



Diane Marie Arney

January 22, 1960 - February 16, 2024

Diane Arney of St. Paul quietly passed from this life on February 16, 2024, at the age of 64 into her eternal home in the presence of her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Diane was born in Minneapolis, MN and was raised in Minnetonka, MN. She graduated from Hopkins Lindbergh High School and went on to earn dual BA degrees in French and Linguistics from the University of Minnesota. She continued her education journey with theology courses at Bethel Seminary.

Diane was dedicated to her career and spent over 32 years as an accountant for the University of Minnesota.

Diane was very active in the Christian community and served in many capacities in various Evangelical Free churches, such as church treasurer, singing in choirs and worship teams, mentoring children and youth, managing the church sound systems, and playing her violin for church services and events. She would also prepare and serve meals for her church's youth and children's programs.

She courageously fought her long-term illness and maintained a positive and hopeful attitude throughout. She always had a positive word for everyone and the memory of her smile and kindness will live on in the hearts of her family

and friends.

Diane is survived by her parents, brothers, sister, nephew, niece, grandnephew, and numerous friends and relatives, as well as her beloved cat, Oreo.

Diane found peace and happiness as part of the Payne Free Church in St. Paul. Therefore, in lieu of flowers, please send any donations in her name to Payne Free Church, 1100 Payne Avenue, St. Paul, MN 55130.

A Celebration of Life ceremony will be held on March 2, 2024, at 1:30 PM at Washburn-McReavy Funeral Chapel, 1400 Mainstreet, Hopkins, MN. A visitation will be held one hour before the service. For those unable to attend in person, a livestream of the service will be available on Diane's page at www.Washburn-McReavy.com

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 2. 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Hopkins Chapel
1400 Mainstreet
Hopkins, MN 55343

Memorial Service

MAR 2. 1:30 PM - 2:15 PM (CT)

Hopkins Chapel
1400 Mainstreet
Hopkins, MN 55343

Tribute Wall



“ Washburn-McReavy Funeral Chapels created a Memorial Service for Diane Marie Arney in memory of Diane Marie Arney



Washburn-McReavy - February 21, 2024 at 05:06 PM

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“ I had the pleasure of working with Diane at the University of MN for over 14 years. She was a bright light with one of the most contagious laughs. Rest in peace Diane.



Pam Hyser - February 28, 2024 at 10:08 AM