



Katherine Marie Daugherty

August 10, 1937 - January 7, 2021

Katherine (Kathy) Daugherty of Fort Collins, 83, passed away on January 7, 2021.

Kathy's husband of 60 years, Ned, died in 2019. Kathy is survived by her daughter Lynn (Rick); granddaughters (Emily and Maggie); her son Mike (Kathy).

Kathy grew up in Michigan. She completed her nursing degree in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

She and Ned moved to Colorado in the early 1960's. They enjoyed camping and hiking together in Colorado and the western United States, and in later years, near their cabin close to Red Feather Lakes. During their time together, they also traveled to Canada, Mexico, Hawaii and to Western Samoa to visit Mike while he was in the Peace Corps.

Kathy loved the beauty of the outdoors, including birds, flowers, butterflies and the great vistas of the Rocky Mountains. She was particularly fond of hummingbirds, cardinals and columbine flowers.

Music was always important to Kathy. She always had music, especially classical music, playing in the background. Kathy and Lynn used to challenge each other's musical knowledge by playing "name the composer" when listening to classical music.

Kathy was generous of heart and spirit. She was a devoted friend, keeping in touch with friends from nursing school, church friends and neighbors until her death.

She was a long-time mailing volunteer at the Lincoln Center, St. John's Lutheran Church and Peace with Christ Lutheran Church. At the Lincoln Center she was in charge of the mass mailings for many years.

Her family also remembers her cookies, especially oatmeal cookies and springerle (a German cookie from her childhood), birthday cakes in the shapes of animals, and help with Halloween costumes.

No memorial service is planned at this time but may be held at a later date.

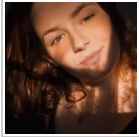
In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made in Kathy's name to the Audubon Society, Peace with Christ Lutheran Church (Fort Collins) or the Food Bank for Larimer County. Visit Bohlenderfuneralchapel.com to leave on-line condolences.

Tribute Wall

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“ *A beautiful person whom I will always respect. Rest in peace.*

Ralph Marshall - September 17, 2021 at 12:40 AM



“ *Taking care of Kathy was a blessing and an honor. She always had stories to tell about all of her family members. She was always very understanding and gave me such great advice in times of need. Her nursing background did a great deal of service for the ones taking care of her. It is very sad to see her go and it won't be the same without her.*

Nicole Krenning - January 18, 2021 at 01:36 PM

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“ *Ned and Kathy were so much a part of Pam and my life. They were at our surprise engagement shower and both laughed so at the fun festivities. They were both there for my 30th, 40th and 50th birthday parties. They were at our children's baptisms and one-year-old birthday parties. In short ... they were members of our family. Words do not adequately express our love and appreciation for their support and friendship over the past 35+ years. We miss Ned so much and now miss Kathy. They were family! We will miss them both ... but will smile at the memories we have of our special time with them.*

Craig, Pam, Nikki & Cory Lange

Craig Lange - January 15, 2021 at 06:15 PM