



Rita E. Casey

July 18, 1963 - May 3, 2024

Rita E. Casey (nee' Cox), a cherished resident of Romeo, Michigan, passed away peacefully at her residence on Friday, May 4, 2024, at the age of 60. She was born in Pontiac, Michigan, on July 18, 1963, to Mary (nee' Lott) and the late David Cox.

Rita was a beacon of knowledge and passion as a history teacher with Clintondale Community Schools until her retirement in 2016. Her dedication to shaping young minds left an indelible mark on her students, colleagues, and community.

Beyond her professional pursuits, Rita's heart overflowed with love for animals, the tranquility of the family cabin up north, and the serene pastime of fishing. These simple pleasures brought her immense joy and served as sanctuaries where she found solace and contentment.

In 1987, Rita married the love of her life, John Casey, on her birthday, a testament to their enduring love and shared bond. Together, they created a life filled with love, laughter, and cherished memories.

Rita's memory will forever be cherished by her beloved husband, John, her son David, her grandson Jayden, her mother Mary, her sisters-in-law's Anne (Nick) Ditri and Ellen (Paul) Dennis, and her many adoring nieces and

nephews. She is preceded in death by her father, David Cox, sister, Maureen Noonan, and her brother, Robert Cox.

Family and friends will gather to celebrate Rita's life on Friday, May 10, 2024 at the Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home 8459 Hall Road (3 Blks E. of Van Dyke) Utica from 1pm until time of service 3pm.

In memory of Rita family request donations to American Heart Association/American Stroke Association 3816 Paysphere Circle, Chicago, IL 60674 americanheart.org

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering

MAY 10. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Wm Sullivan and Son Funeral Home
8459 Hall Road
Utica, MI 48317
(586) 731-2411
utica@sullivanfh.com
<https://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com/>

Memorial Service

MAY 10. 3:00 PM (ET)

Wm Sullivan and Son Funeral Home
8459 Hall Road
Utica, MI 48317
(586) 731-2411
utica@sullivanfh.com
<https://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ Jane Ditri, Doug, Pam, Jen, and Brian planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rita E. Casey.

Jane Ditri, Doug, Pam, Jen, and Brian - May 06, 2024 at 10:17 AM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Rita E. Casey.



May 06, 2024 at 10:17 AM