



Darlene Kay (Ford) Lehotay

August 6, 1949 - December 28, 2015

Darlene Kay (Ford) Lehotay, age 66 of Cambridge, passed away on Monday, December 28, 2015 at her home after a long illness. She was born on August 6, 1949 in Cambridge, daughter of the late John Ford and Carol (Lauer) Ford. As a teenager, Mrs. Lehotay worked at the Lodge Coffee Shop. She then worked at N.C.R. for the next 18 years before becoming the co owner of Uncle Dave's Video for 10 years where she worked with her son George. Darlene and husband Tom, were co-founders of Lehotay Construction, she was the secretary for many many years.

Darlene is survived by: her husband of 34 years, Tom Lehotay Sr.; her children, George (Toby) Aber West Lafayette and Steve (Angel) Aber of Cambridge; step-children, Mary (Brian) Casey of Cambridge, Lori (Jim) Mercer of Cambridge and Thomas (Michelle) Lehotay of Cambridge; sisters, Suzie, Joanne, Randy, and Loretta; brothers, John, Frank, and Dave; several grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Darlene is preceded in death by: her parents; sisters, Jean Ford and Lorena Jones; a brother Ed Ford.

Visitation will be on Thursday, December 31, at Bundy-Law Funeral Home from 4 to 7 pm. The funeral will be on Friday, January 1, at 11 am with Father Robert Borer officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Calvary Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Guernsey at P.O. Box 1165 Cambridge, Ohio 43725. Darlene's online tribute wall may be viewed and signed at www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Calvary Cemetery

St. Rt. 40 W.
Cambridge, OH 43725

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 31. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Bundy-Law Funeral Home
120 North 11th Street
Cambridge, OH 43725
(740) 432-5705
info@bundy-lawfuneralhome.com
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Service

JAN 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

AE

“ I love you aunt Darlene. You were one of the strongest women I know of. Always caring for other people. You will be missed. Love you always RIP.

Angie Ford Engles - January 01, 2016 at 07:46 PM

VP

“ So sorry to hear of this. Being neighbors as a child, practically made me feel like part of your family.

In Christ, we live forever.

Verla Patterson - January 01, 2016 at 09:23 AM

BD

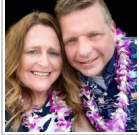
“ Special prayers to the entire Lehotay family. I know Darlene will be missed by all. I always enjoyed talking to her. I know how much she loved her family. May God grant you peace and rest. You deserve it. You will be missed, Darlene.

Bob and Becky Delik - December 30, 2015 at 08:06 PM

MB

“ ALWAYS LOVED MY SISTER AND MY FRIEND _____ REST IN GODS HANDS !!!!!
FOREVER YOU WILL HAVE A SPECIAL PLACE IN ARE HEARTS
Jim & Babe

Mary Brothers - December 30, 2015 at 05:26 PM



“ Aunt Darlene was an angel, always nurturing others, and always so happy for them. I remember she surprised me with a baby shower for my first child at our family reunion. It really meant a lot to me. I remember when I had my 2nd and 3rd, I couldn't wait to show Aunt Darlene. She was a special lady that was loved by many, and will be forever in our hearts. Rest in peace, dear one.

Dawn Marks - December 30, 2015 at 12:04 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Darlene Kay (Ford) Lehotay.



December 29, 2015 at 11:58 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. Aunt Mary, George and entire Lehotay family you are in my thoughts and prayers.



Jen Tetirick - December 29, 2015 at 10:27 PM



“ I am so very sorry George and family. Darlene was a wonderful woman and we shared a lot of stories and laughs at Uncle Daves. I haven't seen her for a couple of years. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. God be with uou.

Theresa Hampton Brown - December 29, 2015 at 07:42 PM

GF

“ *Darlene was such a beautiful, loving, and caring person. She will be forever in our hearts. May she rest in peace. All our love, Frank, Gwen and Family*

gwen ford - December 29, 2015 at 05:58 PM

MR

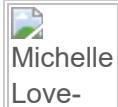
“ *When I graduated from EFDA school 3 years ago(which I had a difficult time with) Aunt Darlene sent me a card and a check (the only person that did this by the way) and on the inside she told me how strong of a mother and woman I had become and she was so proud of me! I never forgot that and it really made me feel good! Love you Aunt Darlene!❤️*

marci (Lehotay) redd - December 29, 2015 at 05:46 PM

LM

Oh Marci thank you for sharing this, over the past few weeks we have gotten to hear so many wonderful stories of her kindness that we did not even know about

Lorie Mercer - December 29, 2015 at 08:36 PM

Michelle Love-

Beautiful memory.

Michelle Love-Schneider - December 31, 2015 at 09:46 AM



“ Aunt Darlene was a very strong woman who knew exactly what she wanted. I remember coming home over the years and looking forward to stopping down at Uncle Dave's Video to see if her and George were working.

There was never a visit home that I didn't enjoy stopping by the store or the house even just to say "How are you doing?" I love you!

God Bless You Aunt Darlene!

RIP

Ann Brothers-Fehser - December 29, 2015 at 04:37 PM

JA

“ I went to school with Darlene, a very nice person, we had such a good time as friends in school, she will be sadly missed, your friend
JUNE KIGGANS ADAMS.

JUNE KIGGANS ADAMS - December 29, 2015 at 02:24 PM