



## Mary Theresa Mayer (Weiler)

December 23, 1964 - June 26, 2019

Mary was born in Aurora, IL to Bernard and Lillian (Zeier) Weiler on December 23, 1964. She died in Philadelphia, PA on June 26, 2019. A life-long Aurora resident, Mary was a member of Annunciation BVM church and graduated from Rosary High School and Aurora University. She held a master's degree in social work and had a career in that field for many years, primarily providing child welfare services on behalf of Catholic Charities. Her work as customer service representative for Sprint earned special recognition for outstanding service and exemplary performance. She was an unwavering advocate for the disabled and for many years spent countless hours solving accessibility and work accommodation issues for disabled individuals throughout the country. She also volunteered for Fox Valley Special Recreation and Summer Easter Seal Camps.

Mary married her soulmate and the love of her life, Jack Mayer, in 2012. Together they made each day thereafter better than the day before. Mary loved to sing and performed with the Mystic River Music Makers for years. She spent joyful hours designing and creating custom greeting cards and other craft items. As the youngest of seven she tolerated a lifetime of teasing and the affectionate nicknames of "Tudy" and "Putz." Mary was a devoted aunt and her love of family, determination, and sense of humor were the touchstones of her life.

Mary was preceded in death by her parents; father-in-law, Joseph Mayer; brother-in-law Joseph King; and, her nephew Matthew Weiler.

She is survived by her husband, Jack Mayer; mother-in-law, Mary Rose (Lescher) Mayer; siblings Wayne (Patricia), Warren, Julie (Michael) Garofalo, Bernie (Maureen), Susan, and Frank (Cheryl); in-laws Joseph (Rita), William (Amy Logan), Mary Beth King, Thomas (Christine), and Rosemary (Scott) Kryk; 36 nieces and nephews; 27 great nieces and nephews; many friends and caretakers; and, her beloved canine companion 'Sammie'.

Funeral Mass will be held Wednesday, July 3, 2019, at 12:00 PM at Annunciation Church BVM, 1820 Church Road, Aurora, IL, 60505. Fr. Patrick Gillmeyer, OSB will officiate with interment at Marywood Cemetery. Mary will lie in state at Annunciation Church BVM Wednesday morning from 10:00 AM until the funeral hour at 12:00 PM. Arrangements are being handled by THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY, 220 N. Lake St., Aurora, 630-631-5500.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Spina Bifida Association, Waterleaf Women's Center, or Marley's Mutts Dog Rescue.

Please visit our interactive website at [www.daleidenmortuary.com](http://www.daleidenmortuary.com) where you may sign the guest book or leave condolences for Mary's family.

# Cemetery Details

## Marywood

1820 Church Road  
Aurora, IL 60505

# Previous Events

## In State

JUL 3. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Annunciation Church  
1820 Church Road  
Aurora, IL 60505

## Funeral Service

JUL 3. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Condolences on the loss of Mary Theresa Mayer. Sincerely, Billie DeBruin, friend of Mary (Lescher) Mayer.*

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**Billie DeBruin** - July 06, 2019 at 02:34 PM

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“ *We are all saddened to hear of Mary's sudden passing. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Jack during this most difficult time. Mary is at peace now in Heaven & she will be missed by all.  
Thomas, Laureen & Diana Lash*

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**Thomas Lash** - July 03, 2019 at 09:11 PM



“ *Words can't express how saddened I am to hear of your loss. I am so sorry Jack !*

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**Yoko Copeland** - July 03, 2019 at 04:34 PM

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“ *I was Mary's caregiver prior to her marriage to Jack and I had the pleasure of meeting most of her family. I am shocked to hear of her passing but I know that the past 7 years of her life were very happy. She is reunited in Heaven with her parents and watching over all of us. Sincere condolences to Jack and all of Mary's family. She will be missed.*

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**Gwen Merker** - July 02, 2019 at 11:50 PM

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“ Dear Jack and family,  
Even in your pain, you hold close to your hearts the gift of Mary's  
life. May you be consoled that she is born to eternal life and is alive  
in your hearts forever.

My prayers for her repose and for your peace,  
Beth

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**Beth Alcazar** - July 02, 2019 at 10:10 PM

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“ Blessed Mother, Mary most Holy, Please  
intercede for your daughter Mary and ask  
your most loving and divine son, Jesus, to  
have mercy on her soul.

Amen

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**Rod Adams** - July 02, 2019 at 03:42 PM



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“ For Jack, Wayne, Bernie and the rest of Mary's family,

I was so very sorry to hear of Mary's passing. She was entirely too  
young, and too good of a person to be lost to all who loved and  
admired her. She was a bright presence who I knew through  
Annunciation Parish, and I'll keep her, as well as all of you, in my  
prayers.

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**Suzanne Theis Lawrence** - July 02, 2019 at 01:50 PM



“ *European Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mary Theresa Mayer (Weiler).*



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July 02, 2019 at 07:18 AM



“ *Our deepest sympathies to Jack and family. We met Mary through Jack when we had our monthly pinnacle club. We had many great laughs and had a fun time at their wedding. We are unable to attend on Wednesday but will be with you thought and prayer.*



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**Fran & Paul Webb** - July 01, 2019 at 07:14 PM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Mary Theresa Mayer (Weiler).*



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July 01, 2019 at 01:52 PM



“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mary Theresa Mayer (Weiler).*



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July 01, 2019 at 11:18 AM