



Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence

June 21, 1966 - August 31, 2020

Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence, 54, of Alexandria, KY, formerly of Falmouth, KY, passed away on Monday, August 31, 2020, at St. Elizabeth Health Care in Ft. Thomas, KY. Born on June 21, 1966 in Covington, she was a daughter of John Daniel and Mary Ann Trenkamp Kappes of Independence, KY. A graduate of Notre Dame Academy in Park Hills, Beth married Tony Spence on June 22, 1991, and together they embraced life's journey loving the Lord, their family and friends, and their lives. For 29 years, she and Tony have lived their faith while pastoring two churches: Alexandria First Assembly Church and Chapel of Praise in Falmouth. Always thankful for the people they met and the experiences they shared, Beth and Tony were a dynamic duo, always choosing to love life, to find hope in whatever situation they faced, and to brighten the lives of others. Beth loved everything about traveling and in 2017, she was thrilled to be part of her first mission trip outside the continental United States, visiting Romania, where she ministered to young children. For over 20 years, Beth worked as a dental assistant with Dr. William Verax and Dr. Grady Gibson.

In addition to her husband and best friend, Tony, and her parents, Beth is survived by her son Jacob (Caylea) Spence of Batavia, OH; her daughter Rebekah (James) Wilbers of Alexandria, KY; her sister Johanna (Karl) Chalk of Independence, KY; her brothers: Daniel (Sherry) Kappes of Independence, KY, Eddy (Tonya) Kappes of Southgate, KY, and Michael (Megan) of Ft. Mitchell, KY; several nieces and nephews; and a host of extended family and

friends.

Beth is a grandmother of a grandson due in November 2020.

Funeral services will be held at 2 pm on Saturday, September 5, 2020, at Alexandria First Assembly Church: 9126 Alexandria Pike, Alexandria, KY 41001. The visitation will be from 4-8 pm on Friday, September 4, 2020, at her church. Interment will take place in the Riverside Cemetery, Falmouth.

Memorials are suggested to Gideon International for the distribution of God's Word around the world: P.O. Box 147, Falmouth, KY 41040.

Woodhead Funeral Home, Falmouth is taking care of the family.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.woodheadfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Riverside Cemetery

Ridgeway Ave
Falmouth, KY

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 4. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Alexandria First Assembly Church
9126 Alexandria Pike
Alexandria, KY 41001

Funeral

SEP 5. 2:00 PM (ET)

Alexandria First Assembly Church
9126 Alexandria Pike
Alexandria, KY 41001

Tribute Wall

HB

“ Dear Tony and Family,

We are so sorry for your loss, though we are unable to be with you tonight we are sending our deepest sympathies. We feel so blessed to have known Beth and her memory will live on in all of us. Please know we're praying for strength during this difficult time. If there's anything you need we are here for you.

Love The Brennan family

Heather Brennan - September 04, 2020 at 05:59 PM

WB

“ *with Love, Phoenix & Brigitte purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.*



with Love, Phoenix & Brigitte - September 04, 2020 at 12:53 PM

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“ *Tony I have called to no avail. You have mine and Rose's sympathy. Due to Covid 19 I have not attended any funerals due to my health. She was a wonderful person and I am sure she is looking down on us from heaven. We will be thinking of you and your family tonight during this difficult time. Bill Verax*

Dr William J Verax III - September 04, 2020 at 11:50 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.



September 04, 2020 at 10:37 AM



“ Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.



September 03, 2020 at 11:32 PM



“ Dear Bro. Tony and Family,

Please accept my condolences upon the passing of your dear loved one. Beth was always pleasant to be around, and I know that it is very hard ...! May the Good Lord, through your great faith and knowledge That she is present with Him, comfort and keep you in the days that lie ahead.

Blessings,

Don

Don Wells - September 03, 2020 at 05:52 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.*



September 03, 2020 at 04:36 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers will be with the Spence family this Labor Day weekend as you celebrate Beth's many contributions and love shared in this life. With sympathy,
Your friends at Elevar Design Group*

Greg Otis - September 03, 2020 at 03:04 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.*



September 03, 2020 at 02:24 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.*



September 03, 2020 at 12:44 PM

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“ Love, Uncle Dave and Aunt Mary Ann purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.



Love, Uncle Dave and Aunt Mary Ann - September 03, 2020 at 11:34 AM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.



September 03, 2020 at 11:05 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.



September 03, 2020 at 10:53 AM

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“ Love Tim, Kathy, Emily, Jenna, Paige and Meredith purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.



Love Tim, Kathy, Emily, Jenna, Paige and Meredith - September 03, 2020 at 09:11 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.



September 03, 2020 at 07:01 AM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.



September 02, 2020 at 09:24 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.



September 02, 2020 at 09:18 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.



September 02, 2020 at 09:02 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.*



September 02, 2020 at 08:42 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary Elizabeth "Beth" Spence.*



September 02, 2020 at 08:32 PM



“ *So sorry to hear about Beth! I have nothing but great memories of her. She taught me how to be a wife and mother. She was such a great listener and always knew what to say. She made you feel like part of her family. Some of the best memories were crab legs at the casino, Sunday night bible study, trick or treating at their home in Falmouth, and spending time at their house for dinners. She was an amazing lady and will be so missed. Love you Spence family. You are in our prayers!*

Klaine family

Avery Klaine - September 02, 2020 at 07:48 PM

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If she touched your life you aspired to be like her. Strong, smart, beautiful, humble and full of love for God and her family. Without knowing her impact she touched so many lives. My prayers of comfort and peace for the family she spoke so much of and loved dearly. A good woman who has rest with the Lord she served with her life.

Tracy Moseley - September 02, 2020 at 10:09 PM