



## Laurie Jean Gillis

October 14, 1958 - November 19, 2024

Gillis, Laurie Jean passed away on November 19, 2024, age 66. Born in Minneapolis, MN to John Lee (Jack) and Marlis Gillis. She graduated from Robbinsdale High School and went on to study x-ray technology at North Memorial Hospital. She was at North for 42 years, retiring as supervisor of 3 Departments, Interventional Radiology, x-ray and ultrasound. Special thanks to her departments there that supported her in her final days. She was the consummate gardener, inventive chef and loving pet owner. An ardent reader on many subjects, she volunteered at Can-do Canines and was looking forward to many more years helping them. Predeceased by her parents and brother, John Jr. Left to mourn her are her loving husband, Ron Lemke; daughter, Marissa (Gene); brother, Craig Gillis (Jennifer) of Allen, TX; sister, Barbara Gearty (Tom) of Scottsdale, AZ as well as nieces and nephews. Her pets, who she loved dearly, Barkley, Wally, Mrs. Peabody, and Sherman. Date and time of funeral and Celebration of Life still to be determined. In lieu of flowers, please donate to Can-do Canines or a charity of your choosing.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 5. 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM (CT)

Edina Chapel  
5000 West 50th & Highway 100  
Edina, MN 55436

## Memorial Gathering

DEC 5. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Doug & Kathy Larson purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Laurie Jean Gillis.



Doug & Kathy Larson - December 04, 2024 at 05:03 PM

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“ Doug & Kathy Larson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Laurie Jean Gillis.

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“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Laurie Jean Gillis.



December 03, 2024 at 06:59 PM

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“ I love you, mom. I'll miss you always. "Her absence is like the sky, spread all over everything." C.S. Lewis



Marissa Overby - November 24, 2024 at 01:54 PM