



## Vickie Lynn Smart

February 16, 1954 - March 30, 2020

Vickie Lynn Smart, 66 of Lewis Center Ohio, passed away peacefully Monday March 30, at home after a long battle with cancer. Born February 16, 1954 in Cincinnati to James M. and Delores (Ritter) Hon, Vickie was a 1972 graduate and a member of the Honor Society at Buckeye Valley High School. Her interests focused on Journalism during her High School years which she continued to pursue at Ohio State University. Leaving college, Vickie began a career in retail sales in clothing and jewelry. She eventually started working at Berman's Leather Goods eventually managing the Westland mall store, followed by the larger Northland and Eastland stores. However, the hours of retail became too onerous resulting in a move to a few banking positions. Vickie then got work in the new computer/internet sector with a position in Human Services at CompuServe. Her hard work led her to many promotions at CompuServe and later management positions at World Comm and Metatec.

In 1982, Vickie married William L. Smart, a marriage lasting 38 years. They had one daughter, Karlyn Mackenzie, both who survive her. Also surviving are a brother James Hon, two sisters- in- law, Diane Lynn (Smart) Schmidt (Edward) and Tamara Sue (Smart) Duffy, as well as several nieces and nephews.

Outside of work, Vickie was a devoted mother, avid reader and enjoyed word

games and making jewelry for her and her friends. Vickie and William are active members of St Mary Catholic Church in Delaware, Ohio. Vickie was a volunteer at the church office until she developed serious health issues.

In 2005, Vickie was diagnosed with advanced breast cancer. She and her medical team managed to keep her cancer at bay for 14 plus years. Unfortunately, her cancer metastasized into her bone and finally the liver and lung.

Vickie and her husband supported several cancer and medical charities as well as Special Olympics.

Due to health restrictions currently in force, her service will be restricted to immediate family only. Arrangements by: RUTHERFORD FUNERAL HOME AT POWELL, 450 W. Olentangy St., Powell, OH. Condolences may be left at: [www.RutherfordFuneralHomes.com](http://www.RutherfordFuneralHomes.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Rutherford Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Vickie Lynn Smart*



Rutherford Funeral Homes - April 02, 2020 at 02:13 PM



“ *Vickie Lynn Smart*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *Through our friendship, I had the good fortune to know and even work with Vickie. What a class act! Vickie was such a positive and kind person. I am so sorry for your loss and know that you and McKenzie will be a great comfort to each other!*

Tom Semans - April 07, 2020 at 02:29 PM



“ *Mike Walton purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Vickie Lynn Smart.*



Mike Walton - April 04, 2020 at 05:21 PM

AB

“ *Bill and Makenzie my heart goes out to you both. I am so grateful to have gotten the opportunity to get to know her. She had just about the best attitude I've ever seen, and her sharp wit and intellect were matched only by her kindness. Truly the world is dimmer without her light. Love and peace to your whole family in this difficult time.*

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**Anne Barnes** - April 03, 2020 at 07:31 PM

KB

“ *Bill and Kenzie,  
My heart goes out to you during this difficult time. I always enjoyed spending time with Vickie. She will be missed.  
Sincere condolences,  
Kathy Butler*

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**Kathy Butler** - April 03, 2020 at 06:39 AM

PN

*My heart goes out to you Bill. Sending prayers. Sincere sympathy -  
Paula (Schacherbauer) Nicol*

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**paula nicol** - April 03, 2020 at 12:12 PM

DR

“ *Bill and MacKenzie, my deepest sympathy to both of you on this overwhelming loss.  
Sincere condolences,  
David Resch*

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**David Resch** - April 02, 2020 at 09:08 AM

KG

“ *Bill and family, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. My heartfelt condolences during this difficult time, you are in my families prayers.*  
*Keith Grover*



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**Keith Grover** - April 01, 2020 at 07:59 PM

LB

“ *So sorry to hear this Bill.....my deepest condolences.....Linda Beucler, Westerville, Ohio*

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**Linda Beucler** - April 01, 2020 at 07:48 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Vickie Lynn Smart.*



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April 01, 2020 at 06:57 PM

 Pat Carothers

“ *Bill and family, I am very sorry for your loss. I know you will miss her. Best regards, Pat Carothers*

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**Pat Carothers** - April 01, 2020 at 03:12 PM

JH

*So very sorry for your loss, Bill and family. May you find some peace in this trying time.*  
*Jack and Susan Hendrickson*

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**Jack Hendrickson** - April 01, 2020 at 03:46 PM

JW

*Bill, So sorry to learn of your wife's passing. I hope your good memories bring comfort to you and your daughter. Thinking of you.*  
*Jerry Williams*

**Jerry Williams** - April 01, 2020 at 05:10 PM

Rick  
Lupisella

*So sorry to hear of Vicki's passing. I hope the days ahead are filled with great memories of your life together. You will be in my prayers.*

**Rick Lupisella** - April 02, 2020 at 07:59 AM



*Bill, I am very sorry to hear about Vicki passing away. You guys had such a long time together that you will have many fond memories. God Bless.*

**David Jones** - April 02, 2020 at 11:17 AM

MM

*Sincere condolences to your family. Vicki was blessing to you all and your memories of her will be forever*  
*Marianne Muhleman*

**Marianne Muhleman** - April 02, 2020 at 07:41 PM



*Bill, i just heard of Vicki's passing and wanted to express my deepest condolences to you and your family. So sorry for your loss, my friend..*

*Bob D'Angelo*

**Bob D'Angelo** - April 02, 2020 at 07:55 PM

RT

*For what is it to die but to stand naked in the wind and melt it into the sun? Only when you drink from the river of silence shall you indeed sing. And when the earth shall claim your limbs, then shall you truly dance. Kahlil Gibran.*

*Ron Todaro*

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**Ron Todaro** - April 02, 2020 at 08:59 PM

TB

*I knew Vicki at CompuServe. She was a lovely person inside and out. I'm sorry to hear of her passing.*

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**Tisha Bruemmer** - April 03, 2020 at 04:08 PM