

“ *You will definitely be missed by me and I will always cherish our memories of listening to Elvis even our trip to see his home. You will always be my beautiful lady and I'll always love you. RIH beautiful lady* ❤️

Lori Freed - April 08, 2020 at 04:03 PM

SK

Thank you, she was so special

Skender - April 09, 2020 at 08:59 AM

KK

“ Sis, You will be missed dearly. Remember how you use to love grilled cheese and sweet potatoes you always had seconds, and your coffee. You will never be forgotten.
Kathy Kirker

Kathy Kirker - April 08, 2020 at 08:23 AM

SK

Thank you

Skender - April 09, 2020 at 09:02 AM

CW

“ Mary you will always be in my thoughts I going to miss you. I will never for the time when I was on light duty and you Got a staff attention for not doing what I was suppose to then laugh about it. I and them time on of the other residents was about to hit me from the back and you let me know. We always had a good time tho. Love you bunches and I'm sure going to miss you when I come back to visit.

Crystal Weese - April 08, 2020 at 02:38 AM

CW

Prayers going to her family

Crystal Weese - April 08, 2020 at 02:42 AM

SK

Thank you for sharing

Skender - April 09, 2020 at 09:00 AM



“ *Wildflower Seeds - Build A Memory Garden was purchased for the family of Mary Margaret Skender.*



April 07, 2020 at 11:37 PM



“ *Mary was most certainly one of the brightest lights in Lafayette Meadows. Her smile brightened any day. I will never forget her beautiful soul. RIH Miss Mary.*

Erin Mack - April 07, 2020 at 10:12 PM



Thank you, so much

Jim & Kathie Skender - April 07, 2020 at 10:13 PM



“ *The nickname she always liked me to use while talking to her was Skindea Bendea she used to have the biggest smile on her face when I said that to her and she always made my day when I was having a bad day at work. She always knew a way to make everyone happy and smile . She loved pajamas and soft socks and she would want to wear them all day if she could 😊💕 she was an amazing person and I'm glad I got to take care of her during my time at Lafayette Meadows! I'll never forget that smile on her face❤️ Rest Easy My Beautiful Angel!*

Sarah Tanksley - April 07, 2020 at 09:52 PM



Thank you so much

Jim & Kathie Skender - April 07, 2020 at 09:54 PM

AT

“ *Mary was a special lady she will be missed by all who knew her sending prayers to her family and friends*

Andi Taylor - April 07, 2020 at 09:34 PM

JS

THANK YOU

Jim Skender - April 07, 2020 at 09:55 PM

MB

“ *Mary had the sweetest soul. She was a very happy lady. And will be missed by all. She had a smile that would make anyone smile. I am happy that I had the opportunity to take care of such a special lady thru the years that I worked at Gentlebrook. She will always have a special place in my heart. Rest easy pretty lady.*

Marilyn Brock - April 07, 2020 at 09:28 PM

JS

THANK YOU

Jim Skender - April 07, 2020 at 09:56 PM



“ *Mary will always hold a special place in my heart. I will miss her smile at Lafayette Meadows. She will be missed so much. I will never forget our trip to Graceland. She was in her element. My prayers to Jim and Kathie and all of Mary's family.*



Lisa Adkins - April 07, 2020 at 08:09 PM

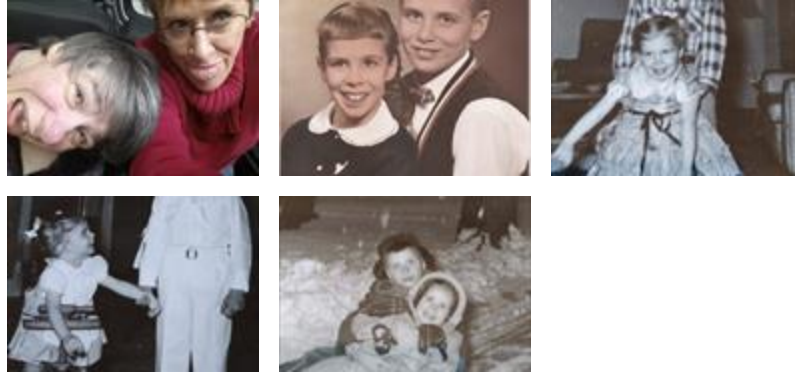
JK

Thank you so much for sharing this picture. We are so very happy she got to make this trip.

