



Mary Yeates

December 9, 1960 - January 13, 2014

Mary Yeates, 53, of Bradley, passed away Monday (Jan. 13, 2014) in the emergency room at Riverside Medical Center in Kankakee. Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday at the Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais. Funeral services will be private. Burial will be in All Saints Cemetery, Bourbonnais. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Kankakee County Humane Foundation or to Harbor House.

Mrs. Yeates was a registered nurse at Riverside Medical Center for 33 years. She was born Dec. 9, 1960, in Kankakee, the daughter of Joseph and Marie Theresa Menard Bright. She was a supporter of the Kankakee County Humane Foundation and Harbor House. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Bradley. She was an avid gardener, reader and animal lover. She enjoyed spending time with friends and family.

Surviving are her husband, Brian Yeates, of Bradley, whom she married Sept. 15, 1984, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Bradley; two sons, Matt Yeates, and Nick Yeates and Megan Anstrom, both of Bradley; two sisters, Becky Bright, of Kankakee, and Robin Bright, of Manteno; three brothers and sisters-in-law, John and Kathy Bright, of Herscher, Joe and Lee Bright, of Bradley, and Jack and Judi Bright, of Bourbonnais; mother-in-law, Betty Yeates, of Bradley; brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Les Yeates and Iris Goselin, of Bradley, Randy Yeates, of Iowa, Sharon and Butch Gero, of Bradley; and many nieces

and nephews, and great-nieces and great-nephews. She is also survived by her beloved Jack Russell terrier, Minnie.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Memorials may be made to Kankakee County Humane Society or Harbor House.

Cemetery Details

All Saints Cemetery

1839 W. Route 102
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 933-2342

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 17. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.
295 Main St., NW
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 932-1214
cgfuneral@gmail.com

Tribute Wall

SL

“ *Brian, Matt, and Nick--we are thinking of you and sending you love and strength. Mary will live on in each of you and in all of the lives she touched. Hugs.*



Stacey & Jim Larson - January 18, 2014 at 12:06 PM

JP

“ *So sorry for your loss. My sincere condolences to Mary Beth's entire family.*
Julia Denault Parker, Eagle, Colorado

Julia Parker - January 18, 2014 at 11:44 AM

JT

“ *Prayers being sent for your family. Mary was a beautiful person with a smile that brightened anyone's day that came in contact with her.*

Jan Thomas - January 17, 2014 at 06:15 PM

PS

“ *Brian and family I am so sorry for your loss ,Prayers and love sent your way. Pat (Chi) Schlenz*



Pat (chi) Schlenz - January 17, 2014 at 05:36 PM

SR

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you. I'm sorry for your loss.*

Sandy Reedy - January 17, 2014 at 04:53 PM

PT

“ Prayers of comfort and peace to Mary's family-- from an old RMC friend.

Pam Tolly - January 17, 2014 at 04:20 PM



“ sending prayers.....Mary was a special lady and a fighter

Coleen



Coleen McCabe - January 17, 2014 at 04:14 PM

DA

“ Thoughts and prayers to the family. Mary was an angel on earth now an Angel in Heaven.

Darla Albright

Darla Albright - January 17, 2014 at 03:50 PM

RM

“ B - My condolences to you and the boys. Mary was a good woman, a lot of fun. She was a blessing.

Rick Meli

Rick Meli - January 17, 2014 at 01:32 PM

RD

“ Sending my deepest sympathy to your family. Mary was always a bright spot of my day when I would run into her in the halls at Riverside. Loved seeing her smiling face and she always asked about my mother whom she had cared for on rehab. She was a kind hearted and dedicated nurse and will be sorely missed by her co-workers. May she rest in peace in the loving arms of our heavenly Father.

Rhonda DePasquale - January 17, 2014 at 01:18 PM

AM

“ It was an honor and pleasure to work with and take care of Mary during her battle with cancer. She will be deeply missed. - Dr. Annabelle Veerapaneni

Annabelle Veerapaneni, MD - January 17, 2014 at 12:25 PM

KS

“ Kathy Shores lit a candle in memory of Mary Yeates



kathy shores - January 17, 2014 at 10:53 AM

KS

Sincere sympathy for Brian and the whole family. Mary will always be remembered as a beautiful lady inside and out.

kathy shores - January 17, 2014 at 10:56 AM

RO

“ Condolences to Brian, Matt and Nick. Mary always had the best yard and prettiest flowers in our neighborhood.

