



LeAtrice Anne Kern (nee Russell)

June 6, 1943 - August 6, 2016

Spent 69 years serving her Savior and met Him face to face Saturday August 6th, 2016. She was born on June 6th, 1943 on her Mother's birthday in Mountain Lake, MN. Her career was spent in HR both at the University of Minnesota Hospital and at North Memorial Medical Center. It was her life's ambition to represent Christ in all she did and said. She is survived by her husband of 51 years and best friend - Howard; her daughter Sara (Troy) Fields, son David, granddaughters Brittany and Alyssa, and numerous friends and relatives. Visitation 4-8 PM Friday, August 12 at HOLCOMB-HENRY-BOOM-PURCELL, 515 Hwy. 96 W., Shoreview. Funeral service 11:00 AM Saturday, August 13 at SUMMIT CHURCH, 845 Summit Ave., St. Paul (visitation begins at 10:00AM). Interment Hillside Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

JU

“ *Sad to have missed the visitation and hopefully released from hospital in time to attend the funeral of precious Lee...*

Julie - August 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

EB

“ *We visited the church briefly this summer while on vacation. I was a child when (my cousin) Howard and LeAtrice were married. I remember they chose me to be Sara's 1st baby sitter when they lived in the apartment across from the cemetery. LeAtrice was the pick of our family because she was such a strong, young Christian. The adults knew she would influence her family for good (for God). It is very evident that she did exactly that. Howard serving in church leadership positions for many years; and Sara marrying Troy raising two young ladies that also love the Lord. Our condolences to the family and a sentiment that reaches from my heart. "Time goes so fast; Life asks so much; No wonder friends (and family) seem to lose touch. But deep in the heart, alone and unseen, Love continues to grow, forever green." - unknown author - Kind Regards and Prayers, Vicki Bradley (cousin to Howard) were at my wedding and*

Edward & Vicki Bradley - August 11, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ *Nilda and I share your grief and we pray that the Lord will surround with the comfort of the Holy Ghost and cover with His Peace which passes all understanding.*

Larry Joe Russell - August 10, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ Lee's family; God fill your hearts with peace, The one that passes understanding. I know you are all in shock now and numb. So much we wanted to see Lee healed and I guess she is definatley healed and whole, much more than us. But so deeply missed, I only knew her for a little while and she was such a light, Be blessed little family you will always feel her heart, until you meet again. Love Jane

Jane Leroux - August 08, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ We are very sorry for your loss. We were so honored to have been able to see our lovely cousin again last year. No one deserves to be with Lord more than LeAtrice. The Howards, Corbett, Steven, Russ, Scott, Diana and Susan.

Diana Howard - August 08, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ May the Lord give you all comfort and peace.

Jacob Gibson - August 07, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ My mother loved so fully. She loved God with her entire being. She loved my father "the most-est", she loved her kids, her son in law, and grandchildren and prayed for all of us every day. She loved her friends deeply. I am so rich because she was not only my mom but my cheerleader, my prayer warrior, my mentor, my example and my friend.

Sara - August 07, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ *LeAtrice Kern was an amazing woman of God and a testimony of His faithfulness to all who knew her. Our heartfelt sympathy at the loss of your dear sweet wife, mother, grandmother and sister during this earthly parting which brings sorrow to the heart that is deeply profound. We enfold you in our prayers and rejoice that she is in glory where there is no pain, no sickness and only God's pure love surrounding her. In God's great mercy He gave your mother relief from the pain and suffering of her cancer and you know that you will meet again. That same grace of our loving Heavenly Father is the strength that will sustain you during this time. My you be blessed and carried by the love and care of those who love and support you. God is with you. "The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit." Psalm 34:18 "Brothers, we do not want you to be ignorant about those who fall asleep, or to grieve like the rest of men, who have no hope." 1 Thessalonians 4:13 "Do not fear, for I am with you; Do not anxiously look about you, for I am your God. I will strengthen you, surely I will help you, Surely I will uphold you with My righteous right hand." Isaiah 41:10*

Anne and John Weber - August 06, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BG

“ *Our deepest sympathy. She was a wonderful testimony through all her suffering. Now she is healed and with our Lord and Savior. God bless you and give you strength.*

Bruce and Lois Geske - August 06, 2016 at 12:00 AM