



## Maria Floralde Hager

December 12, 1963 - July 24, 2022

Maria Floralde Hager, 58 of Hurricane, West Virginia, passed away Sunday, July 24, 2022 at her home surrounded by family. She was born December 12, 1963 in Manila, Philippines; daughter of the late Terry and Linda Adams. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her brother, Lito Adams. Maria is survived by her loving Husband of 36 years, Bryan Hager; son, Adam Hager; daughter, Rachel Pyles; her grandchildren, Arianna and William Hager, Lucy and Emma Pyles; Sister, Terrilyn Hagerty. Maria devoted her life to her family and friends. She poured out self-sacrificing love to all those around her through her actions, kind words, and of course, her cooking. Tough, brave, fierce, are only a few characteristics to describe her journey from start to finish. She will be deeply missed, cherished, and remembered as an inspiration to always keep fighting. Funeral services will be conducted at 2:00 pm on Sunday, July 31, 2022 at Henson & Kitchen Mortuary, 6357 E. Pea Ridge Road, Huntington, WV 25705. The family will

receive friends

one hour prior to service time on Sunday at the mortuary. In lieu of flowers, Maria has

requested donations be made to [www.theballardhouse.org](http://www.theballardhouse.org), a temporary housing nonprofit

that provided her and her family a home away from home during treatment.

Online

condolences and memories may be shared with the family by visiting [www.hensonandkitchen.com](http://www.hensonandkitchen.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 31. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Henson and Kitchen Mortuary and Cremation Services  
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## Memorial Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ Henson & Kitchen Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Maria Floralde Hager



Henson and Kitchen Mortuary and Cremation Services - July 28, 2022 at 05:29 PM



“ Maria Floralde Hager

October 23, 2023 at 01:49 AM



“ Brian, So sorry to hear of Maria's passing. I was away for 2 weeks and read it last night in the paper. She was my favorite "soccer mom"! It was great to have known her and to have shared the experiences that our families had through soccer. Johnny Starcher

Johnny Starcher - August 08, 2022 at 09:16 AM



“ Steve & Lisa Spaulding lit a candle in memory of Maria Floralde Hager



Steve & Lisa Spaulding - July 31, 2022 at 02:06 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Maria Floralde Hager.*



July 30, 2022 at 04:14 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Maria Floralde Hager.*



July 29, 2022 at 06:06 PM



“ *Please accept our sincere condolences and may the wonderful memories of Maria bring you great comfort. We are keeping your family in our thoughts and prayers.  
(We knew Maria and family mostly through soccer.....lots of soccer)  
The Reishman Family  
Nancy, Wade and Allison*

**Nancy Reishman** - July 29, 2022 at 10:06 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Maria Floralde Hager.*



July 29, 2022 at 10:03 AM



“ 55 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Henson and Kitchen Mortuary and Cremation Services** - July 28, 2022 at 05:25 PM



“ *Susie Marfileno purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Maria Floralde Hager.*



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**Susie Marfileno** - July 28, 2022 at 04:03 PM

PL

“ I have been a neighbor of Maria & Bryan's for 17 years. Maria was one of the first people to welcome us to the neighborhood. Her smile and sparkly personality drew you to her. After my husband had left she was always there to watch over me and my home. She made sure she let me know if she saw anything suspicious and if so, she would go check it out for me. I especially enjoyed the few times I was able to set out on her porch with her in the rocking chairs and talk. She had a special way of brightening your spirits and lifting you up with her encouraging words whenever you were feeling down. I remember every spring she would line her driveway with beautiful flowers it always looked so nice. I would often see her out taking her dogs for a walk and she would always speak and ask me how I was doing. At Christmas she would bring me some of her delicious cookies she had made and I felt so blessed that she shared them with me. She was like another mother figure to me even though we were close in age she was so wise beyond her years. Maria will be sadly missed. My heart and prayers go out to Bryan and her children and grandchildren. Heaven surely gained a beautiful and bright Angel. May you rest in peace Maria.



*Patti Lane*

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**Patti Lane** - July 27, 2022 at 03:48 PM

VS

“ I met Maria few times when I was visiting my sister at WV! She was a dear friend of my sister and I could see how she use to leave a positive impression on everyone that met her: A joyful, fearless, intelligent and a loving caring woman : just few of her characteristics that made it so clear to everyone that she was a wonderful person and they were lucky to have crossed paths with her! May God sustain her family

*Valéria ( from Brazil)*

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Valéria( Andrea's sister) - July 26, 2022 at 01:38 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Maria Floralde Hager.



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July 26, 2022 at 10:27 AM



“ A New Sunrise Spray was purchased for the family of Maria Floralde Hager.



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July 26, 2022 at 09:42 AM

RF

“ Prayers for comfort to Maria's family. So sorry to read of her passing. I met Maria when Lito worked at Kroger. She was very devoted to her brother, always checking to see how he was doing at his job. She and Lito brought me a shot glass from Thailand with my name painted on it. Bless her sweet heart, may she rest in peace.

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**Robin Fife** - July 25, 2022 at 11:37 PM

TL

“❤️ Maria was one of the most uplifting and inspiring people I've ever met. She poured her spirit into Me with encouragement and into everything she did.

