



Margaret "Peggy" (Reed) Love

December 12, 1955 - January 1, 2025

UTICA - Margaret "Peggy" (Reed) Love, age 69, was reunited with her husband, Dennis, in heaven when she passed away unexpectedly on Wednesday, January 1, 2025.

Born in Elizabeth, NJ, on December 12, 1955, Margaret was the daughter of Artelia (Graham) Reed and the late James Reed. She attended local schools in Union, NJ.

While residing in New Jersey, Peggy met Dennis Love and the two began a relationship and made a home together. In 1988, they sold their home and moved to Utica. She and Dennis were married shortly thereafter on August 25, 1989. The couple joyously shared over 30 years together prior to Dennis's passing on January 29, 2020.

Peggy held employment for over 30 years with The Neighborhood Center, Inc. as a Case Worker and would often lead the group discussions. Her heartfelt care and compassion for others made the position a great fit and she was able to enrich the lives of many members of her community through her work.

Peggy was a genuine, loving woman, who, at times, could be outspoken, but it was only done with the best of intentions. She was honest to a fault, but it was her caring heart that was felt by all who knew her.

Peggy shared many enjoyable moments with friends and family playing cards or Dominoes. Her loyal dog, Jack, was always by her side.

Peggy is survived by her mother, Artelia; her children and their loves, Danyell and Kevin Scott, Sr., and Jerome Reed and Patricia Adams; 11 grandchildren, Jakayla, Kevin, Jr., Jayda, Daniel, Xavier, Andrew, Nicholas, Sydney, Gabriella, Deasia, and Dominique; her beloved brothers and sisters; and many nieces, nephews, and their families. Peggy also leaves to cherish her memory many close friends, especially acknowledging Homer "Ballback" Harris, Maureen Taylor, and Katherine Jones-Voorhees.

For those wishing to do so, please consider memorial contributions in Peggy's honor to Disabled American Veterans (DAV) online at www.dav.org/donate.

In honoring Peggy's wishes, there will be no public services. Arrangements have been entrusted to the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc., 932 South St., corner of Hammond Ave.

Tribute Wall

KE

“ *My condolences to the family and friends of Peggy. She was such a kind soul.* ”

Kendel - January 15, 2025 at 04:56 AM

EJ

“ *Ernest Jones & Katherine Jones-Voorhees purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Margaret "Peggy" (Reed) Love.* ”



Ernest Jones & Katherine Jones-Voorhees - January 07, 2025
at 10:09 AM

EJ

“Ye Shall Have A Friend”

It is written:

"Ye shall have a friend that stick closer than a sister"

Heaven's kindred spirit, no one else quite like her

A connection with only a spiritual explanation

Carved into destiny from God's Creation

The soft, reassuring voice on the other end of the phone

The sudden ring of the doorbell when I felt all alone

The quiet, meditation walks we took in the park together

The shared compassion that made our lives better

The pain of her passing is so very hard to bear

All the things I'll miss...All the things we shared

But the gift of her kindred spirit that was given unto me

I will carry in my heart throughout eternity!!

*Written in honor of the very special friendship between my sister,
Katherine Jones-Voorhees, and "Peggy" (Reed) Love...RIP!*

Ernest L. Jones

Ernest Jones - January 07, 2025 at 09:57 AM

EW

R.I.P my dear friend. I'm sure gonna miss you.

Eula Williams - January 11, 2025 at 04:48 PM

DB

“ Denise Brown sent a virtual gift in memory of Margaret "Peggy" (Reed) Love



Denise Brown - January 07, 2025 at 12:42 AM

DB

I met Miss Peggy in 1989 when she the teacher assistant to Ms Sally Vance taking a course to become a licensed daycare provider which I ran my own daycare for 12 years while my children were preschool age then I went to Utica Headstart for a number of years I was from Roselle NJ thanks to her I was able to be a stay at home mom and earning enough to provide a great childhood for my 3 children ages 35,33,32 we lived on Oswego St years after she became neighbors rest in grace Miss Peggy and I will see u when I get there. 🙏🙏

Denise Brown - January 07, 2025 at 12:52 AM

KM

“ My condolences to the family peggy was my co worker at the neighborhood center and my neighborhood on Oswego street for over 20 yrs until I moved to Florida. She always called me when she saw suspicious activities around my house on Oswego st. I was grateful for our friendship gonna miss you ❤️

Kindell Murray - January 06, 2025 at 01:04 PM