



## Katherine "Kathe" Lemon

July 31, 1958 - November 17, 2018

Katherine "Kathe" Dawn Lemon, 60, of Columbus, OH, passed away on Saturday, November 17, 2018 in the Kobacker House. Kathe was born July 31, 1958 in Cincinnati to Charles and Peggy Lemon. Besides her parents, she is survived by brothers; Scott (Bobbi) Lemon, Michael and Richleigh Lemon, one sister; Megan Oberlin, 11 nieces and nephews and 14 grand-nieces and nephews. Kathe graduated Cambridge High School in 1976, Westminster College in 1980 receiving her B.A. and her M.A. from Mt. St. Joseph in 1992. She was a member of the Overbrook Presbyterian Church. After graduating from Westminster College, Kathe pursued her passion for education and children and became a teacher in the Cambridge City School System for 24 years until her loss of hearing forced her to retire. Kathe continued her caring spirit by volunteering for Southeastern Ohio Regional Medical Center in Cambridge before moving to Columbus, OH in 2010. While in Columbus, she volunteered for a Medical Mission trip to Haiti two years in a row. On her first trip, Kathe learned of a program that enabled her to sponsor a local student's education and decided to support three students. In 2013 she established the Katherine D. Lemon Student Scholarship to assist students from Cambridge High School with their cost for higher education. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to the Scholarship fund: C/O Overbrook Presbyterian Church. Services will be held on Friday November 23, 2018 at 4 PM in the Overbrook Presbyterian Church, 4131 N. High Street Columbus OH 43214. Family will be receiving friends from 2-4 PM at the church. A memorial service will be held

on Sunday, November 25, 2018 at 2:30 PM in the Southern Hills Baptist Church, 127 W. 8th Street Cambridge, OH 43725; a reception to follow service. The family wishes to express their sincere gratitude to the staffs of Danbury Senior Living and the Kobacker House Hospice for their excellent and dedicated care. Online condolences: [www.rutherfordfuneralhome.com](http://www.rutherfordfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Northwood Cemetery

Cambridge, OH

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **23**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Overbrook Presbyterian Church  
4131 North High Street  
Columbus, OH 43214

## Funeral Service

NOV **23**. 4:00 PM (ET)

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4131 North High Street  
Columbus, OH 43214

## Memorial Service

NOV **25**. 2:30 PM (ET)

Southern Hills Baptist Church  
127 W. 8th Street  
Cambridge, OH 43725

## Reception to Follow Service

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127 W. 8th Street  
Cambridge, OH 43725

# Tribute Wall



“ *Rutherford Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Katherine "Kathe" Lemon*



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**Rutherford Funeral Homes** - November 21, 2018 at 01:58 PM



“ *Katherine "Kathe" Lemon*

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January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *Peggy, Charlie and family,*

*We were so sorry to hear from Bill Gause about Kathe's death. Here, we learn she also had a terrific life, thanks to your love and joy in all things. Her health had declined by the time we met but the smile never seemed to fade. We wish you peace and comfort as you go forward from this tough passage.*

*Fondly, Ronnie, Vicki and Debbie*

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**Debbie Gebolys** - November 29, 2018 at 07:45 AM

DL

“ I have such fond memories of Kathe and the entire Lemon family, I so wish I could be with you today to celebrate her life in the church where I first met all of you, Kathe truly was a joyful soul who displayed great character through some difficult times, Love you all, Dixie Lodge

Dixie Lodge - November 25, 2018 at 03:14 PM

PS

“ To the lemon family my deepest sympathy and you are in my prayers. Katherine always brought a smile to my face when I saw her.

Pam Scott

Pam Scott - November 23, 2018 at 10:07 AM



“ Kathe you have a Great family! You will be always remembered and never forgotten! Respectfully Chase & Marc Ryder

Marc Ryder - November 23, 2018 at 08:32 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Katherine "Kathe" Lemon.



November 23, 2018 at 08:24 AM

SN

“ Peggy and Charlie: My deepest sympathies for the loss of Kathe. The little I knew her, she was a lovely young lady. I am so deeply sorry for your loss, but I am sure she is now at peace. My hugs to you both, Sandy Neufeld

Sandra K. Neufeld - November 22, 2018 at 12:48 PM

EK

“ Deepest sympathies to the Lemon family. I recall Kathe's sweet kind soul when we were growing up- she was so nice to everyone.

Ellen Kissinger Koch - November 21, 2018 at 10:00 PM

PL

“ My ssincere sympathy to the Lemon family for your loss. I did not know Kathe, but I am a friend of Megan's and have met her and Megan's Mom and Dad. She was blessed with an amazing kind family. May all the good memories of Kathe sustained you through this heartbreaking time. God Bless.

Penny Lenhard - November 21, 2018 at 09:53 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Katherine "Kathe" Lemon.



November 21, 2018 at 12:20 PM

BC

“ Charlie and Peggy, so sorry for your loss. I worked with Kathe at SEORMC when she volunteered there. Thoughts and prayers for your family.

*Beth Carter*



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**Beth Carter** - November 20, 2018 at 04:34 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Katherine "Kathe" Lemon.



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November 20, 2018 at 12:28 PM

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“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



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**Kevin Lerner** - November 20, 2018 at 10:56 AM

RH

“ My sympathies to the Lemon family. I will always remember Kathe with a beautiful smile and a caring heart. My prayers of comfort at this time.

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**Robert V Hoyt** - November 20, 2018 at 06:47 AM

BM

“ I remember Kathy as a sweet girl. I graduated high school with her. Many prayers to the family at this difficult time. 🙏

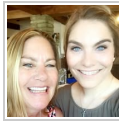
Barb Neiderheiser McKinnon - November 19, 2018 at 10:03 PM



“ Deepest sympathies to the entire Lemon family. So many good memories from 2nd U.P. Church. May God give you peace & comfort.

Beth McCoy Wharton

Beth Wharton - November 19, 2018 at 09:06 PM



Mike & family may God hold you in his arms as you have such sorrow as he touches your sis and welcomes her to heaven 💜💛❤️ Cindy Rich & family.

Cynthia Rich - November 20, 2018 at 10:44 AM

DA

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Kathe had always been a sweet, kind and loving person. I am proud to have called her one of my best friends. My love and prayers go out to all of you! May God provide you strength and comfort during this very difficult time.

Love,  
Diane Andrews

Diane Andrews - November 19, 2018 at 08:29 PM



TR

“ I'm so sorry to hear of Kathe passing. We had so many fun times together in our neighborhood and high school activities. She was a wonderful person. Heaven has gained an angel. My heart goes out to the Lemon family!

*Tracie (Fedorke) Herman*

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**Tracie** - November 19, 2018 at 06:49 PM

TL

*I was so sorry to hear this. So many great memories in school, One Way Singers and Student Life. She was a great friend. My love and prayers are with you all!*

*God bless,  
Tina (Coury) Lucas*

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**Tina (Coury) Lucas** - November 19, 2018 at 10:15 PM

MC

“ We were so sorry to learn of Kathe passing.

*Kathy Lemon is one of the most loving and caring souls I know. When she was in high school she worked for us at our A&W and was loved by everyone. She was such a great worker, and always gave a helping hand to the new employees. She will be one of the best angels in heaven!*

*Our sympathy is sent to the family for this huge loss.*

*Marty and Martin Cannon*

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**M&M Cannon** - November 19, 2018 at 06:09 PM