



Becky Sue Braendle

September 12, 1948 - October 23, 2013

Becky S. Braendle, age 65, a lifelong resident of the Utica area, passed away Oct. 23, 2013 at McLaren Macomb Hospital. Becky was a hairdresser in the Utica - Sterling Heights area for many years. Beloved wife of Hans. Dear mother of Jim Huff, Donald Huff, Lisa Ed Dellacasa and Scott Barbara Braendle. Loving grandmother of 14 grandchildren and several great grandchildren. Dear sister of Jim Linda Fox and the late Mary Ann McCarty. Friends may visit at the Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 8459 Hall Rd. 3 blks. E. of Van Dyke Utica on Tuesday from 2:00 - 8:00 p.m. There will be no funeral service. Memorials suggested to The New Baltimore Lions Club. Please share a memory at www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com

Tribute Wall

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“ *Becky was very special to me, I can relate to you Carolyn by getting my "Becky fix" Becky was the one I could go to with anything and she would give the most honest advice weather I liked it or not, she gave me a lot of inspiring words that I use in my every day life. When something came up and I didn't know what to do I would think to myself what would Becky say. My favorite one is, when she would tell me Chris, it is what it is, just smile and do the best you can and you will get through anything. Becky also was the one who had so much confidence in me to go back to school when I didn't think I could, she would say YOU CAN DO IT, over and over until it stuck in my head, and when I accomplished that she was so proud, ill never forget the look on her loving caring face. She warmed my heart in many ways and I miss her so very much. I thought I would have a long time to call on her to get that boost I needed to get through my problems, as well as just sit with her and talk and laugh. I loved being around her she had a way to make you laugh no matter what. She cared very deeply about her friends and family. I will take what she gave me in this short life we live and use those words and advice the rest of my life. I will always remember her and keep her close in my heart. Becky WILL be missed by many people.*

Chris - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Trying to figure out what to say today has been one of the most draining and difficult things I’ve ever had to do and what I realized is that there aren’t enough words to give justice to the gravity of the loss that I feel, the loss we all feel. Becky was and is the most amazing person I have ever had the pleasure of having in my life. I know she has touched us all with her warm heart, bright smile and beautiful personality. She is a, wife, mother, grandmother, aunt, sister, friend, and a surrogate who wore many hats and don’t forget a hairdresser! She loved being a hairdresser; she was good at it and knew she was good. She used to say, the salon was her comfort zone, the one place she felt 100% confident, in her words she knew her shit! For the last 27 years of my life, Becky has walked my journey with me, every step of the way and has been my strength during the hardest times of my life. She supported me when I fought so hard to get my baby girl and shared in my joy when I stepped off the plane with Sydney, who she has loved like one of her own. She has held me when I cried, wiped my tears, and kicked my ass when I needed it. I could always count on Becky to tell me the truth without the candy coating, call me out when I was acting ridiculous, tell me to grow the hell up, help me see what my eyes were blind to and she did all of this with love. Like many of you in this room today, I would not be the person I am today if I had not had Becky in my life. She was the strongest woman I have ever known and she had enough strength to share with others when they needed it. She was my compass always pointing me in the right direction. I remember telling her many times how I carry her around with me wherever I go. When I would have a problem or wasn’t sure how to deal with an issue with Sydney, I would hear her words in my head, whispering to me “The right choice will always be the hardest thing to do” or “you have to love her enough to let her hate you for a little while” and she was right. She usually was. Becky had an uncanny ability to put everyone she met at ease accepting them for who they were, warts and all. She loved her friends deeply and would do anything she possibly could to help them when they needed her. She was funny, adventurous, loving and always young at heart. She was amazing. Like all of you, Becky

took a small piece of my soul with her. There is part of me that belongs to her and her alone. In this space I will put all my memories, tears, joy, laughter and love for her I have. And every now and then when I need my â??Becky Fixâ? I will go to that place and know she is with me, guiding me and loving me just as she always has.I loved her more than words can express and she will be missed everyday.Carolyn May-Johnston

Becky Braendle - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *becky, you will be missed my many,, there are no words to say , that everyone has not thought of,,i am the lucky one to to know you,,and your grand children and great grand children here in tennessee will never for get you.We will tell them the funny stories of you and them together and an you live on in your children and grand children and great grandchildren,,you are truly a special person.we miss you so very much...and will always remember your words of wisdom to us ..love you are angel .. thats watching over us now till we meet again, kisses and hugs*

Blanche sell - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Becky, You always lit up a room with your infectious laugh and quick humor! I always thought you should have been a standup comedian, maybe in the next life. You touched more peoples lives than you will ever know. I distinctly remember a day in the shop when you actually left to pick up one of your elderly clients. You brought her to the shop oxygen and all, cut her hair and then returned her safely to her home. Truly, an angel! I will never be able to thank you for the friendship that you gave to my sister Carolyn. You gave selflessly and brought her through some of the hardest times of her life. Thank you for always being there when I couldn't be. I truly hope that you and Bill have found each other and are looking down watching over all of us. We will all miss you and I know that with you gone so is a little piece of Carolyn's Carolyn May-Johnston heart. Love to you and your family, Dana Stark*

Dana Stark - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *No matter where i am in my life or where Becky is in her life i knew I could call or visit or bring a problem for some perspective or direction. I will continue to talk to her in my prayers and look for her in the wind and the flowers. She has truly made a great mark in my life and so many others. Love to Becky and her family.*

Ruthie - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM