



Marie Elaine Bickmeyer

August 27, 1959 - May 3, 2026

It is with heavy hearts that we share the passing of Marie Elaine Bickmeyer, 66, of Amsterdam, who passed away on May 3, 2026, at Ellis Hospital, surrounded by her loving husband, children, their spouses, and her cherished granddaughter.

Born in Dallas, Texas on August 27, 1959, Marie was the daughter of Martin Justin Alcala and Marie Jones Alcala. She was raised and educated in Dallas and was a graduate of Granbury High School, Class of 1977. Marie later moved to the local area in 1990.

Marie was employed for a few years by Weller Homecare, formerly in Broadalbin, and later with the City of Amsterdam as a front desk clerk. If you knew Marie, you knew she had a big smile and an even bigger heart. She was kind, thoughtful, deeply compassionate, and had a way of making people feel cared for. She was indeed loved by many.

Marie found joy in life's meaningful moments. She loved music, cooking, decorating, caring for her home and her cats, and spending time camping. She built friendships across every season of her life, and those connections meant the world to her.

She is survived by her devoted husband, Robert E. Bickmeyer, whom she married on October 17, 2015; her daughters, Nikki Alcala (Jos Weber) of Portland, Oregon, and Jessica (Joe) Nolan of Watervliet; and her beloved granddaughter, Willow Mickel. She also leaves behind many extended family members and dear friends who will miss her greatly.

Calling hours will be held on Thursday, May 14, 2026, from 4 – 6pm at the Robert M. Halgas Funeral Home, Inc., 111 County Highway 106 (corner of Route 29 & Black Street), Johnstown. A funeral service will follow at 6pm at the funeral home with Rev. Dr. Bonnie Orth, officiating.

In lieu of flowers, we ask that you consider making a donation to the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) or the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention (AFSP) in care of the funeral home.

Upcoming Events

Calling Hours

MAY **14.** 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Halgas Funeral Home
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Memorial Prayer Service

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