



Christina Baker

December 13, 1949 - September 26, 2023

Christina Lynne Baker passed into the arms of Jesus suddenly Sept. 26 at her home. She was the daughter of Benson H. and Betty J. (Willis) Baker. Born in December 1949, she graduated from Whetstone H.S. and then went on to graduate from Mt. Carmel School of Nursing in 1970. She was employed at Mt. Carmel West, Mt. Carmel East, The American Red Cross, often as a staff educator, and retired from Nationwide Children's Hospital Child Care Center. She was a previous member of Christian Assembly church, where she was active in children's ministry and the sanctuary choir until health and mobility issues kept her at home. Following in her father's footsteps, Chris was also a member of Columbus Vaud-Villities productions for several years. She was preceded in death by her parents, aunts and uncles Bob and Peggy Willis, Margaret and Dean Willis, and Sissy and Samy Hutsler. She is survived by her beloved paternal cousins, Vicki Sparks and children, Kristi Phillip and children. She also leaves maternal cousins Leon and Kristi, Scott and Marcy, Marty and Bud, and Kelly and Doug as well as other

cousins. She loved her dear friends, Susie and “the girls”, Arlene T., Denise S., Karen T., and Kris. Christy will be remembered for her love of God, family, friends, children, and animals, especially her surviving fur baby, Amazing Grace. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Nationwide Children’s Hospital Pediatric Cancer Research. Visitation will be at Rutherford Corbin funeral home in Worthington, 10:00 to 11:00 am Thursday October 5 with the memorial service at 11:00. Burial will follow at Union Cemetery with Pastor Allon Sparks officiating.

Cemetery Details

Union Cemetery

3349 Olentangy River Road
Columbus, OH 43202
(614) 267-5471

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Rutherford Corbin Funeral Home
515 High Street
Worthington, OH 43085

Funeral Service

OCT 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MA

“ Chris and I became good friends when we did kids church together at CA. We hung out a lot . She sang at my wedding and was a true friend.

mary - December 05, 2023 at 01:04 PM

CS

“ Chris has been a cherished friend since 1967 when we started Nursing school together at Mount Carmel. Her smile and infectious laugh would make a stressful day as a student nurse a lot easier to deal with; you could always count on Chris to get involved in the fun and crazy things we'd do. All through the years since then I have so many happy, wonderful memories of Chris, and she could always be counted on to just listen & be supportive when things were not going so great. I love Chris and I will miss her more than words can say.
Carolyn Steffl

Carolyn Steffl - October 01, 2023 at 05:58 PM

JM

“ Chris taught me venipuncture when I started at Red Cross over 30 years ago. She was fun to work with and learn from as well as being a kind and caring work associate.

Jeff Mulligan

Jeff Mulligan - October 01, 2023 at 03:30 PM