



Margaret Anne Baker

July 4, 1939 - June 23, 2024

Baker, Margaret Anne

Age 84, of Roseville, MN

Margie was surrounded by loved ones as she passed away on June 23rd. She was preceded in death by husband Lyle, and twin daughters, Stephanie and Stacy. She is survived by her daughter Jennifer (Jeffrey), grandsons Jon, Sam, Ben, and sister Judy who all have been left with a broken heart. She was their unending source of comfort, encouragement, kindness, and love.

Margie was appropriately born on the Fourth of July, as she sparkled her entire life - bright, beautiful, shining, fun, and full of light!

She was a warrior who faced many challenges in her life with determination and a positive attitude. She will be remembered for her spark, willingness to help, friendship, a good laugh, and her sassy sense of style and accessorizing!

Her departure was unexpected but not complicated. Following the death of her beloved daughter, Stacy, exactly two months earlier, she simply grew tired and weary. The incredible strength she exuded throughout the years began to fade.

A celebration of Margie's life will be held on Wednesday, July 17 at Peace

United Methodist Church in Shoreview. Visitation at 5:30pm, Service at 6:30pm. Refreshments to follow.

*If you would be so kind, please write down a memory of Margie to leave for her family.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 17. 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM (CT)

Peace United Methodist Church
5050 Hodgson Road
Shoreview, MN 55126

Memorial Service

JUL 17. 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

JA

“ I'm so sorry we lost such a classy lady in Margie! Teaching with her was an absolute joy and she was always so encouraging with every encounter. I remember her flair for colors in fashion and in designing her gorgeous home with her purple and red bathroom and black and white checkerboard floor. She could pull anything off and threw incredible staff gatherings. Margie spoke highly of her family and with great pride especially their three daughters before losing Staci. I'm sorry this is so belated - my Christmas card to Margie came back to me and it made me wonder. Much love to Jenny, Stephanie, and all who are missing Margie.

Jacki - December 31, 2025 at 11:17 AM

JA

Just read your beautiful tribute - I'm also sad you lost Stephanie. Both Stephanie and Stacy were in choir with me at Irondale and they were a blessing to know.

Jacki - December 31, 2025 at 11:24 AM

AW

“ Margie was a good friend of mine from long ago. I think I first met her when we were in grade 4. We had many fun sleep overs. I lived on a farm, she enjoyed coming out and I loved going to her house. I loved her piano playing ability, she accompanied a lot of the singing groups in high school. I remember a few years ago when I was flying home to North Dakota from British Columbia, she and Lyle picked me up at the airport and we had another 'sleep over'. It was so great to reconnect. Blessings to Jen and her family. You were so precious to your mom. Love, Ardy Wyse

Ardy Wyse - July 17, 2024 at 11:25 AM



“ *Love Everlasting Bouquet was purchased for the family of Margaret Anne Baker.*



July 16, 2024 at 06:49 PM



“ *Molly B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Anne Baker.*

Molly B. - July 16, 2024 at 06:49 PM



“ *My greatest memory of Margie is as a leader at Fridley United Methodist Church. She was an amazing activist in the church, especially guiding her children and ours with the church school. I've known Margie for more than 50 years. Margie and Lyle were enthusiastic leaders, great neighbors, and dear friends.*

Rev. Jim McChesney - July 15, 2024 at 04:50 PM



“ *Dan & Jean Hoverman purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Margaret Anne Baker.*



Dan & Jean Hoverman - July 15, 2024 at 03:44 PM

JL

“ My memory of Margie goes back 70 years! Our family moved to Casselton at the start of my sophomore year of high school. The seating arrangement for assembly/study hall was alphabetical so I had the good fortune of sitting in front of Margie the last 3 years of high school. We talked everyday but as I remember I mostly listened! Last year I was coordinating our class reunion and had several opportunities to reconnect with Margie. On one particular occasion, I had a zoom call scheduled with several classmates and Margie got on an hour early by mistake and we had a full hour with just the 2 of us. It was fun reminiscing about our high school days and talking about our life journeys. She was really looking forward to last years reunion but had to cancel at the last minute. Grateful that I had the opportunity to reconnect. Condolences to Margie's family.
Jerry Lass

Jerry Lass - July 09, 2024 at 10:31 PM



Thank you, Jerry. She did enjoy those zoom calls and had such fond memories of Casselton

Jenny Winters - July 15, 2024 at 12:45 AM

HH

“ Margie and Pinewood school.....some of my favorite memories! I was a para there for many years and loved the "support" group that she was a part of. I had adolescent girls as did Beth, Jo Broberg and your mom and it seemed that they all shared similar situations that I had. I share in your sadness!
Love, Helen Houle

helen houle - July 03, 2024 at 03:14 PM

JW

Thank you

Jennifer Lynn winters - July 05, 2024 at 09:11 PM

EB

where do I start...Margie was a true fashionista. She wore lime green tights with her outfit to my wedding in 1970. Margie could pull off bold and bling like no one else. In all of her homes she decorated it to the max...there was usually no wall space left. Lots of pictures (of family), art work and mirrors!! Every holiday was memorable; the Christmas open houses were legend. Margie had her Christmas gifts bought very early and had them all wrapped in the same paper...usually a shiny silver, purple or pink. She loved her family dearly. her grandsons, Jon, Ben and Sam adored their grandma "Mo". Her beautiful smile that lit up her face and any room she was in will be missed. Love you. Esther (sister-in-law)

Esther Baker - July 07, 2024 at 04:16 PM



Thank you, Esther. She loved you lots

Jenny Winters - July 15, 2024 at 12:47 AM

NW

Margie and I worked together in special education in Moundsvie School District. She was a delight and wonderful providing service to special students. She truly cared for her students. Our small group of special ed teachers continued to meet after retirement and had many joyful hours together. Margie will be missed. Blessings on Jen.

Nancy Whitney - July 16, 2024 at 10:42 AM