



Margaret Sterner

August 6, 1941 - September 10, 2024

Margaret M. Sterner (Peggy), 83, of Woodbridge, Virginia passed peacefully on Tuesday, September 10, 2024. Peggy was devoted to her family and was considered the matriarch by all. As a retired medical professional, Peggy was devoted to helping others. She was a classy, tough, brilliant, funny, loyal, generous, and beautiful mother, grandma, sister, aunt, and friend. She was a woman with a big heart who loved unconditionally and protected her family like a lion. God gave us a special person whose heart was full of love, and we rejoice in knowing God welcomed her home peacefully. Peggy is survived by her two sons, Ed Dunne and his wife, Vicky of Woodbridge, VA, and Terry Dunne and his wife Laura of Charleston, SC; her five beautiful grandchildren, Emily, Kylie (Pablo Platero), Conor, Sarah, and Patrick; and her younger siblings, Eileen(John) Caffrey, Jimmy(Linda) Gilchrist, Johnny(Barbara) Gilchrist, and Rosemary Maisenholder. In addition to her parents and younger sister Kathleen, she was preceded in death by her husband, Francis Sterner, her brother-

in-law Bobby Maisenholder, and her beloved goldendoodle, Finnigan.

The family will honor Peggy's life during visitation on Wednesday, September 18, from 4pm - 6pm at Miller Funeral Home, located at 3200 Golansky Blvd,

Woodbridge, VA. A funeral mass celebrating her life will take place on Thursday, September 19, at 11am at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church, 12807

Valleywood Drive, Lakeridge, VA. The family will have a reception at Ed and Vicky's home after 3pm where we can share all the great stories and memories of her life among family and friends. There will be a private ceremony for the interment of her cremains at Quantico National Cemetery where she will rest in peace with Frank.

In remembrance of September 11 and America's military and law enforcement heroes, please consider donating to the Tunnel to Towers organization in lieu of flowers. The T2T organization was important to Peggy, whose family was dedicated to military and law enforcement careers.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **18.** 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Miller Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc.
3200 Golansky Blvd.
Woodbridge, VA 22192
703-878-CARE (2273)
<https://millerfuneralhome.net/>

Funeral Mass

SEP **19.** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church
12805 Valleywood Drive
Woodbridge, VA 22192

Graveside Service

SEP **19.** 1:00 PM (ET)

Quantico National Cemetery
18424 Joplin Rd
Triangle, VA 22172-1636
(703) 221-2183

Tribute Wall



“ *PHF-30 donated in memory of Margaret "Peggy" Sterner for Tunnel to Towers Foundation.*

"On behalf of our co-worker and dear friend, Mr. Edward Dunne, we make this donation in memory of his mother Margaret "Peggy" Sterner. The T2T organization was important to Peggy, whose family is dedicated to military and law enforcement careers. In honor of her drive to support the T2T mission, we make this gesture in her stead. May God Bless her soul and watch over her loved ones through this difficult time.

Ed, you and your loved ones are in our thoughts and prayers.

Sincerely your PHMSA PHF-30 Family!"

PHMSA PHF-30 - October 03, 2024 at 05:35 PM



“ *So sorry to see Peggy has passed. I remember her from water aerobics. May God grant her eternal rest. I know she had adopted a puppy a few years back. Hope the puppy has found a good home! Such a sweet lady!*

Peggy Janos Liuzzo - September 30, 2024 at 01:17 PM

DB

“ Dear Terry, Ed and all who have loved Peggy,

During this difficult time, please know that your KP Brothers stand with you in solidarity and support. To honor her memory, we have made a contribution to Tunnel 2 Towers in her name. May this gesture serve as a testament to the love and respect we hold for Margaret and the entire Dunne family.

*With heartfelt condolences,
Chris, Rob, Jim, Manny, Andre, Dan, and Bruce*

Dan Burns - September 18, 2024 at 04:54 PM

TF

“ The Corley Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Sterner.

The Corley Family - September 18, 2024 at 08:20 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Margaret Sterner.



September 18, 2024 at 08:20 AM



“ Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Margaret Sterner.



September 17, 2024 at 10:36 PM

MR

“ Margie Ross planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Sterner.

Margie Ross - September 17, 2024 at 01:35 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Margaret Sterner.



September 17, 2024 at 01:35 PM

LF

“ Love - Mike/Mary Grice, Russell & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Sterner.

Love - Mike/Mary Grice, Russell & Family - September 17, 2024 at 07:42 AM

LF

“ Love - Mike/Mary Grice, Russell & Family purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of Margaret Sterner.



Love - Mike/Mary Grice, Russell & Family - September 17, 2024 at 07:42 AM



“ Peggy was my dear friend. She was everybody's friend. She was constantly cooking and sharing food with everyone and she was such a good cook. She was very thoughtful and loved to give gifts. It didn't have to be much of an occasion, she just loved giving gifts. I will always remember her sweet smile. Her boys are a couple of the sweetest boys I've ever met. This is a testimony to what a wonderful mother she was. Those ladies who got her boys are very lucky. Peggy, I love you, Helen

Helen Richards - September 16, 2024 at 11:52 PM

GT

“ Gary and Renie Titsworth purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Margaret Sterner.



Gary and Renie Titsworth - September 16, 2024 at 08:22 PM

TF

“ Tabor Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Sterner.

Tabor Family - September 16, 2024 at 07:31 PM

TF

“ Tabor Family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Margaret Sterner.



Tabor Family - September 16, 2024 at 07:31 PM

CM

“ *Carmen Merino purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Margaret Sterner.*



Carmen Merino - September 16, 2024 at 12:29 AM

CR

“ *Clif and Maria Ross purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Margaret Sterner.*



Clif and Maria Ross - September 15, 2024 at 08:49 PM

VL

“ *Virginia Lozada purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Margaret Sterner.*



Virginia Lozada - September 12, 2024 at 07:48 PM

EP

“ *Emily, Kylie, Conor, Sarah, and Patrick purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Margaret Sterner.*



Emily, Kylie, Conor, Sarah, and Patrick - September 12, 2024 at 07:32 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Margaret Sterner.*



September 12, 2024 at 07:15 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Margaret Sterner.*



September 12, 2024 at 07:05 PM

VD

“ My best memories I have about Peggy are related to our Christmases and her iPhone. She lit it up for the little ones at Christmas and was so generous to all of us. She cooked a great meal and enjoyed watching us devour it after a long day of opening barbies, toy cars, and all the other trinkets. The matching PJs for the kids were always a great surprise, and it was sad when they all got too old for it. Peggy was also the only one that made me feel like an Apple genius when I had to fix her cell phone every week, and she was always so impressed with my skills. I will never forget how much she did for our family and I owe her so much for giving me the love of my life. Ed reminds me of her and I will never make fun of him for that again. I never thought this day would come and felt like my crazy MIL would be there forever. I thank God for letting us have her so long and pray she is at peace with her Finnegan and Frank. I miss you deeply, my other mom. Rest in peace and sing with the angels. XOXO



Vicky Dunne - September 12, 2024 at 07:04 PM