



## Beth Anne Hanna

June 27, 1959 - February 18, 2026

Beth-Anne Hanna passed away peacefully at her home on February 18, 2026, at the age of 66. She was born June 27, 1959, in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, and she grew up in Pickford, Michigan, where she attended Pickford High School. She married Brien Hanna on January 31, 1976, and they have four children: Rachel, Richard, Jared and Kurt.

Beth's greatest joys in life were simple things. She enjoyed puzzles, reading, and a good game of cribbage. She was especially proud of once scoring the elusive 29 hand. But whether casting a line or playing a round of golf, she was truly at home outdoors. Beth spent her youth on the family farm on Blair Road where she developed a lifelong love of horses. She enjoyed gardening and delighted in feeding and watching the birds and deer in her yard. Also an avid angler, she particularly enjoyed fishing perch in Canada and loved to gather her children and grandchildren for fish fries. Beyond her legendary fish frying skills, she was also a talented singer and pianist. She played numerous local weddings and celebrations, and, for a time, Sunday church services.

Above all, Beth was a loving mother, grandmother, sister, and friend. She is survived by her husband Brien; children, Rachel (Marty) McDermott, Richard Hanna, Jared (Heidi) Hanna, and Kurt (Meghan) Hanna; sister Kelly (Rod) Slater, brother Mike (Paulette) Wise; grandchildren, Mia McDermott, Evan McDermott, William Hanna, Genievieve Hanna, Emory Hanna, Oliver Hanna,

Eloise Hanna, Harvey Hanna and Hunter Hanna; and niece and nephews, MacKenzie Wise, Nick Wise and Jack Slater.

Beth was preceded in death by her parents, Bill and Gerry Wise; her brother, Gary Wise; her nephew, Rob Slater; and her daughter-in-law, Kimberly Hanna.

A private memorial will be held this summer.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to EUP Hospice, 308 W. 12th Ave., Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783, in Beth's honor.

Family Life Funeral Homes – Pickford assisted the family with arrangements. Condolences may be given to the family at [www.familylifefh.com](http://www.familylifefh.com).

# Tribute Wall

MS

“ So sorry for your loss. She was a very patient and kind piano accompaniment for me with my high school music events. She will be missed greatly.

Michelle (Raynard) Saltzman - February 22 at 09:21 PM

JC

“ Joyce Crawford-henderson lit a candle in memory of Beth Anne Hanna



joyce crawford-henderson - February 22 at 05:06 PM

JC

*My deepest sympathy to Beth's family.  
I will miss our conversations and sharing thoughts.  
Beth's musical talents as many have addressed were a blessing to many. She played at the Donaldson Church and, at times, shared many hymns.  
Beth babysat my nephews and nieces, Steve, Randy and Kari Crawford and they recall fun times. Randy just mentioned that he recalls Beth "trying" to teach him the guitar.  
With deepest sympathy.*

joyce crawford-henderson - February 22 at 05:13 PM

SS

“ 1 file added to the album Friends



Sherry Skinner - February 20 at 08:42 PM

SS

*That one time when you were both in Mexico at the same time!*

Sherry Skinner - February 20 at 08:52 PM



“ Sending my condolences to the Hanna and Wise family. I met Beth through her cousin Donna Eagle (passed in Oct ) when we were in our early teens. I spent summer days on the Pickford farm and had good memories. I haven't seen Beth in many years. Our paths didn't cross over the years as I moved away. We had fun times back then and I'll always cherish them.  
May she RIP.

Luanne Rutt - February 20 at 07:49 PM

HR

“ A sweet and caring person. I remember her as a loving mother.

Holly Rohrer - February 20 at 05:52 PM

GL

“ Beth and I always teamed up to keep track of how many wins we had in cribbage against Brien. He was what we called b-team player. What a wonderful person who was always friendly to all. She will surely be missed.

Greg Ledy - February 20 at 02:37 PM

AR

“ My heart is broken... Beth and I shared a special “Batho” bond... i was never with Beth that we didn’t giggle!!! love and so many prayers to Brian, Racheal, Jarod, and Kurt and their families... She is missed already and I loved her to pieces!!! May God’s peace be with all of you!

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**Amy Raden** - February 20 at 01:33 PM

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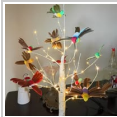
“ My heart is broken, I have lost my best friend. I love you to the moon and back! Sherry Skinner

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**Sherry Skinner** - February 20 at 12:18 PM

JM

I am so sorry to hear this. Beth was the most musically talented and creative person I have known. I loved listening to her play piano! We had an Easter piano duet we did often-my piece was the easy piece while Beth played the hard part and added her own flair to it. Beth also had such a beautiful singing voice. So talented! Condolences to her family.

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**Jaci Mortinsen** - February 20 at 01:16 PM



I am so sorry to hear. she was a wonderful person, thoughts and prayers to family!

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**Debbie Kelly** - February 20 at 01:19 PM