

Elizabeth Kathryn (Kearns) BEHLING

August 8, 1973 ~ September 21, 2024 (age 51)



Services

Memorial Visitation

Saturday

October 5, 2024

9:00 AM to 11:00 AM

St. Theresa Parish

136 W. Waukesha Road

Eagle, WI 53119

Mass of Christian Burial

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Private Committal

Elizabeth Kathryn (Kearns) Behling died suddenly in her home in Eagle, WI on Saturday, September 21, 2024. Beth was born on August 8, 1973 in Milwaukee, WI to William and Kathryn (Konkel) Kearns. She married Timothy James Behling on November 17, 1999 in Las Vegas, NV. Elizabeth and Timothy also married each other February 26th, 2000 at St. Roman Church in Milwaukee, WI.

Elizabeth graduated from Pulaski High School in Milwaukee, WI. She went on to attend Alverno College and graduated with a double major in history and social science in 1998. Elizabeth worked as a paralegal primarily in intellectual property for nearly three decades and also doubled as a realtor in 2016. Elizabeth took lots of pride in her work and always strived for perfection. Elizabeth had many hobbies such as reading, spending time with her family, playing basketball, listening to music, and much more. Her curiosity knew no bounds as she was learning about many things.

Elizabeth met the love of her life, Timothy, in 1999 in Milwaukee, WI. They built a beautiful life together with 3 children, which held so many years of love and happiness. They were married for nearly 25 years before Elizabeth joined her loved ones in heaven. Elizabeth loved her children dearly and devoted much of her time to being a wonderful mother.

Elizabeth was loved by many family and friends and was a shoulder to lean on for anyone who ever needed it. She touched the lives of so many with her selflessness and kindness. She will be missed by many and forgotten by none.



Survivors include her husband, Timothy Behling; her children, Jackson Behling, Samantha Behling, and Nicholas Behling; her mother, Kathryn (Neil) MacKenzie; her mother-in-law, Cynthia (Sylvester "Sonny") Dooley; her brother, Christopher Kearns; her sisters-in-law, Jamie Behling, Tammy Bird; her brother-in-law, James Bird, nieces, nephews, other relatives, and many friends.

Preceding her in death are her father, William Kearns and her father-in-law, James Behling.

As we celebrate Elizabeth's life, we will remember all of our beautiful, heartfelt, and funny moments with her. A particular memory that the family will never forget is our annual vacation to Florida. We cherished our time swimming in the pool, sitting on the balcony overlooking the gulf coast, and sitting at the ocean. We will cherish all of the life lessons that Elizabeth taught us and all of the love that she brought into our lives. She will continue to live on in the hearts of all that had the pleasure of knowing her.

Here is a bible quote we'd like to include in remembrance of Elizabeth's life; "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life". (John. 3:16)

Visitation will be held on Saturday, October 5th, at 9 am at St. Theresa Parish (136 W Waukesha Rd, Eagle, WI) followed by the funeral service at 11 am with Fr. Denny Jacob officiating.

For those unable to attend, those wishing to share a memory, or those wanting to just sign the on-line guest list registry, please go to: www.thelenfh.com. Thelen Funeral Services of North Prairie/Genesee is honored to be assisting the family. 262-392-4251