



Karen Moynihan

JUL 22, 1957 - JUN 4, 2024



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Karen Elizabeth Moynihan, 66, passed peacefully on June 4, 2024, with her family by her side after her three-year courageous battle with pancreatic cancer.

Karen Elizabeth Moynihan was born on July 22, 1957, to her parents Robert and Virginia (Reed) Gottke. She is the youngest of four with three older brothers Wayne Gottke (Susan), Kenneth Gottke (Diana), and Robert Gottke (Joann). She was raised in Columbus, Ohio, graduating from Westland High School in 1975. She attended The Ohio State University where she met her husband, Kevin Moynihan. They graduated and were married the following day on June 14, 1980. Shortly after, they moved to California. In the earlier years in California, she enjoyed skiing, house boating, and playing on company softball teams. She had two children, Thomas Moynihan (Svetlana) and Sara Michal (Eric). She worked for Lockheed Martin for a total of 27 years. She was able to step away from work to focus on being involved in her children's school and extracurricular activities. She went back full time to work in 2006 and fully retired from Lockheed Martin in 2022. Karen loved warm weather, long walks, boating, beaches, quilting, and most of all being with her friends and family.

Those who will miss Karen the most include her husband, daughter, son-in-law, brothers, daughter-in-law, step grandchildren- Dasha and Dillon, a host of close friends, other family members including sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She is reunited in Heaven with her son, Thomas, and her parents.

Services to celebrate Karen's life will be held in California and Ohio. California services will be at the chapel of Skylawn Memorial Park and Funeral Home in San Mateo - visitation from 4-7 PM Friday, June 28, 2024, and service at 10 AM on June 29, 2024. Ohio celebration of life will be held at Heritage Golf Club in Hilliard, Ohio, at 12 PM on July 27, 2024.



Events

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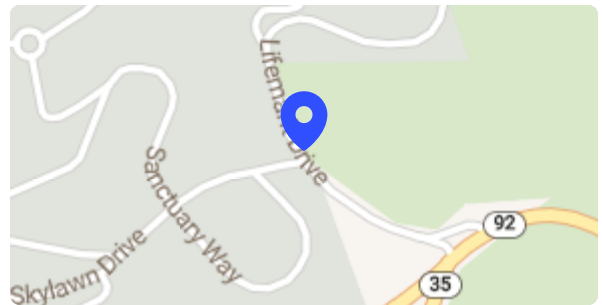
Visitation

- Friday**, June 28, 2024
- 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM PT
- Skylawn Funeral Home**
Route 35 at Highway 92, San Mateo CA 94402



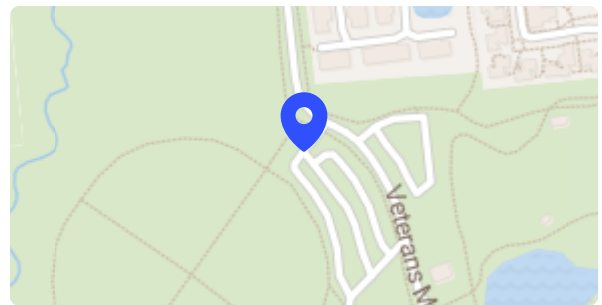
Memorial Service

- Saturday**, June 29, 2024
- 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM PT
- Skylawn Funeral Home and Memorial Park**
Route 35 at Highway 92, San Mateo CA 94402



Memorial Service

- Saturday**, July 27, 2024
- 12:00 PM ET
- Heritage Golf Club**
3525 Heritage Club Drive, Hilliard OH 43026





Tribute Wall

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Anonymous sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Moynihan family.

July 25 at 10:20 AM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful Dreams to the Moynihan family.

July 23 at 10:28 AM



Craig H. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Karen.

July 12 at 5:10 AM



April Brake W. planted a grove of 5 Memorial Trees in honor of Karen.

June 28 at 6:45 PM



Love Marti Vasquez sent a Country Basket Blooms to the Moynihan family.

June 27 at 9:35 AM



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DL

Dave Leister sent a Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses to the Moynihan family.

June 27 at 9:29 AM



BB

Bonnie B. planted a grove of 3 Memorial Trees in honor of Karen.

June 27 at 8:21 AM



GM

Geoffrey M. planted a grove of 5 Memorial Trees in honor of Karen.

June 27 at 7:32 AM



GP

George P. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Karen.

June 23 at 1:35 PM



KW

Kirsten W. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Karen.

June 23 at 1:30 PM



DP

David Staab & Bert Piccino sent a Pink Tribute Spray to the Moynihan family.

June 23 at 10:08 AM





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David Staab & Bert Piccino planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Karen.

June 23 at 10:08 AM



Annette O. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Karen.

June 21 at 8:19 PM



Anonymous sent a Medium Dish Garden to the Moynihan family.

June 20 at 8:46 AM



Polly And Ed planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Karen.

June 20 at 8:46 AM



Colleen And Claude sent an Arrive in Style to the Moynihan family.

June 20 at 4:36 AM



With All Our Love sent a Heavenly Grace Spray to the Moynihan family.

June 19 at 4:31 AM





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SE

Susan E. sent a Dreams From the Heart Bouquet to the Moynihan family.

June 17 at 3:27 AM



SE

Susan E. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Karen.

June 17 at 3:27 AM



BC

Beth C. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Karen.

June 13 at 10:31 AM



BB

Beth Clouse Brady posted:

My childhood and teenage years were shared with Karen.... she would come spend summers with us when school was out. I have so many memories over those years. She was a cousin that was more like a sister. She was always joy in human form....sprinkled with sunshine ☀️. She will be missed by absolutely everyone that loved her. GOD BLESS HER. I'm so grateful to have shared in a few recent visits ...with smiles, laughter, love and reminiscing ❤️. Rest in Peace my beautiful cousin ❤️ 👤

June 13 at 10:24 AM

LW

Leigh Wright posted:

I am so saddened to hear of Karen's death. We were three months apart in age and spent a lot of time together when we were young. She was beautiful, sweet and kind and very much loved by her parents and brothers. I'll always cherish my memories of her. Leigh Ann Wright (cousin)

June 11 at 7:40 AM



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Anonymous sent a Basket Full of Wishes to the Moynihan family.

June 10 at 12:19 PM



Anonymous sent an Ocean Breeze Spray to the Moynihan family.

June 8 at 11:21 PM



The Vandenbandts planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Karen.

June 8 at 11:21 PM



Sharon Summers shared 2 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Karen we (Chenin, Grigio and myself) will miss you. Lots of great memories over the years. I will cherish all the great times I shared with you and your family and friends. Here are some pictures from some of the many annual Pig Christmas Tree Trimming parties you and Kevin came to. Will love you always. Rest in peace.

June 8 at 2:34 AM



Anonymous sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Moynihan family.

June 7 at 5:05 AM



Colleen And Robert Johnson sent a Serene Reflections Bouquet to the Moynihan family.

June 6 at 11:59 PM





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Matthew Moynihan shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

On Texel, The Netherland's with our family celebrating my niece Elise and her husband Rikkert's wedding.

June 6 at 7:01 PM



Sheila June 9 at 9:04 PM

I loved all of the visits we shared. You were very special to me.



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June 8 at 2:34 AM



Pig Party 2019



Pig Party 2015



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June 6 at 7:01 PM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Karen by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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