



Karen M. Radaker

August 26, 1942 - June 17, 2021

Karen Mae Grugel Radaker, born August 26, 1942 to the late Ulysses Carl and Pearl H. (Burrow) Grugel , passed away on June 17, 2021 with her loved ones at University Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio.

She was a graduate of Euclid High School and worked for Southern-Western Insurance, General Electric, and then at Broadmoor Elementary School as an instructional aide for special education.

She is preceded in death by her parents, U. Carl and Pearl H. Grugel; her husband, Kenneth L. Radaker; her son, Kristopher L. Radaker; infant son, Keith; brother, Richard Grugel; and sister, Betty Zaller.

She is survived by husband, Frank Bayer of Mentor; son and daughter-in-law, Karl C. and Denise L. Radaker of Wheeling, WV; stepson and husband, Carl M. Bayer and Darren Young of Bristow, VA; grandchildren, Kyle C., Tyler J.L., and Lia M. of Wheeling, WV; and many nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

She was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, aunt, cousin, and friend that enjoyed crocheting, gardening, reading, collecting antique glass, collecting snow globes, cooking, and visiting for coffee and a chat with many laughs. Karen loved Christmas and was known for her huge trees with a million

twinkling lights!

Karen doted on her grandchildren and was loved by them greatly. They would spend hours doing puzzles, playing games, dancing, painting, swimming, watching movies, and enjoying time together. Karen was a true friend to all those in her life. She truly was a person with a lively spirit and a friendly soul.

Family and friends will be received at Monreal-Srnick Funeral Home at 35400 Curtis Blvd., Eastlake, Ohio on Tuesday, June 22 from 4:00 - 8:00 p.m. Service will be held at the funeral home on Wednesday, June 23, at 10:00 am, followed by burial at Whitehaven Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Whitehaven Memorial Park

615 Som Center Road
Mayfield, OH 44143

Tribute Wall

AL

“ *Karl and family. MaryJane and I are sorry we cannot travel back to Ohio for your mother's funeral. We have many fond memories of times shared with her. As you know, your Mom was always involved in some part of my life as I was growing up. We are thinking of all the good times we shared with her. We will keep in touch with you. Love, Allen J. Levan.*

Allen Levan - June 22, 2021 at 06:33 PM

MS

“ *I'm very sorry for the loss I am always here for you and your family my grandma Charlotte will be there I can not attend because I have a 10month old*



melanie stoldt - June 22, 2021 at 11:08 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Karen M. Radaker.*



June 22, 2021 at 11:04 AM

JL

“ Karl,
We were very sorry to hear of your mom's sudden passing.
Your mom sure was a wonderful lady.
You are all in our thoughts and prayers.
Joe and Emmy Lefe

Joe Lefe - June 21, 2021 at 08:51 PM



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Monreal Srnick Funerals & Cremations - June 21, 2021 at 03:23 PM

DR

“ I remember Karen as one of my favorite bank customers at the
Great Lakes Mall, years
ago. Such a sweet lady. May she rest in peace.

Dorothy J Rodick - June 20, 2021 at 10:49 AM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of
Karen M. Radaker.



June 19, 2021 at 06:33 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Karen M. Radaker.* ”



June 19, 2021 at 05:29 PM