



Maureen Rose Staggs

November 17, 1936 - April 9, 2026

Maureen Rose Staggs was born on November 17, 1936, in Bend, Oregon to John & Jane Phalen. Maureen passed away on April 9, 2026 at MVH surrounded by her loving family.

Maureen (affectionally known as Mo or Nanny) was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, sister, and aunt. She met Larry Springer, they were married in 1957 and during their twenty years of marriage they welcomed Sue, Cathy, Steve, Shannon, Timothy and Meghan. In 1977 she moved to Omak, Washington and met Lynn Staggs, they married April 30, 1977. Maureen and Lynn lived in Omak until Lynn's passing in 1997.

Maureen was a devoted Catholic, prayed her rosary every day and enjoyed attending mass. Raising her children was her greatest joy and welcoming her grandchildren and great grandchildren into the family.

She is survived by her children, Susan (Randy) Witte of Fairbanks, Alaska, Cathy (Dan) Wood of Omak, WA, Steven (Debbie) Springer of Omak, WA, Shannon (Rick) Wilder of Tigard, OR, Timothy (Liza) Springer of Moses Lake, WA and Meghan (Buck) Buchholz of Tum Tum, WA. 15 grandchildren, 19 great grandchildren, her brother Patrick Phalen and niece Kelli Phalen.

Catholic Mass will be held Monday, April 20, 2026, 11:00 am at the Catholic

Church located at 2511 Elmway St, Okanogan, with burial to follow at Omak Memorial Cemetery.

Thank you to the staff at Apple Springs Assisted Living for all the love and care you provided Mo during her time residing there, she felt that the staff there were family.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in honor of Maureen to St. Jude or Tunnel to Towers Foundation.

In the stillness of the evening, your voice we hear, a gentle whisper, always near. Your laughter rings in every breeze. Your love, a warmth that never leaves.

You taught us all strength; you taught us all grace. In every challenge, we see your face. Through tears and joy, you stood so tall. A guiding light through it all. Though you're gone, your spirit stays, In every dawn, in every day. We'll carry you, Mom, in all we do. Forever grateful for loving you.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **19**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (PT)

River Valley Funeral
2547 ELMWAY
OKANOGAN, 98840-9629

Funeral Service

APR **20**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (PT)

Our Lady Of The Valley Catholic Church
2511 Elmway
Okanogan, WA 98840

Graveside Service

APR **20**. 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM (PT)

Omak Memorial Cemetery
2517 Elmway
Okanogan, WA 98840

Tribute Wall



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Maureen Rose Staggs.



April 16 at 05:59 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Maureen Rose Staggs.

April 16 at 05:35 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Maureen Rose Staggs.



April 16 at 05:35 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Maureen Rose Staggs.



April 15 at 01:09 PM

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“ So many memories of Mo and the family. She and Lynn were the most loving, welcoming people we knew. They accepted Don and I like part of the family. Sending many prayers, hugs and lots of love to the family, hope for peace and only beautiful memories. Love to all, Don & Marci Duncan

Don & Marci Duncan - April 15 at 02:37 AM

BJ

“ Beth Anne & Jeff Jones purchased the *Your Light Shines* for the family of Maureen Rose Staggs.



Beth Anne & Jeff Jones - April 14 at 03:15 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Maureen Rose Staggs.



April 13 at 07:19 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Maureen Rose Staggs.

April 13 at 07:19 PM

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“ *Unk, Kelli & family purchased the Guiding Light Bouquet for the family of Maureen Rose Staggs.*



Unk, Kelli & family - April 13 at 06:56 PM