



Mary Elizabeth Bonner

September 24, 1956 - June 2, 2024

Beloved Wife, Mother, Grandmother, Sister, and Friend to many, Mary Elizabeth (McGlynn) Bonner, age 67, of Staten Island, NY passed away on Sunday June 2, 2024 in the comfort of her husband and family.

Mary Beth was born on September 24, 1956 in Astoria, Queens, NY. She was the first of seven children born to the late John and Carol McGlynn.

Mary Beth attended St. Nicholas of Tolentine in the Bronx, NY until her Sophomore year of High School, subsequently graduating from Bethpage High School. She obtained her teaching credentials from SUNY Brockport and began her teaching career at St. Anthony's School in SoHo, NY. There she met the love of her life, Bill, who she married on November 22, 1980. They then moved to Staten Island, NY. Their lives were blessed with three children, William Jr, Kathryn, and the late Theresa.

She was a loving sister to six siblings John McGlynn (wife Karen), Mark McGlynn (wife Ann), Jean Marie McGlynn, Eileen Badolato, Thomas McGlynn, James McGlynn (wife Tina), as well as sister-in-law to Christene Fossella (husband Vincent). She was a devoted mother-in-law to Kathryn's husband Justin and William's wife Kimberly. Mary Beth enjoyed watching her 18 nieces and nephews grow up and was blessed by many of them having children of their own. Above all, she was a loving grandmother to Charlotte

and Patrick Meehan.

Mary Beth enjoyed a career as a teacher until her retirement from P.S. 36. She spent time before and during her retirement volunteering at St. Joseph - St. Thomas St. John Neumann Church, serving as a Eucharistic Minister and coordinator of the RCIA Program. She found joy and meaning in teaching her grandchildren throughout her retirement and traveling the world with her husband and family. In her spare time, she enjoyed bird watching, exploring nature, knitting, and cooking.

She is missed more than words can describe.

Friends may pay their respects and visit with the family at the John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals (28 Eltingville Blvd. Staten Island, NY) on Wednesday, June 5th from 2:00 - 4:30 & 7:00- 9:00 p.m.

A funeral mass will be offered at St. Thomas Church (6097 Amboy Road, Staten Island, NY) at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, June 6th followed by Interment at Resurrection Cemetery (361 Sharrott Avenue, Staten Island).

Mary Beth lived her life in full color. In keeping with this sentiment, do not feel obligated to wear black to her services.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Mary Beth's memory may be made to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital or Tunnels to Towers Foundation.

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

361 Sharrott Ave
Staten Island, NY 10309

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 5. 2:00 PM - 4:30 PM (ET)

John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc.
28 Eltingville Blvd
Staten Island, NY 10312

Visitation

JUN 5. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Service

JUN 6. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

St Thomas the Apostle Church
50 Maguire Avenue
Staten Island, NY 10309

Tribute Wall



“ *John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary Elizabeth Bonner*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - June 03, 2024 at 09:34 PM

JP

“ *Jay P. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*

Jay P. - July 03, 2024 at 05:35 PM

RS

“ *Bill, we are devastated by the loss of MaryBeth. We were unaware of her passing as we are currently in Florida. We read about it in the parish bulletin. She, you and your family will be in our prayers.
Margaret & Bob Smith*

Robert Smith - June 10, 2024 at 05:37 PM

JP

*Bill, I just read this.
I am so sorry... You and your family are in our prayers. 🙏
Jay & Erin Paul*

Jay Paul - July 03, 2024 at 05:25 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.



June 05, 2024 at 03:52 PM



“ Horizon Next Family for Katie Meehan planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.

Horizon Next Family for Katie Meehan - June 05, 2024 at 03:52 PM



“ We were deeply saddened when we heard the news of Mary's passing. I had been calling and now know why I did not receive the call back which is fine...explains a lot. From the many many years I knew Mary, she was a wonderful, kind, loving and caring person, wife, mother, grandmother and friend. My heart goes out to my true friend Billy who has shared the ups and downs of life with me. I missed getting together every year or so for Arturo's. Our age makes us grow further away but our will to remain friends never tarnished. Jenn got to know Mary the last time we got together and was shocked to learn of her passing. To Bill. your children, your grandchildren, your family and everyone in your close circle, celebrate the love she brought to you in your lives. Be thankful for the time God allowed her to be with you. He will take good care of her until you all meet again. God bless you and accept our sincere condolences. Steve and Jennifer Hodgson

Steve and Jennifer Hodgson - June 05, 2024 at 11:21 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*



June 05, 2024 at 10:26 AM



“ *Love, Your Bellerose Cousins planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*

Love, Your Bellerose Cousins - June 05, 2024 at 10:26 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*



June 05, 2024 at 08:06 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*



June 04, 2024 at 08:41 PM

TF

“ *The Hughes Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*



The Hughes Family - June 04, 2024 at 07:44 PM

TF

“ *The Hughes Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*

The Hughes Family - June 04, 2024 at 07:44 PM

CK

“ *Carolyn and Elizabeth Krams purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*



Carolyn and Elizabeth Krams - June 04, 2024 at 06:53 PM

JK

“ *Jen, Christina, Angel. & The Florida kids. purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*



Jen, Christina, Angel. & The Florida kids. - June 04, 2024 at 04:58 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*



June 04, 2024 at 01:51 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*



June 04, 2024 at 01:14 PM



“ *FromGloriaShannonAppleMashaWinnieRachael purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*



FromGloriaShannonAppleMashaWinnieRachael - June 04, 2024 at 08:39 AM



“ *FromGloriaShannonAppleMashaWinnieRachael planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*

FromGloriaShannonAppleMashaWinnieRachael - June 04, 2024 at 08:39 AM

TF

“ *The Phillips Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*



The Phillips Family - June 03, 2024 at 06:22 PM

TE

“ *The Hatrick Family-Mary, Cathy, Joe, Ed purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*



The Hatrick Family-Mary, Cathy, Joe, Ed - June 03, 2024 at 06:18 PM

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“ *The Hatrick Family-Mary, Cathy, Joe, Ed planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.*

The Hatrick Family-Mary, Cathy, Joe, Ed - June 03, 2024 at 06:18 PM



“ 194 files added to the album LifeTributes



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - June 03, 2024 at 05:29 PM



“ Heavenly Grace Spray was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.



June 03, 2024 at 03:22 PM



“ Horizon Family! planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.

Horizon Family! - June 03, 2024 at 03:22 PM

DG

“ Our deepest sympathies for the loss of MaryBeth. May you find comfort in the cherished moments you and your family has shared together. Her kindness and spirit will forever be remembered. Marybeth’s impact on your lives and others is a testament to the beautiful soul she was. May she Rest in Sweet Peace. Love Donna Jamie and Sunny 💔

DONNA GENCO - June 03, 2024 at 03:08 PM

BF

“ Barbara Favale lit a candle in memory of Mary Elizabeth Bonner



Barbara Favale - June 03, 2024 at 02:46 PM

JB

“ To Bill & Family: I just heard and I am very sorry for your loss -- Joan Barr, 61 Clay Circle, Brick, NJ 08724

Joan Barr - June 03, 2024 at 02:45 PM

LF

“ Love your L&D family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mary Elizabeth Bonner.



Love your L&D family - June 03, 2024 at 01:03 PM