Ryan and Tonya O'Connor - January 16, 2014 at 06:16 PM

NV

“ *Nilda Valenzuela lit a candle in memory of Mary Yeates*



nilda valenzuela - January 16, 2014 at 04:21 PM

NV

Condolence to the family.

nilda valenzuela - January 16, 2014 at 04:22 PM

BB

“ *My deepest sympathies to you and your family*

Brian Bronson - January 16, 2014 at 03:50 PM

CO

“ *To Brian and Boys, Matthew and Nick. We send our most sincere sympathy. We have kept you all in our prayers throughout Mary's sickness and know she is now at peace and without pain. My God comfort you now. May her memory of the good and special times you all had keep her with you always. Our love to you all. Uncle Charlie and Aunt Cathy*

Charles & Cathy O'Tool - January 16, 2014 at 11:33 AM

DB

“ *Prayers to Brian and the whole family... I never had the chance to meet Mary but always heard what a great person she was... You all have my deepest sympathy during this difficult time... Doug Balk co-worker of Brian..*

Doug Balk - January 16, 2014 at 10:50 AM

JM

“ *Joan Miner lit a candle in memory of Mary Yeates*



Joan Miner - January 16, 2014 at 10:06 AM

JM

Mary was dear to her brothers and sisters may her family be a Peace with her passing!! She is in a better place now without the pain of the horrible disease! Rest in Peace my Friend!!!

Joan Miner - January 16, 2014 at 10:08 AM

Mary Church Keller

“ *I know Mary when I worked with her on 5 Tele. I always admired her great gift of remembering great detail about all of our patients on the unit. She was so friendly and kind and she will be greatly missed. My deepest sympathy and prayers go out to all her loved ones.*

Mary Church Keller - January 16, 2014 at 07:48 AM



“ *Mary was the best! She had a great sense of humor, really knew how to lighten up situations! Prayers going out for family.*

Joy Shea - January 15, 2014 at 10:43 PM

BR

“ *Mary was one of the first faces I met when I moved from St. Mary's to Riverside. She welcomed me right away. She was an awesome nurse, and a sweet, sincere, loving person. I saw her just 2 weeks ago and she was so upbeat. You will be surely missed, Mary!*

brenda - January 15, 2014 at 10:13 PM

JB

“ *I loved this girl. What a bright light. She was smart, compassionate and always could make you laugh. I will never forget her. RIP*

Jodi Brandenburg - January 15, 2014 at 09:33 PM

LG

“ *Mary was such a great person , friend and a great nurse she will be missed by a lot of people who knew her and loved her. I remember a time when I was walking down the hall at riverside hospital and when Mary seen me she would always say to me What's up momma I can still hear her voice today. She was always cheerful that's what I loved about her. God bless to the family.My prayers are with you all.*

Lori Gray - January 15, 2014 at 09:30 PM

DA

“ *I did not know Mary personally but Judi, with whom I work, always spoke very fondly of her and her family.My thoughts and prayers are with the family at this most difficult time.May Mary find peace in Gods arms and her family find peace in their hearts.*



Debbie Arndt - January 15, 2014 at 09:28 PM



“ *Mary was an amazing nurse. She will be missed dearly.*

Karlana Fred - January 15, 2014 at 09:04 PM

KJ

“ *Mary was a wonderful Nurse and truly a wonderful person. One of the most compassionate people I new. She will be missed. Prayers to her family*

Kay Jurica - January 15, 2014 at 08:20 PM

BN

“ *I have worked at RMC 23yrs. Mary brightened my day each time our paths crossed. She always seemed pleased to see me & had a funny thought to share. My sympathy to you all.*

beth Norwick - January 15, 2014 at 06:59 PM

SS

“ *Praying for strength and peace for your family.*



steve and diane schafroth - January 15, 2014 at 06:19 PM

MM

“ *MeLinda Marris lit a candle in memory of Mary Yeates*



MeLinda Marris - January 15, 2014 at 05:58 PM

MM

I only new Mary for a few short years, but I do know she was a wonderful, compassionate women. Iam so glad I run into her this Christmas and was able to see her at her best hour during this tragic tome in her life. You wil be missed. God bless.

MeLinda Marris - January 15, 2014 at 06:01 PM

CK

“ *Mary was a wonderful person inside and out personally and professionally.*

Crystal Knepper - January 15, 2014 at 05:08 PM

CK

“ *Crystal Knepper lit a candle in memory of Mary Yeates*



Crystal Knepper - January 15, 2014 at 05:05 PM

KS

“ *Kris Stasicky lit a candle in memory of Mary Yeates*



Kris Stasicky - January 15, 2014 at 04:31 PM

JH

“ *Johnny & Jeannie Holt lit a candle in memory of Mary Yeates*



Johnny & Jeannie Holt - January 15, 2014 at 02:49 PM

CB

“ *Cindy Bittmann lit a candle in memory of Mary Yeates*



Cindy Bittmann - January 15, 2014 at 02:42 PM

CB

R.I.P. Mary. Will miss you and our talks on the sidewalk. Cid

Cindy Bittmann - January 15, 2014 at 02:43 PM

KS

“ *Kristy Sorensen lit a candle in memory of Mary Yeates*



Kristy Sorensen - January 15, 2014 at 11:09 AM

KS

I'll miss you my friend. My symaphies to the family.

Kristy Sorensen - January 15, 2014 at 11:10 AM

DM

“ *Denise Marcotte lit a candle in memory of Mary Yeates*



Denise Marcotte - January 15, 2014 at 10:56 AM



“ *Mary was a great person. She will be missed. Prayers To The Family.* ”

Tonya Martin-Goodberlet - January 14, 2014 at 08:23 PM