



Kathleen F. Swiatek

November 30, 1960 - October 20, 2024

Kathleen F. Swiatek beloved daughter of the late Edward and Frances Swiatek.

Loving sister of Corinne Schadeck (late Karl).

Beloved Aunt of the late Kara Schadeck and Kenny (Ruth).

Dear cousin and friend to many.

Kathy held many different jobs in her life that she took pride in. She was always on the go. Enjoyed buying her gnomes at Dollar Tree with her friend Jeannie. Loved to travel and shop and decorate for the holidays. Enjoyed spending time with her family and her friend's families.

Kathy will be missed by many for her beautiful smile that lit up a room, as well as her wonderful kind heart. As one of her dear friends said, she is now our Angel. Kathy will be truly missed by many.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **25**. 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Schielka Addison Street Funeral Home
7710 West Addison Street
Chicago, IL 60634
(773) 625-3444

Funeral Service

OCT **25**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

LK

“ I met Kathy many years ago while working at ATA, everyone loved her, full of energy always positive and lit up the room with her smile. will miss our talks mainly on the phone, she always kept in touch and I will miss that so much! My Deepest Sympathies to Corrine and family, also to all her wonderful friends you meant so much to her. God Bless You!



Linda Krause - October 25, 2024 at 05:30 PM

PV

“ Corrine and family
Kathy, Maria, Dominica and I had a wonderful childhood together. We always wanted to be at the Duda's house. It was loud and fun and the food was awesome. Us girls would turn on the radio and sing and dance on the Duda's front porch. That was so much fun. I think we could have been stars. At Kathy's house we would get baloney sandwiches and room temperature milk LOL. Kathy was always happy and she will be missed. Peggy

Peggy Vancrey - October 24, 2024 at 10:29 PM

RB

“ Rosemont Bloomingdale purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Kathleen F. Swiatek.



Rosemont Bloomingdale - October 24, 2024 at 06:42 PM

RB

“ Rosemont Bloomingdale planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kathleen F. Swiatek.

Rosemont Bloomingdale - October 24, 2024 at 06:42 PM

SF

“ Sheila Parker And Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Kathleen F. Swiatek.



Sheila Parker And Family - October 24, 2024 at 03:57 PM

JC

“ Corinne, Ken and Ruth;
My heartfelt sympathies to you as well as to Kathy's relatives and many friends. Kathy always had a smile, kind word, positive attitude and zest for life. She was quite an example to others of courage and positivity as she battled this hideous disease. May your many memories of Kathy, as well as the memories of others, bring you peace and comfort. Love, Julie Chapman

Julie Chapman - October 24, 2024 at 03:13 PM

LK

“ Love Ed & Kathleen purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Kathleen F. Swiatek.



Love Ed & Kathleen - October 23, 2024 at 10:52 PM

LK

“ Love Ed & Kathleen planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kathleen F. Swiatek.

Love Ed & Kathleen - October 23, 2024 at 10:52 PM

DD

“ Corrine and family

We will so miss Kathy. She was my first and best friend from the block!! We spent constant hours together and I could always count on Kathy. I always wanted to be at her house because it was quiet and your mom gave us pop with our lunch but she always wanted to be at my house because it was so noisy. She usually won!! I was just talking to my husband this weekend about Kathy and how I would have to say “Yo Kathy “ or she would have to say “Yo Dominica” because we weren’t allowed to ring the doorbell! I’m so glad we reconnected when she worked for my husband and recently when she shared she had cancer. I will miss her !! God bless you Kathy.

Dominica Duda Davis - October 23, 2024 at 08:34 PM

C(

“ Kathy was always around family gatherings. She was always kind and like another Aunt to my cousins Kevin and Daniel. It was always great talking to her and she had a great smile. I’m going to miss her distinctive voice calling my cousin- “Kath, Kath,.....”
Kathy S, you will be missed.



Camilla Martinez (Pagliarulo) - October 23, 2024 at 05:48 PM

CS

“ *My beautiful sister,
Your last journey in life has been a difficult one - you fought it like a true warrior, never complaining, always remaining hopeful through this horrid battle.
God has called you home. No more pain or suffering. A new peaceful world! I'm sure Mom and Dad were waiting for you with open arms.
My heart is broken, but when I hear all the friends and the people whose lives you touched sharing their heartfelt feelings and kind words, I feel my heart mending. Your light is shining even brighter in all of us. Happy memories will keep you in our hearts forever.
God Bless - Love You, Corinne*

Corinne Schadeck - October 23, 2024 at 05:42 PM



“ *Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kathleen F. Swiatek.*



October 23, 2024 at 05:30 PM

TF

“ *The Martinez and Tulshi Families planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Kathleen F. Swiatek.*

The Martinez and Tulshi Families - October 23, 2024 at 05:30 PM

DK

“ *My Dearest Kathy,
My heart aches for one more hug, one more day with you is overwhelming at times. But I have come to accept that it wasn't in God's plan for us, as difficult as that may be to understand. I have come to realize that even in the deepest pain and sorrow, there is a gift in simply existing. With existence comes suffering, and it is through this suffering that we truly learn and grow. I am trying my best to navigate this grief with grace and strength, although some moments feel too heavy to bear. It is a constant battle between moments of laughter and overwhelming sadness, but I know that this journey is all part of the healing process. I remind myself that there is no shame in shedding tears, as they are a testament to the courage it takes to endure such profound loss. Through the tears and pain, I am learning to find gratitude for the fun times we shared and the memories we created together, I will continue to honor your memory with love and strength, knowing that you're watching over us.*

Even though we may no longer have the comfort of your physical presence, your influence will forever remain in our lives, serving as a source of strength and inspiration. As we turn the page to this new chapter, we carry with us the understanding that while you may no longer be with us in body, your love and light will always be in spirit. Rest in peace my dear friend.

