



Marilyn M. Goedert

October 7, 1948 - November 4, 2018

Marilyn Mae Goedert
Kearney Resident

Marilyn Mae Goedert, 70, of Kearney passed away on November 4, 2018 at her home in Kearney. Memorial services will be 11:00 a.m. Friday, November 16, 2018 at Fort McPherson National Cemetery in Maxwell, Nebraska.

Memorials are suggested to the family for future designation. Condolences may be shared online at www.osrfh.com. Services are entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services.

Marilyn Mae Goedert was born October 7, 1948 in Alliance, Nebraska to Russell and Ruby (Reeves) Sommers. She attended grade school in Hyannis, Nebraska and later attended school in Wallace, Nebraska graduating with the class of 1966. Following high school, Marilyn enrolled in the School of Practical Nursing at Kearney State College in Kearney.

Following her education, Marilyn moved to Denver, Colorado and worked in the surgical operating room at Colorado General Hospital and later was a private scrub nurse for three neurosurgeons in Denver. She moved to Omaha, Nebraska where she worked at Nebraska Medical Center as an operating room nurse for seventeen years. She was the Director of Recovery Services

at Nebraska Organ Recovery System for fifteen years. For the last nine years she worked as a video monitor at Nebraska Medicine.

Marilyn was united in marriage to her high school friend, Jim Goedert on March 1, 2018. Jim nicknamed her "Red" because of her auburn hair.

Marilyn loved good food and traveling. She also enjoyed "Find a Grave", power shopping and entertaining friends and family. She will be remembered for her sense of humor which could make anyone smile.

Left to cherish her memory are her husband, Jim Goedert; children, Andrew Neal and Andrea Neal; step-children, Jimmy Goedert, Jeffrey Goedert and his wife, Joleen, and Jonathan Goedert; grandchildren, Titus and Shepard Neal, Caitlyn and Taylor Goedert, and Kelli Kuecker; great-grandchild, Theodore Kuecker; mother, Ruby Sommers; brother, Wally Sommers and his wife, Janey; along with many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Marilyn was preceded in death by her father, Russell.

Cemetery Details

Fort McPherson National Cemetery

12004 State Highway 56A Spur
Maxwell, NE
(308) 582-4433

Previous Events

Graveside Service

NOV **16**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Marilyn M. Goedert*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *I worked with Marilyn in the Operating Room on the graveyard shift at UNMC. I think it was late 70's or early 80's. We had such fun and became friends. I always enjoyed running into her in the following years while she was working for Nors and I was still in the OR. We could just pick up our conversations where we left off. Rest in peace dear friend.*

Konda Nietfeld, Blair, Nebraska

Konda Nietfeld - November 19, 2018 at 03:37 PM



“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Marilyn M. Goedert.*



November 12, 2018 at 11:58 AM



“ *I had worked with Marilyn at UNMC and I enjoyed every time I was with her. We would laugh. She loved her family and grandchildren so much. RIP my friend ... you will be missed ... Sandy*

Sandy Saunders - November 12, 2018 at 10:57 AM

SS

“ *Sandy Saunders lit a candle in memory of Marilyn M. Goedert*



Sandy Saunders - November 12, 2018 at 10:53 AM

TA

“ *Marilyn and I were up together many nights during her years at NORS, when I was a kidney transplant coordinator. She was always delightful to work with and a positive influence in the organ recovery process. We connected again at Nebraska Medicine and shared fond memories of those days. May her memory live on in the family she loved so much!*

Tavi Baker

Tavi - November 10, 2018 at 04:51 PM



“ *Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marilyn M. Goedert.*



November 10, 2018 at 03:55 PM

TK

“ I will always miss you my friend. I will miss your smiles and laughs we shared. I will miss you seeing at work bright in the morning... Rest In Peace!



Taylor Kim - November 10, 2018 at 04:54 AM

LF

“ Marilyn loved Find A Grave and saw on a memorial page that we were cousins and reached out to me. I'm so thankful that she did! And that she lived in the same state as I did, so that I got to meet with her several times. What a wonderful person! So glad that she finally gave in and married Jim :-) Heaven has gained a beautiful soul and I can't wait to see her again, so that she can show me around. I can visualize the family coming to meet her and welcome her home. Until we meet again. Love you and miss you, cousin.



Lori

Lori Frisch - November 09, 2018 at 11:01 AM

DT

*“ Marilyn was a dear friend for many years. We attended church together and I took care of her children in nursery. She will be deeply missed.
Jim we're praying for you and her family and children. Our prayers for you and her family. Dale & Diana Tripp*

Diana Tripp - November 08, 2018 at 02:18 PM



“ *My life changed forever when I met Marilyn. She was my best friend for 35 years. We shared the good & bad times, laughter & tears and sorrow & joys. Most of who I am today is thanks to Marilyn...I will miss you deeply dear friend...see you in heaven.*

Maggie Cope - November 08, 2018 at 08:59 AM



“ *To the world you may have been just one person,
 But to one person you may just have been the world,
 Red you were my world.*

Jim

james goedert - November 07, 2018 at 08:34 PM



“ *Love, Linda Marcum purchased the Serene Retre at for the family of Marilyn M. Goedert.*



Love, Linda Marcum - November 07, 2018 at 08:01 PM



“ *I wil miss my long time friend Marilyn. I always enjoyed getting her text at work saying where she would be video montioring so I could stop by and visit.*

Sheila Schmadeke - November 07, 2018 at 07:59 PM

JG

“ *Jim Goedert lit a candle in memory of Marilyn M. Goedert*



jim goedert - November 07, 2018 at 07:54 PM

JG

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Jim Goedert

jim goedert - November 07, 2018 at 07:50 PM