



Marilynn Fiure

May 27, 1938 - March 25, 2022

Manville, NJ – Marilyn Fiure, 83, entered into eternal life on Friday, March 25, 2022 at home with her loving husband Michael by her side and surrounded by her loving daughter Michelle, granddaughter Amanda, great-granddaughters Olivia and Avery and beloved friend Sue. Born in McAdoo, PA, daughter of John and Verna (Lelyo) DeBellis, she was a lifelong resident of Manville. Marilyn was a communicant of St. Mary's Byzantine Catholic Church in Hillsborough, NJ where she was actively involved in church activities. Marilyn attended Bound Brook High School (Class of 1955). After graduating Marilyn took a job at Union Carbide where she met her partner for life Michael. After numerous rejections, she finally gave in and agreed to go on a date. It must have went well because they were married on May 11, 1957 and were to celebrate their 65th anniversary this year.

Marilynn was an active member of her community, volunteering her time to help those in need. Along with her husband Michael, they were members of the American Red Cross, helping neighbors and friends here in Manville in the aftermath of the devastating floods. She also served on various community boards and organizations over the years including the Juvenile Justice Commission, New Jersey Task Force for Drug and Alcohol and Literacy Volunteers of America.

Marilynn served as President of the Somerset County PTA and held several positions in the State PTA, including serving as their convention chairperson for three years. It was there she met one of her best and lifelong friends

Barbara with whom she shared such fond memories.

Marilynn was honored for her volunteerism by the Somerset County Family Planning Service and, along with her husband Michael, was presented with the Manville Citizen of the Year in 2012 by the Mayor.

Marilynn is survived by her devoted and loving husband of 64 years, Michael, her children Gina, Michelle and Michael, grandchildren Amanda Sopko and her husband Kyle, Kellie and Coulter and great-grandchildren Olivia and Avery who brought so much joy to her life.

Friends and family are invited to celebrate her life and legacy. The visitation will be on Thursday, March 31, 2022 from 3:00 PM to 7:00 PM at the Ketusky Funeral Home, 1310 Brooks Blvd., Manville, NJ 08835. The Parastas Service will take place at 6:00 PM during the visitation. The Funeral will take place on Friday, April 1, 2022 9:00 AM from the Ketusky Funeral Home followed by a 10:00 AM Funeral Service at St. Mary's Byzantine Catholic Church in Hillsborough, NJ. Entombment will follow at St. Bernard Cemetery in Bridgewater, NJ. In lieu of flowers donations may be made in her memory to: Stein Hospice, 354 Demott Lane, Somerset, NJ 08873

Cemetery Details

St. Bernard Cemetery

551 State Route 28
Bridewater, NJ 08807

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 31. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Ketusky Funeral Home
1310 Brooks Blvd - PO Box 747
Manville, NJ 08835
(908) 575-8512
info@ketusky.com
<https://www.ketusky.com>

Mass

APR 1. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary's Byzantine Catholic Church
1900 Brooks Blvd.
Hillsborough, NJ 08844

Tribute Wall

AH

“ So sorry to hear of Marilyn's passing. I lived on the next street (15th) Arlene, Diane, Karole and Linda Weglewski and played with Gina and Michelle even though they were younger than me. Mike is a patient of my daughter's, and was told of her passing. May God Bless you with peace at this time. The last time I ran into her was a few years ago in a store and she just held my forearm to say hello, then another time another store she was going to a wedding of another neighbors of ours son's wedding.

Arlene Henderson(Weglewski) - April 26, 2022 at 04:48 AM

AK

“ Offering my condolences to the Fiure Family. Seeing this brings back so many memories from twenty plus years ago when Micheal, Jr. and I were running for council. I will keep the family in my thoughts and prayers at this very difficult time.

Aljeanette Kasper - April 07, 2022 at 05:11 PM

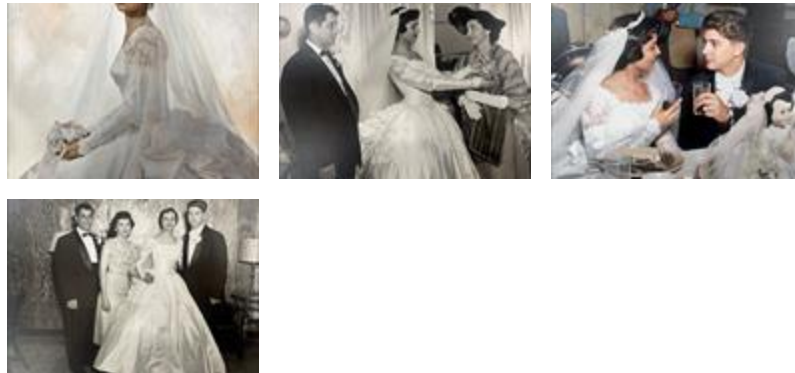


“ So many memories I can hardly count them all. I first met Marilyn through in girl Scouts. As the years went by PTA . All the planning for so many of the things we planned for the youth of Manville that we in joyed working on together. I am so sorry for your loss Mike. Is so hard to think of her not here.

Terry Andreychak - April 06, 2022 at 07:53 PM

MJ

“ 4 files added to the album Memories Album



Michael John - March 29, 2022 at 09:38 PM

PB

“ Dear Mike and family, my deepest condolences on Marilyn's passing. She was a woman full of grace, kindness, and love for everyone. I'll treasure her friendship, however brief - we had a lot of fun working at Wednesday bingo.

Patty (Evanylo) Bartling - March 29, 2022 at 04:17 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Marilyn Fiure.



March 28, 2022 at 03:00 PM



“ No one could handle Manville's evacuees with the kindness, grace and humor that Marilyn did. It takes an incredibly special person to pull that off in the best of circumstances. I will surely miss her. Love and light to her survivors.

Sherri Lynn - March 28, 2022 at 02:15 PM

DB

“ My most heartfelt sympathies to Michael and family. Marilyn was such a kind and loving person. I will hold her in my heart forever.
Debi Honkisz from bingo



Debi from bingo - March 28, 2022 at 12:46 PM

MQ

“ So sorry to hear of Marilyn's passing. I met her on the NJPTA board many years ago and she was such a wonderful person. We had a great deal of fun, especially working on our conventions. When I chaired 3 conventions, I could always count on Marilyn to do her job and do it well. We also, worked very hard advocating for our children and youth in NJ. I was hoping to see her this year at the luncheon on Saturday to catch up. My prayers and thoughts are with her family. You have your memories to keep her alive in your hearts. God Bless Marie Quinn

Marie Quinn - March 28, 2022 at 12:32 PM

JN

“ *Janine and Thomas Nielsen purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Marilyn Fiure.*



Janine and Thomas Nielsen - March 28, 2022 at 12:23 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Marilyn Fiure.*



March 28, 2022 at 12:15 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Marilyn Fiure.*



March 28, 2022 at 11:01 AM