



Romaine Elizabeth Napier

October 30, 1936 - December 19, 2023

Born Romaine Elizabeth Highlands on October 30, 1936 in Chambersburg, PA. Born to the late Belle and Carl Highlands, Romaine grew up on a farm that later became Freys Dairy. She had wonderful memories of growing up in such a beautiful and picturesque home. Romaine married Robert Wheeler Napier on April 5, 1956 who died in an automobile accident in 1958, leaving behind 2 children, Sharon and Robert.

Romaine worked as a waitress and cook then went on to own her own cafe, which even though successful, took too much time away from her family. She worked the remainder of her career with Knouse Foods, retiring after 45 years. She was a dedicated employee and always enjoyed her job, where she had many friends and always spoke highly of her superiors.

In retirement Romaine enjoyed spending time with family, going to grandchildren's baseball and softball games. Romaine loved to cook big meals for her family, and cooking holiday meals was her delight. Romaine had beautiful flower beds and a lovely yard where she spent many happy hours.

Romaine passed away in Saint Petersburg, FL, surrounded by her loving family on Tuesday December 19, 2023. Romaine passed away in her daughter's home while under the care of Suncoast Hospice. Romaine will be greatly missed by her family, friends and neighbors.

Romaine is survived by her two children and their spouses, Sharon and John Devereux, and Robert and Teresa Napier. Also survived by grandchildren Nikki and Jason Bromley, David Devereux, Cody Napier, Samantha and Adam Etter. Also survived by beloved step grandchildren Dru, Paton, and Cora Bowling. And happily survived by precious great grandchildren Brooklyn Etter and Mila Bromley.

Romaine's memorial service will be held at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday, December 29, at 11am. In lieu of flowers please make a donation to your local hospice. Online condolences may be expressed at sellersfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Funeral Service

DEC **29**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Sellers Funeral Home
297 Philadelphia Avenue
Chambersburg, PA 17201

Tribute Wall

GS

“ Romaine and I were friends alot of years we lived in Marion and then I worked with her at knouse foods for alot of years she was a good friend I will miss her dearly rest in peace Romaine

Glenda Scott - January 08, 2024 at 07:05 PM

JM

Romaine was a very gentle and sweet woman. Worked at Knouse Foods for over 40 years. She talk about her family all the times, they were her life. She will sure be missed.

Jeff and Betty Mummert - January 30, 2024 at 06:13 PM

JM

“ Romaine would always send up good food to hunting camp when Bob and I would go up Thanksgiving evening. She will be missed!

Joe Melius - December 29, 2023 at 10:56 AM

DS

“ Romaine’s front porch was always a gathering place for neighbors to sit and chat and enjoy catching up with each other. She will be dearly missed by many who knew and loved her welcoming spirit. Sending love to each family member. She spoke so highly of all of you.

With love and prayers as you grieve her passing.

Steve and Debby Shadle

Debby Shadle - December 28, 2023 at 07:22 AM

SC

“ I worked with Romaine alot of years at knouse Foods.she was a good lady and a friend.Romaine will be greatly missed.My condolences go to all the family.May God watch over you.Rest in peace my friend. Stephanie Coffey

Stephanie coffey - December 27, 2023 at 07:09 PM