



Peggy Lorraine Eustice

August 7, 1942 - December 8, 2024

OBITUARY MATERIAL FOR PEGGY EUSTICE

It is with loving hearts and bittersweet memories that we say goodbye to our beloved Mom, wife, grandma, aunt and friend, Peggy, who passed away peacefully, on December 8, 2024.

Peggy's journey began on August 7th, when she was born Peggy Darling in Billings, Montana. Peggy was raised by her parents, Dorothy and Charles Pepper in Billings. She later moved to Butte, where fate led her to meet her first love, Dave Hawke. Together, they were married on July 16, 1960, and became the proud parents of three children, Tim, Todd, and Trish.

In time Peggy's heart discovered its true home with Dave Eustice, the love of her life. They exchanged vows and began their journey together on August 11, 1979, embarking on a new chapter full of love and companionship. The two spent their early years together in Kalispell, Montana, before returning to Butte, where they continued to make a life full of laughter, adventures, and enduring love. They shared nearly 45 years of marriage, until the day Peggy was called home. Their bond remained unbreakable to the very end.

Peggy was preceded in death by her parents, Charles and Dorothy Pepper, sister Kay Ball, grandson, Koby Hawke, and Mother-in-law Anna McCallum. Peggy's incredible capacity for love and care touched the lives of many. She worked as an activity director at Crest Nursing Home and Beyond Homes,

where her nurturing spirit found a perfect outlet. Her compassion for the elderly was boundless as was her love for babies. She had a warmth that could brighten anyone's day. In every role she took on, Peggy made lasting friendships and left an indelible mark on everyone she encountered. Whether caring for others, or simply sharing in the joy of life with her family, Peggy's heart was always open, always loving and her spirit will live on in the cherished memories of the joy she brought to all who knew her.

Her legacy is carried on by her devoted husband, Dave Eustice, her children, Tim Hawke, Todd (Bonnie) Hawke, and Tricia (Marty) Guay, Dana (Adam) Ryan, Christy Eustice and her grandchildren Sheena (Jeff) Dennehy, Britney (Braydon) Schilling, Kannon(Jen) Hawke, Zach Curnow, Cooper Hawke, Haven Hawke, Kayla Ryan, Todd Ryan, great-grandchildren Lohgan, Kelton, Blakely, and Rylee Dennehy, Kyzer and Keslyr Schilling, Jasper Banks, Brothers-in-law Dale (Lorraine), Steve, Sister-in-law Annette and also a circle of extended family and friends who were blessed to know her. Peggy's memory will forever be cherished in the hearts of those who loved her.

As we say goodbye, we take comfort in knowing that Peggy's loving presence will remain in the small moments and the everyday reminders of her kindness, generosity, and her unwavering love for her family. A woman with a heart as vast as the sky, Peggy leaves behind a legacy of love and joy, and will be deeply missed by all who were fortunate enough to know her.

Rest in peace, Peggy. You were, and always will be, in our hearts.

A private family service will be held on Friday 12/13/2024. In honor of Peggy's memory, in lieu of flowers please consider a donation to Safe Space.

Cemetery Details

Mountain View Cemetery

3910 Harrison Avenue
Butte, MT 59701

Tribute Wall

DZ

“ *Peggy was a very sweet and kind friend. We have know Peggy and Dave for many years and always enjoyed their friendship. Our thoughts and prayers are with Dave and family at this very sad time.*
Denise and Jiggs Zolynski

Denise Zolynski - December 16, 2024 at 05:09 PM

DC

“ *Peggy was a kind, loving lady. I first met her at the Crest Nursing Home.*
She was such a giving person, the residents loved her.
Our 'Crew', the 2 Bev's, Judy, Peggy and I did lunch often.
She will be missed, condolences to Dave, Christy and family

Donna Colvin

Donna Colvin - December 14, 2024 at 07:08 PM

GJ

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. .Peggy took great care of my mother. She was always so patient and loving with her. She was such a great person.. She will be missed by all who knew her.. Jim and Gail Jory*

Gail Jory - December 13, 2024 at 07:31 PM

EH

“ *I met Peggy when I moved back to Butte almost 50 years ago and we became neighbors. We had many good times together. My prayers to Dave and family. She will be missed. Evonne and Tom Holman*

Evonne Holman - December 13, 2024 at 10:30 AM

JM

“ *What a sweet lady. I am so sorry to hear of her passing. My thoughts and prayers to her family. May her memories hold dear in your hearts. Give your sister Kay Ball a hug for me. Rest in peace Peggy*

Janice Clark Muniz

Janice Clark Muniz - December 12, 2024 at 11:51 PM

SJ

“ *So sorry to hear of Peggy's passing. All the family are in my prayers.* 🙏🙏🙏❤️❤�

sharlene Medvit Johns - December 12, 2024 at 11:44 PM

FW

“ *My sister, Delores Kangas enjoyed Peggy so much at Beyond Homes. Still have a wonderful picture of Peggy dancing with my sister at the Race Track Fire Hall. Peggy was much loved by my sister*

Fran Warner - December 12, 2024 at 07:48 PM