



## Kathlyn Ann Nystrom

March 31, 1940 - January 2, 2021

Kathlyn (Roberg) Nystrom, age 80 of Coon Rapids, passed away peacefully on January 2, 2021 at Camilia Rose Care Center. Kathy was born in Duluth, MN on March 31, 1940 to William and Beatrice Roberg. She was preceded in death by her parents; her sons, Bill and Dan; and her sister, Jacquie. She will be deeply missed by her children, Randy (Lorene) Nystrom, Mary (Keith) Haemig, Maureen Nystrom; grandchildren, Mark (Tricia), Rachel (Jen), Katie, Claire and Andrew; sister, Marilyn Dille; 3 great-grandchildren; and numerous other family and friends. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that you consider making a donation to Achieve Services, Inc. on her behalf. Achieve Services, Inc. is a day training and habilitation program serving adults with developmental disabilities. Due to COVID restrictions, a private memorial service is being held to honor her. A livestream of her service can be viewed from her obituary page starting January 15, 2021 at 2 PM at:

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# Tribute Wall



“ Washburn-McReavy Funeral Chapels created a Funeral Service of Kathlyn A. Nystrom in memory of Kathlyn Ann Nystrom



Washburn-McReavy - January 12, 2021 at 10:46 AM

AM

*It was so nice to be able to watch from so far away. Thanks to all that spoke and shared stories. I laughed and cried but was so happy to be able to share in this time.*

*Amy Mockler  
daughter of Kathy's sister Marilyn*

Amy R Mockler - January 15, 2021 at 04:10 PM

KH

*What a beautiful service for Kathy. I had been invited to come but something came up that prevented me from doing so. I have so many happy memories of Kathy and would have enjoyed sharing them with you. Kathy and I worked together at the ALC in the medical claims department (where I was her trainer). I didn't know Kathy was in Camilla Rose until last spring as we had lost touch. We were able to communicate by letter a few times and reminiscence about old times and I think that was fun for both of us. I will miss her. But I rejoice in the fact that she is now free from her pain and that she is up there "walking streets of gold." Blessed be the memory of Kathy Nystrom. Thank you for live streaming this service. Kathy Herheim*

Kathy Herheim - January 15, 2021 at 04:10 PM

CS

*Ron & I met Kathy thru Anoka Christian Singles. As a matter of fact she was responsible for getting Ron & I together & was Maid of Honor at our wedding. We had so many fun times together. We hadn't talked much over the last few years but she was the kind of friend that when you did call it was like you had just talked the day before. She was a beautiful friend and I know she will be missed by us and many others. Our deepest sympathy Nystrom family.*

*Ron & Carol Sevre*

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**Carol Sevre** - January 15, 2021 at 04:10 PM

NR

“ *My sympathy to Kathy's family on her passing. What a lovely service -- thanks for making it available for us to watch.*

*I worked with Kathy at the Board of Pensions for 15+ years. I still remember the first day I met her in the lunchroom in 1988; she quickly determined a link between us --- her sister had recently moved to my hometown. That Christmas, Kathy had me deliver gifts to her little sister Jacquie in Worthington when I went home for the holidays. I heard all about her parents, sisters, children, grandchildren, and high school friends through the years and saw all your photos. She had so much love for you all.*

*Kathy and I used to talk for hours (yes, we worked too, and she taught me a great deal) and I was thankful to her for many reasons. She came to my wedding and baby showers, comforted me when my mother died, gave me advice and encouragement as a mother figure and as a friend, and listened to me (and participated in) complaining about work as well! And let's not forget about all the delicious recipes for cakes and bars! She was a treasure! I am sad she is gone from this life but I am comforted in the knowledge that every tear has now been wiped from her eyes. I'm sure she's happily making connections in her new home!*

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**Norma Reker** - January 18, 2021 at 10:24 PM

SH

“ I'll never forget the two years we were roommates at Camilia Rose. While we both would rather not have ever lived there, we did have fun. We pulled each other through. We always said that neither of us could have had a better roommate. You always cracked Paul and me up ... you had no filter. You had the nicest family. I always had hoped to see you again over a whiskey coke, like we talked about. Damn Covid. I'll miss you. Sandy Huntington

*Kathy became a friend of mine via Camilia Rose. I grew up in Virginia, MN and went to college in Duluth, so we'd talk about things from the Northland. I miss not bringing her a filet-o-fish, small fries, and strawberry shake from McDonald's. She was always so appreciative. You'd think I was bringing her steak and lobster. We had opposite views on politics, but could discuss them civilly. When she disagreed with me on something, she'd roll her eyes at me with a big smile at the same time. She had a wonderful sense of humor. I'll miss you Kathy, and am angry Covid and all of the restrictions cut the time short for you, Sandy, and me to be together again. Paul Gentilini*

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**Sandy Huntington** - January 11, 2021 at 07:15 PM

PW

“ I am sorry to hear of Kathys passing. I only knew her for a short time but was a wonderful person, easy to talk to and a great cook! I still have her Orange Cake recipe she gave me 40+ years ago and I still love it! (Always with whipped cream, of course!) Whenever I make it, I'm passing on her recipe to others! My prayers go out to the family. Peggy (Nystrom) Wren

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**Peggy Wren** - January 10, 2021 at 12:03 AM

DE

“ I will cherish the memories i had with this dear lady.It's not the quantity but the quality of time we had.Clicked right away.Are visits were always fun.Love her blunt honesty.May you have joy and peace in heaven.Love Miss Dee.

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**Dee** - January 07, 2021 at 09:24 AM

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“ Our Las Vegas family fondly remember Aunt Kathy's spirit and energy. Her sister Marilyn tells many funny and heartwarming stories about her. She will be missed.  
With love from her niece, Amy

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**Amy Mockler** - January 05, 2021 at 06:31 PM

FA

“ From Mike and Gini Nystrom Allen purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Kathlyn Ann Nystrom.



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**From Mike and Gini Nystrom Allen** - January 04, 2021 at 04:34 PM