



Nicole Lower

March 22, 1979 - August 2, 2025

Nicole Lower, 46, of Centreville, MD — Beloved Mother, Daughter, Fiancée, and Friend

It is with great sadness that we announce the unexpected passing of Nicole Lower on August 2, 2025, at the age of 46.

Born on March 22, 1979, in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, Nicole was the beloved daughter of Kathleen and Thomas Lower. She grew up in Brentwood, Pennsylvania where she graduated from Brentwood High School. Nicole was a cheerleader throughout her youth and also played defense on the Red Rebels travel ice hockey team. She went on to attend Robert Morris College, earning her associate's degree.

Nicole's greatest joy in life was her children. A devoted sports mom, she never missed a game or event. Her bright smile could light up any room, and she was known for her generous heart—always willing to help others. For the past six years, Nicole served proudly as the Office Manager at Shore Bay Hospitalists in Easton, where she was deeply respected by her colleagues.

Nicole is survived by her parents, her loving fiancé, Brad Rattell; her children, Ryan, Zach, and Noelle Hazen, and Harper and Nolan Rattell; and her former husband, Mark Hazen. She is also survived by her brother, Donald, his wife

Janet, and several nephews.

Nicole's warmth, energy, and unwavering love for her family will be deeply missed by all who knew her.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Nicole's children or the charity of your choice.

The visitation will be Saturday, August 9th, 2025, 11:00 AM to 01:00 PM, with a Memorial Service at 1PM

Fellows, Helfenbein, Newnam Funeral Home, 408 South Liberty Street,
Centreville, MD 21617

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 9. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Centreville Location
408 South Liberty Street
Centreville, MD 21617
(410) 758-1151
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Memorial Service

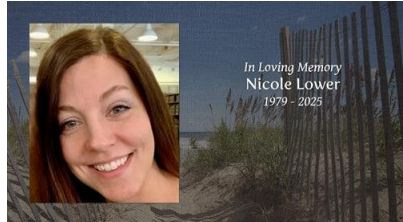
AUG 9. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Nicole Lower*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - August 11, 2025 at 02:54 PM

GW

“ *My condolences to the entire family. Nicole had a wonderful smile and was always so kind and positive. I'm thinking of you all. Sending prayers and all my love.*

Gretchen Wichlinski - August 09, 2025 at 12:32 PM

TF

“ *Such a dedicated mother and sweet friend. She always had the most warming smile and an undeniable kind spirit and presence whenever we saw her. Your entire family is in our thoughts and prayers*



The Thiel family - August 09, 2025 at 11:16 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Nicole Lower.*



August 08, 2025 at 01:28 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Nicole Lower.

August 08, 2025 at 01:28 PM



“ *My condolences to your family. I have fond memories of riding bicycles, roller skating, and playing all kinds of games with Nikki and the other neighborhood kids on Dalewood Street* ❤️



Rebecca Hagerty - August 08, 2025 at 10:06 AM



“ A grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Nicole Lower.

August 08, 2025 at 08:36 AM

BD

“ *Brian and Lori Daughters purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Nicole Lower.*



Brian and Lori Daughters - August 07, 2025 at 07:19 PM

BD

“ *Brian and Lori Daughters planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nicole Lower.*

Brian and Lori Daughters - August 07, 2025 at 07:19 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Nicole Lower.*



August 07, 2025 at 03:42 PM

NK

“ *Natalie Kruszewski lit a candle in memory of Nicole Lower*



Natalie Kruszewski - August 07, 2025 at 03:23 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Nicole Lower.



August 07, 2025 at 02:43 PM



“ Brentwood High School Family lit a candle in memory of Nicole Lower



Brentwood High School Family - August 07, 2025 at 11:53 AM



“ Your Brentwood High School Family lit a candle in memory of Nicole Lower



Your Brentwood High School Family - August 07, 2025 at 11:52 AM



“ Dana Fellows lit a candle in memory of Nicole Lower



Dana Fellows - August 06, 2025 at 10:47 PM

SS

“ Sef and Sherry purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Nicole Lower.



Sef and Sherry - August 06, 2025 at 08:36 PM



“ Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Nicole Lower.



August 06, 2025 at 07:11 PM

DT

“ Denise Travers lit a candle in memory of Nicole Lower



Denise Travers - August 06, 2025 at 07:03 PM

TS

“ The Training Division Staff purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of Nicole Lower.



The Training Division Staff - August 06, 2025 at 06:32 PM

TS

“ The Training Division Staff planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nicole Lower.

The Training Division Staff - August 06, 2025 at 06:32 PM

CI

“ Coffey Contracting Company, Inc. purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Nicole Lower.



Coffey Contracting Company, Inc. - August 06, 2025 at 05:07 PM

TF

“ The Simone Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Nicole Lower.



The Simone Family - August 06, 2025 at 04:10 PM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Nicole Lower.



August 06, 2025 at 01:55 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Nicole Lower.

August 06, 2025 at 01:55 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Nicole Lower.



August 06, 2025 at 11:55 AM



“ Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Nicole Lower.



August 06, 2025 at 11:15 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Nicole Lower.

August 06, 2025 at 11:15 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Nicole Lower.



August 06, 2025 at 10:41 AM



“ *Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Nicole Lower.*



August 06, 2025 at 10:26 AM



“ *Nicole, you were such a beautiful soul, sweet person and good friend.*

Being a mom was your proudest accomplishment. Your face lit up with the biggest smile when you spoke about or shared pics of the kid's sports and life events.

My heart aches for your children, Brad and Brad's children and all of us that are missing you so much.

I could not sleep well after your passing and woke up early. It was still dark and I looked out of the window and I saw the brightest star shining in the open sky. It reminded me of you and I immediately thought of this verse from Daniel 12:3.

"Those who are wise will shine like the brightness of the heavens, and those who lead many to righteousness will shine like the stars forever."

Nicole, I know you are shining down from heaven. You impacted so many lives with your bright light and your legacy lives on forever in our hearts.

Sherry

Sherry Martinez - August 06, 2025 at 08:08 AM

DH

“ Dr. Sarraf and Rafika- Shore-Bayy Hosp purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Nicole Lower.



Dr. Sarraf and Rafika- Shore-Bayy Hosp - August 05, 2025 at 09:24 PM

DH

“ Dr. Sarraf and Rafika- Shore-Bayy Hosp planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nicole Lower.

Dr. Sarraf and Rafika- Shore-Bayy Hosp - August 05, 2025 at 09:24 PM

GC

“ Sweet Nicole. Since the first time I met you- you gave me friendship, work life support, kindness, and love. You always took such good care of everyone and never failed to get what ever we needed done- done! I'll remember you for your great capacity and patience. My life to your family, friends, and community- you will be missed in our group- you were important to our practice and we will never forget you.

ginger conrad - August 05, 2025 at 06:12 PM

RU

“ Nicole, you were so great to work with. Just such a Sweet soul. Such a wonderful person. My heart breaks for your family. Ill be praying for your kiddos. It just seems so unfair. We will never forget you. Thank you for being a part of our lives.

Rudy - August 05, 2025 at 05:21 PM