



Susan Joy Hurtado

January 22, 1950 - August 10, 2025

Susan (Sue) J. Hurtado of Blaine, MN, was born on January 22, 1950, and passed away peacefully on August 10, 2025, at the age of 75.

She was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Manuel Hurtado Jr. She is survived by her loving children: Ryan, Justin (Kayla), and Patrick (Mari); her siblings Cheryl Ford, Joanne Vondrak, Jackie Callander (Bill), and David Alexander; and her seven cherished grandchildren: Kevin, Caden, Bennett, Blake, Korbin, Amelia, and Karson.

Sue dedicated her life to her family as a devoted wife, mother, sister, and grandmother. She loved spending time with people, especially her best friend, Donna. A passionate gardener and skilled woodworker, Sue always kept herself busy with projects. She delighted in hosting large backyard gatherings, where her greatest joy was watching her grandchildren play in the pool.

Her love of music filled the home and became a lasting gift to her sons. Whether it was a favorite record spinning on the turntable or the sound of singing and playing instruments together, music was always present. Sue also had a deep love for nature, and she and her family enjoyed many outdoor adventures, including camping trips across Minnesota.

A visitation and funeral service will be held on Wednesday, August 27, 2025,

at Abiding Savior Lutheran Church (8211 Red Oak Dr, Mounds View, MN 55112). Visitation will begin at 9:30 a.m., followed by the service at 10:30 a.m., a luncheon, and then a procession to Fort Snelling National Cemetery for burial.

Cemetery Details

Fort Snelling National Cemetery

7601 34th Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN 55450

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 27. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Abiding Savior Lutheran Church
8211 Red Oak Drive NE
Mounds View, MN 55112

Funeral Service

AUG 27. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

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8211 Red Oak Drive NE
Mounds View, MN 55112

Graveside Service

AUG 27. 1:30 PM - 1:45 PM (CT)

Fort Snelling National Cemetery
7601 34th Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN 55450

Tribute Wall

JA

“ Our condolences to the Hurtado family on the passing of Sue. We lived directly across the street for 20 years between 1994 and 2014 and had many memorable conversations with Sue about her kids, plants and our respective gardens.

James & Diane Eldien

James - September 10, 2025 at 10:46 AM

LB

“ Love, Aunt Mavis & cousin Becky purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Susan Joy Hurtado.



Love, Aunt Mavis & cousin Becky - August 27, 2025 at 10:45 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Susan Joy Hurtado.



August 26, 2025 at 12:37 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Susan Joy Hurtado.

August 26, 2025 at 12:37 PM

TM

“ I am Sue's cousin Tod Myrum. I was deeply saddened to learn of Sue's passing. When Sue was spending a summer at our grandmother's farm about 60 years ago, she took me under her wing. She taught me how to build a little fort in the grove of trees near the farm house. Rest in peace, dearest, Sue.

Tod Myrum - August 25, 2025 at 01:25 PM

ZC

“ Zachary Christenson & Jacob Christenson purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Susan Joy Hurtado.



Zachary Christenson & Jacob Christenson - August 25, 2025 at 10:37 AM

CD

“ Cheryl, Joanne, Jackie(Bill) and David purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Susan Joy Hurtado.



Cheryl, Joanne, Jackie(Bill) and David - August 25, 2025 at 10:36 AM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Susan Joy Hurtado.



August 22, 2025 at 04:43 PM



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