Jim & Kathie - April 07, 2020 at 09:58 PM

BR

“ 31 files added to the album Memories Album



Brother&kathie - April 07, 2020 at 06:15 PM

KS

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Kathie & Jim Skender - April 07, 2020 at 05:09 PM

KM

“ *Mary held a dear place in my heart from the first time we met in 2004. We had many adventures throughout the years that I will never forget. My thoughts and prayers go out to Jim and Kathie and all Mary's loved ones. RIP and fly high my sweet Angel.*

Kim Miller - April 07, 2020 at 03:53 PM

SK

Thank you, we know how much you cared for her, as she did you. She truly was special. Thank you for all you did for her , you were always so kind and showed such compassion .

Skender - April 07, 2020 at 04:19 PM

LK

“ Mary had a smile and laugh that lit up the entire room...I will always remember her gregarious personality and laughter and orneriness...RIP Mary...We'll miss you!

Loren Kalt - April 07, 2020 at 08:45 AM

SK

Thank you, she truly was special

Skender - April 07, 2020 at 10:01 AM

RR

Mary was the sweetest lady I know, soon as I would get to work I would go straight to her for my nightly hug and smile, she will truly be missed by all, R. I. P my beautiful friend.

Roxann Wilson RCC - April 07, 2020 at 09:04 PM

KD

“ Mary will always be a lit candle in my heart. She honored me with her love and commitment. I have truly been blessed to share such a warm and loving spirit. She may now go and dance and sing with her family.



Keith Doren - April 07, 2020 at 08:10 AM

SK

Thank you, she dearly loved you. Your kindness, compassion and deep understanding of her and her feelings made such a impact on her and us. We thank you for all you did for her and still doing for others, you truly make a difference in their lives

Skender - April 07, 2020 at 09:32 AM



Mary had so many close friends in her life I feel honored to have been a close friend. I will be contacting those who knew her at the Carr Center in Zanesville, as they were so impactful before we got to love her here.

Keith Doren - April 09, 2020 at 04:05 PM

DH

“ Missy was our buddy. A good neighbor and a truly sweet person. The Skender family is in our thoughts and prayers. Dr. Hicks & Shirley

Dr. Herbert Hicks - April 07, 2020 at 06:11 AM

SK

Thank you, you have always been such wonderful neighbors, Sissy was a very special person, and she felt deeply for the both of you. She would always wave and yell when she saw you outside, she would laugh at the doggies

Skender - April 07, 2020 at 10:06 AM

AM

“ So sorry for the loss of such an important part of your family. Sending love to you Kathie and Amanda and the rest of the family. Hoping you find comfort in knowing that while we have to keep our distance, you all are in my thought.

Angie Maxwell - April 06, 2020 at 08:36 PM

CA

As you lay your Beautiful Sissy to rest May God hold you in his arms as he has welcomed a true Angel into the Gates of Heaven. I hope Elvis was there to greet Sissy and sing her favorite songs. 🙏🙏🙏

Cathey Atamaniuk - April 06, 2020 at 08:56 PM

SK

Thank yo Angie

Skender - April 07, 2020 at 11:14 AM

SK

Sorry started to comment on other message, Thank you Cat for the kind words, she was truly a beautiful soul

Skender - April 07, 2020 at 11:18 AM

SK

Thank you Angie

Skender - April 07, 2020 at 11:18 AM

SK

This sight is not letting me comment to Angie Maxwell it keeps coming up on yours Cat. We appreciate everyones kind words

SKENDER - April 07, 2020 at 11:22 AM

SK

Thank you Angie

Skender - April 07, 2020 at 12:54 PM

EK

“ Mary Margaret sounds as if she bravely led a good life, God Bless



Evelyn King - April 06, 2020 at 03:58 PM



Thank you

Skender - April 07, 2020 at 09:59 AM