Denise Kelly - October 23, 2024 at 04:11 PM

DF

“ *Dominica Duda- Davis and the Duda family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Kathleen F. Swiatek.*



Dominica Duda- Davis and the Duda family - October 23, 2024 at 09:47 AM

MP

“ *Michael, Natilee, Simon & Augustyn Powell purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Kathleen F. Swiatek.*



Michael, Natilee, Simon & Augustyn Powell - October 23, 2024
at 09:01 AM

MP

“ *Michael, Natilee, Simon & Augustyn Powell planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kathleen F. Swiatek.*

Michael, Natilee, Simon & Augustyn Powell - October 23, 2024 at 09:01 AM

JS

“ *Our sympathies to Corrine and the family. We were neighbors to Kathy for 30+ years. Kathy will be dearly missed. May God welcome Kathy into His kingdom and wrap His loving arms around her family to comfort them during this time Janine and Joanne Smuda*

Janine Smuda - October 22, 2024 at 01:52 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kathleen F. Swiatek.*



October 22, 2024 at 01:48 PM

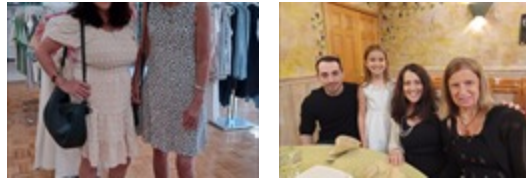
JS

“ Joan and Janine Smuda planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kathleen F. Swiatek.

Joan and Janine Smuda - October 22, 2024 at 01:48 PM



“ My beautiful friend Kathy. I thank God you were in my life and my sons. You are going to be missed and I will never stop thinking of you. I will miss you so much. Love you Kathy.



Kathy Formas Abbinante - October 22, 2024 at 10:26 AM

KK

Will truly miss you Kathy. You were always such a great person to me. Will never forget you. You lived such a happy and full life. Now you are a angel in heaven.

Kathy keith - October 22, 2024 at 03:29 PM

KK

Love you always

Kathy keith - October 22, 2024 at 03:30 PM

KS

“ Kathy Schultz lit a candle in memory of Kathleen F. Swiatek



Kathy Schultz - October 22, 2024 at 08:43 AM

KS

My deepest and warmest sympathies- I can't even begin to tell how sorry I am for her passing. What a wonderful, genuine, happy and funny woman she was. I have memories of us all up at Griswold lake being little brats!!!

I remember her introducing us to the Rock Opera "Tommy".

*Always kind, always sweet and compassionate- you will be missed-
Kasia*

Kathy Schultz - October 22, 2024 at 08:51 AM

KS

Missing you already

kathy schultz - October 24, 2024 at 09:08 PM

AD

“ *Kathy was more than a family friend she was family, her smile and graciousness filled a room. She will be greatly missed.*

Adrianna Aurich and Family

adrianns - October 21, 2024 at 10:15 PM

CM

“ *Kathy will be missed. She has been in our family for such a long time. She has always been so respectful and always wanted to help in any way she can, When Kathy would come over to my dads house, she always had a smile on her face. She was a kind and thoughtful person. We will miss her. You will not be forgotten.*

Mastrocola Family

Camilla Mastrocola - October 21, 2024 at 07:39 PM

MF

“ *Mastrocola family. purchased the Fiery Lily and Rose for the family of Kathleen F. Swiatek.*



Mastrocola family. - October 21, 2024 at 07:28 PM

J-

“ *SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS...CORINNE
...AND FAMILY!
Kathy was a wonderful and kind person with a
big heart.
a great friend to many...she is now our
Angel.....love jeannie castle ...*



jeannie castle -ruge - October 21, 2024 at 05:22 PM

MS

Our deepest sympathies to the family. She was the nicest person we knew as our neighbor and as our friend. Wanda and Marshall Schultz

Marshall and Wanda Schultz - October 21, 2024 at 05:49 PM

JC

“ *JEANNIE CASTLE-RUGE lit a candle in
memory of Kathleen F. Swiatek*



JEANNIE CASTLE-RUGE - October 21, 2024 at 05:16 PM

DF

*Kathy was a wonderful and beautiful person. She lit up the room and was a friend to everyone.
She was so full of life and was always on the go.
We will miss her so much.*

Darlene Tovar and family - October 22, 2024 at 11:13 AM

DF

The Gates of Heaven opened wide as you entered. I know deep in my heart there is a special place in heaven for you. You truly were a kind, caring, thoughtful and giving person to all. I will miss all our dinners at Longhorn's and many phone conversions. I will miss you greatly. Rest In Peace My Friend.

Dolores Haines and Family

Dolores Haines and Family - October 22, 2024 at 08:38 PM