Cynthia "Cindy" Malone

October 12, 1951 - August 30, 2024

Cynthia (Cindy) Malone, age 72, daughter, wife, mother, grandmother, and friend passed into God’s rest August 30, 2024, at Mt. Carmel Home in Kearney.

Cindy was born October 12, 1951, in Columbus, Nebraska, the daughter of Alois and Viola (Cross) Pimper. Her early years were spent in Howells, Nebraska, before her family moved to Fremont, Nebraska. Cindy graduated from Fremont High School in the Class of 1969. Cindy attended UNL before marrying David Malone, on June 12, 1971. During their 53-year marriage they lived in Illinois and Colorado before settling in Kearney. Their two daughters, Sara and Rachel, were born while living in Kearney.

Cindy was a lover of her family and her friends. Wherever she lived, whatever she did, Cindy had a way of making life-long friendships. She loved her years working at Kearney Eye Institute. She was active in the Evangelical Free Church serving as a Deaconess as well as being an inspiration and mentor to many ladies in the church. She was a softball mom making weekend trips to tournaments and a 4-H mom with a garage full of bunnies. The years at the Branson cabin made special family memories. After Dave’s retirement they were privileged to travel across America as well as visit Ireland and Israel. Cindy was an excellent seamstress smocking many dresses for little girls and knitting with the “girls” as long as she could. She was a charming hostess and

wonderful cook for many gatherings of family and friends. Cindy loved the time with her six grandchildren.

Cindy was a courageous cancer survivor. She was diagnosed with breast cancer, September 11, 2003. Through surgeries, chemo and radiation, a smile was always on her face. She never lost her zeal for life and never waivered from her trust that one day she would hear Jesus say, “…well done my good and faithful servant…”

Cindy was preceded in death by her father, Al Pimper and her in-laws, Max and Maxine Malone.

She is survived by her mother, Vi Pimper of Kearney; husband, Dave Malone of Kearney; daughters Sara Malone and Rachel Ulrick of Kearney; and son-in-law, John Ulrick of Ft. Eustis, Virginia; brothers Mark (Sue) Pimper of Longmont, Colorado and Dave (Amy) Pimper of Fremont; sister-in-law, Anita (Allen) Hall of Lincoln; and her grandchildren Mica, Malakai, Liberty, Jayden, Xaiah and Hanna along with nieces and nephews.

A visitation will be at the funeral home Wednesday, September 4th from 6:00 to 8:00 PM. A memorial service for Cindy will be held at the Kearney Evangelical Free Church, September 5th, 2024, at 10:30 AM. Pastors Adrian Boykin and John Fowler officiating.

Memorials are suggested to the Kearney E-Free Adoption Fund or to Collage. Condolences may be shared online at www.osrfh.com. Services are entrusted to O’Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **4**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Homes and Cremations
4115 Ave N
Kearney, NE 68847
(308) 234-3500
info@osrfh.com
https://www.osrfh.com

Memorial Service

SEP **5**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Kearney E-Free Church
4010 7th Ave
Kearney, NE 68845
http://www.kearneyefree.com

Tribute Wall

KR

Dave, Rachel, Sara and family;
I am so sorry for your loss. Prayers that God would bring you peace and comfort at this time. Remembering the "Purpose Driven Life" bible study together for good times shared.

Kimberly Rebman - September 05, 2024 at 03:49 PM

RE

Sorry for your loss Dave, as she seemed to be a wonderful person and spouse. We'll keep you in our prayers. Cecilia noticed this news before I did, and let me know all the way from Germany. She spoke highly of your wife as well. Blessings.

Reesa Eisler

Reesa M Eisler - September 05, 2024 at 03:11 PM

RW

David. I'm sorry you have lost a great lady in your life. She will be with you always.

Russ Whyman - September 04, 2024 at 08:12 AM

GJ

George & Charlene Ulrick, Jr. purchased the Bas ket Full of Wishes for the family of Cynthia "Cindy" Malone.

George & Charlene Ulrick, Jr. - September 03, 2024 at 05:55 PM

GJ

George & Charlene Ulrick, Jr. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Cynthia "Cindy" Malone.

George & Charlene Ulrick, Jr. - September 03, 2024 at 05:55 PM

GP

Garrett and Monique Pohlman purchased the Si mply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Cynthia "Cindy" Malone.

Garrett and Monique Pohlman - September 03, 2024 at 04:37 PM

TF

The Outpost Church Family purchased the Encha nted Cottage for the family of Cynthia "Cindy" Malone.

The Outpost Church Family - September 03, 2024 at 03:45 PM

LW

Linda W. planted a grove of 3 Memorial Trees in honor of Cynthia "Cindy" Malone.

Linda W. - August 31, 2024 at 04:07 PM

PP

Cindy always had a smile, no matter how rough her day was. Prayers for Dave and family.

Patricia J Pennington - August 31, 2024 at 10:18 AM

Oh Dave -- i just saw your facebook post. How Cindy will be missed. She was such a bright light, bringing joy wherever she went. We so loved her presence in our Sonrise Bible Studies. I remember when she and Steve were going through cancer at the same time twenty years ago, and how kind was despite her own pain. My prayers are with you and your daughters. Dee Brestin

Dee Brestin - August 31, 2024 at 09:41 AM