



Cathy Ann Gareis

October 27, 1947 - February 17, 2021

Cathy Gareis, 73, passed away on February 17, 2021 after a short but courageous battle with cancer.

Cathy was born on October 27, 1947 in Hamilton, Ohio to Joe and Kay Beimford. Cathy and her family moved to Colorado in 1953.

She graduated in 1965 from George Washington High School. She went on to Colorado State University. It was there, while earning her Bachelor of Arts in History that she met her handsome husband.

Cathy spent her early working career in education sharing her passion for history. She later worked at Mountain Bell, Dr. Owens and Tulsa Bone and Joint. She was a respected employee with an admirable work ethic.

In her free time, she enjoyed spending time with her family and friends. She was a cross word puzzle expert. You could always find her in the stands or on the sidelines supporting her grandchildren. She had a way of turning her friends into honorary family, including the women she's played bunco with for over 30 years and the pizza and bagel friends.

She was proud of her Catholic faith and involved in several bible study groups. She and her family joined the Church of Saint Benedict's when they moved to Tulsa in 1987. She was a faithful parishioner from the first day they attended. She really missed attending mass in person during the COVID

pandemic.

Cathy is survived and celebrated by her son Scott and his wife Julie; daughter Sarah and her husband Kevin; four adored grandchildren Abram, Alexis, Reese & Finn; brother Pat Beimford; brother Jim Beimford and his wife Kathy; as well as her beloved nieces and nephews Lisa, Marcy, Erin, Michael, and Joseph.

She is preceded in death by the love of her life, Bernie and her parents Joe and Kay Beimford.

There will be a Rosary Service on Tuesday, February 23rd at 6:30 pm and a Funeral Mass on Wednesday, February 24th at 10:00 am. Both services will be at the Church of Saint Benedicts and will offer a live streamed option.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to:
Catholic Charities 2450 N. Harvard Ave Tulsa, OK 74115
www.cceok.org

Cemetery Details

Floral Haven Memorial Gardens

6500 S. 129th E. Ave.
Tulsa, OK 74012
(918) 252-2518

Previous Events

Rosary

FEB 23. 6:30 PM (CT)

Church of Saint Benedict
2200 W. Ithica Street
Broken Arrow, OK 74012

Funeral Mass

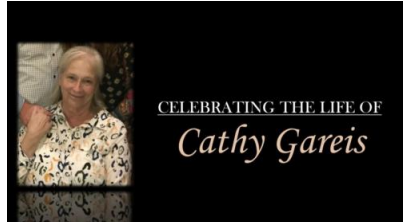
FEB 24. 10:00 AM (CT)

Church of Saint Benedict
2200 W. Ithica Street
Broken Arrow, OK 74012

Tribute Wall



“ Hayhurst Funeral Home created a Funeral Service in memory of Cathy Ann Gareis



Hayhurst Funeral Home - July 15, 2022 at 03:29 PM



“ Cathy Ann Gareis

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Cathy Ann Gareis.



February 22, 2021 at 11:25 PM



“ Love, Jim & Sally Clark purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Cathy Ann Gareis.



Love, Jim & Sally Clark - February 22, 2021 at 05:30 PM

KW

“ Kerry Winkler purchased the Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet for the family of Cathy Ann Gareis.



Kerry Winkler - February 22, 2021 at 04:19 PM

SU

“ From your ‘neighborhood’ Bunco group of 30+ years, your love and friendship will be missed. The Gareis family will continue to be in our prayers, for peace going forward and for thanks for taking such good care of our friend.



Suzanne - February 21, 2021 at 10:24 AM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Cathy Ann Gareis.



February 20, 2021 at 12:06 PM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Cathy Ann Gareis.



February 20, 2021 at 12:02 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Cathy Ann Gareis.*



February 19, 2021 at 11:04 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Cathy Ann Gareis.*



February 19, 2021 at 03:00 PM



“ *It is our honor and privilege to serve the Gareis family and to provide this permanent tribute website in memory of Cathy.*



Hayhurst Funeral Home - February 18, 2021 at 03:19 PM