*Her Husband and My Brother. He was an Ornerly Sailor in the U.S Navy when they first met in Charleston, SC. She absolutely rocked His World and made Him a better Man! After all their blessed years of marriage, She still referred to Him as “Her handsome “Boyfriend” “. I’ve never met two people so deeply in Love. Their Love even surpassed beyond that of My Parents, Judy and Freddie. My Brother would spend nights researching for the best, top rated Drs, hospitals and treatments trying to save Her.*

*Again, she poured her Spirit into being an incredibly wise Mother, teacher and role model to her Children, Adam and Rachel, and her bonus children, Katie & Chad. LOLA absolutely adored her Grandbabies, First Lucy stole her heart, then beautiful Ari, spunky Emma and finally Her Will. Her face lit up and her laughter & giggles couldn’t be held back when she saw or talked about them. She treated and took care of Her beloved family Pets, Droopy, Honey and Stevie better than a lot of people take care of their children. Ohhhh Her cooking!!!! THE BEST COOK I’ve ever met. She was so passionate about preparing food for the people she loved!! I would stand amazed just watching her cooking skills.*

*I will especially miss Her fried rice and Lumpia.*

*. She spent much of her time seeking new treatments and advocating for medical research, knowing she might never benefit from her labors*

*When it finally became clear that no drug could relieve her intense suffering, but she fought until the end*

*Two major themes emerged from her life story: She was frequently suffering, but she was also .....Strong and long suffering.*

*I always told Her....*

*SHE WAS MY HERO. She truly was!!!*

*"We need to reframe how we all look at death," She is finally*

*reunited with Her Lito, her Mom & Dad, my Momma Judy, her second Mother, and Dad Freddie. What a welcome Party she's Having.*

*Cancer, a terrible disease unto itself, piled onto the next one. Nobody knew how sick she really was or the pain she experienced and endured from years of treatment, Chemotherapy and Clinical trials*

*Maria was a gifted communicator, tireless advocate, brilliant connector and an inspiration to everyone that loved Her*

*"I have this wonderful husband," she told me. "My one wish is that I could have had just a year of good health to enjoy with him." She didn't want to go where her health was taking her. But if she had to, she was determined to meet the moment with courage. "I'm not going to be one of the statistics of people who gave up," she told me again and again and She didn't.*

*My Heart is Crushed and I will miss My Sister, as I called Her. I know she is no longer in Pain. My Faith, Hope and belief in God assures Me that I WILL see and join MARIA in Heaven some day. I can't wait to see Her Beautiful smile again.*

*I pray that God surrounds and fills My Brother Bryan and our entire Family with His Peace, Comfort and His Love.*

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**Tammy Hager Lovejoy** - July 25, 2022 at 11:17 PM

MH

*Maria was one of my dearest friends , ❤️ We met at church & taught a girls Sunday School Class for 4or 5 years together. That's when we became close. She was a beautiful person inside and out, 💕 She loved her family fiercely and her friends with all her heart. She glowed when she shared anything about her precious children ❤️. We always enjoy our time together. She was there for me when my son served in Iraq and when I lost my husband last year. We spent quality time together at times during her illness. We shared, we laughed and we cried together. She was the most wonderful cook & made some very meals to share with me. I will always treasure my time with her, she'll be in my heart forever & will be greatly missed. I loved her with all my ❤️. My love and prayers go out to Bryan, Adam, Katie, Rachel, Chad and the grandchildren ❤️🙏*

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**Mary Harper** - July 26, 2022 at 01:41 PM

PL

*I have been a neighbor of Maria & Bryan's for 17 years. She was one of the first person's to welcome us into the neighborhood. Her smile and sparkly personality was contagious from the get go. I would often see her out walking the dogs and she would always stop to speak and ask how I was doing. After my husband left she was always there watching out for me and my home. Maria would always let me know if she saw anyone suspicious lurking around and she would go to check things out for me. She was an awesome neighborhood watchwoman. I especially enjoyed the few times I was able to sit on her porch with her in the rocking chairs just talking and how if you were the least bit down she always had encouraging words to brighten your spirit. Every spring I looked forward to seeing the beautiful flowers she would line her driveway with. I don't believe there wasn't anything she couldn't do. At Christmas she would always bake some of her delicious cookies and I was so delighted that she shared them with me. She was like another mom to me and she will be sadly missed. My heart and prayers go out to Bryan and her children and grandchildren. Rest in peace Maria. God has truly gained an Angel.*

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**Patti Lane** - July 27, 2022 at 01:24 PM

JB

“ *Maria was an inspiration to all who knew her. Her Mother-in Law ( my Sister-in Law) loved her dearly. I didn't see Maria often but I knew of her courage through Judy. Rest In Peace. Joan Bryan*

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**Joan Bryan** - July 25, 2022 at 06:33 PM

RB

*Maria was full of compassion, caring and kindness. She was a strong and beautiful lady. Heaven has gained an angel. Bryan, Maria will always be with you through Adam, Rachel and your wonderful grandchildren.*

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**Randy and Vanessa Bryan** - July 28, 2022 at 08:17 PM