



Mrs. Margaret Rose Cox

August 15, 1943 - April 22, 2020

Margaret Rose Cox, 76, of Tallahassee, went home to her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ in the early hours of Wednesday, April 22, 2020, in Melbourne, Florida, while surrounded by her loving family.

A daughter of the late Lee and Hess Thomas Stokely, she was born in Brownsville, Tennessee on August 15, 1943. In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by her husband of 54 years, Joe Earl Cox; and a brother, Joe Stokely.

She was a retired Human Resources Manager at Economic Research Services, Inc. A faithful member at Chapel Hill Baptist Church, she enjoyed spending time with her family and friends. She loved playing cards, being involved in various women's groups and Bible study.

Survivors include her children, Carrie Grantham (husband, Jeff) and Cathy Gwartney (husband, Scott); grandchildren, Jeffrey Grantham, Jr., Seth Grantham, Christy Gwartney Candelario (husband, James), Casey Gwartney Grambusch (husband, Nolan) and Chandler Gwartney; brother, Bobby Stokely (wife, Mary Helen); and sister-in-law, Sue Stokely. Also surviving are several nieces and nephews.

Due to the continuing COVID-19 guidelines, a private graveside will be held at

Tallahassee Memory Gardens.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Chapel Hill Baptist Church, 3413 Old Bainbridge Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32303 or Community Cares of Havana, PO Box 177, Havana, Florida 32333 or Courage Through Cancer, PO Box 4067, Tallahassee, Florida 32315.

Online condolences may be expressed at www.abbeyfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Tallahassee Memory Gardens

4037 North Monroe Street
Tallahassee, FL 32303
(850) 562-1518
<https://www.abbeyfh.com/>

Tribute Wall

MR

“ I had the pleasure of calling Marty a friend and client over the last few years of her life. She has such a beautiful soul and was such a wonderful person. It was a pleasure to have the privilege of getting to know her. Always optimistic, positive and so grateful. I will miss her energy until maybe we meet once again in another place and time.

Michael Robinson - April 29, 2020 at 02:19 PM

MD

“ Marty was a jewel. Our travels with Marty were fun and always included card games. I will miss our WW Marty, my friend.

Marie Daniel - April 28, 2020 at 12:01 PM

MW

“ It was a real honor to know Marty. She was a special child of God and will be missed. My heart goes out to her family. She is definitely walking along dude of her savior, Jesus Christ.

Mary V. Watts - April 25, 2020 at 10:14 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Margaret Rose Cox.



April 24, 2020 at 02:24 PM

JW

“ My condolences to the family and extended family of Marty, the sweetest most caring southern lady who always had a kind word and beautiful smile for anyone she met. A Godly woman who was an inspiration to many.

Janet Whitman - April 24, 2020 at 01:15 PM

DH

“ So very sorry learn that Marty Cox has passed away! I send my deepest sympathy to Carrie and Cathy and their families. Marty was a wonderful, lovely lady who I had the pleasure to know through her husband, Joe, when he was accountant for the Florida Wildlife Federation for many years. Marty and Joe were loved by all who knew them. My heart goes out to family and friends at this difficult time. Diane Hines

Diane Hines - April 24, 2020 at 12:23 PM

SN

“ Marty and JOE were two of the best neighbors. May God bless and keep both of them You have been a very good friend and I will miss you. Sylvia Nicholson

Sylvia Nicholson - April 24, 2020 at 07:18 AM