



Margaret Ann (Vest) Glasford

August 11, 1948 - November 27, 2018

Margaret Ann (Vest) Glasford gained her angel's wings Tuesday, November 27th, at the age of 70. Her long battle with breast cancer was fought with prayer, positivity, grace, and courage. She was an inspiration to all who knew her story, which ended peacefully, on her terms, at her home with family by her side.

Margaret attended St. Martin school, went to Mercy Academy, and graduated from Eastern High School. She later studied at Jefferson Community College. She retired from Kroger after 25 years, worked for Churchill Downs, and enjoyed being a realtor with Semonin for several years. She also volunteered numerous hours with the ACS Relay for Life.

Her spirit exuded hope and happiness. She was a lover of life and had a great sense of humor. She loved decorating, shopping, traveling, and togetherness. She often organized gatherings, hosted celebrations, and planned trips making priceless memories with her family and friends. She was selfless. She always put others first, even when her health was waning. Her grandkids adored her, and she them. When each was asked to describe her in one word, they said, "brave, strong, helpful, loving, and fun."

She is preceded in death by her parents, William Thomas and Mary Ann (Goetzinger) Vest; sister, Cathy Cook; and niece, Patricia Vest.

She leaves behind her devoted husband of almost 50 years, John Glasford; children, Kristina Groemling (Todd), Jon Eric Glasford (Paula), and Amanda Brooks; grandchildren, Nick, Gavin, Reese, Dawson, Chloe, and baby Blair; brothers, W.T. Vest, Don Vest (Stephanie), Mike Vest, and Tim Vest (Kim); sisters, Pat Welby (Gary), Mary Lou Vest (Lynn), and Pam Gregg (Jimmy); and a host of nieces, nephews, extended family and many amazing friends.

Visitation will be 12-7pm Sunday at Owen Funeral Home-Jeffersontown, 9318 Taylorsville Road. Funeral mass 10am Monday at St. Albert the Great, 1395 Girard Drive. Private burial at Calvary Cemetery.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Margaret's family wishes to sincerely thank the doctors, nurses and staff at CBC Group, especially her "Dr. Jo," for their many years of compassion, care and support.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

1600 Newburg Road
Louisville, KY 40204

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 2. 12:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Owen Funeral Homes - Jeffersontown
9318 Taylorsville Road
Louisville, KY 40299
(502) 266-9655
<https://owenfuneralhome.com>

Service

DEC 3. 10:00 AM.

St. Albert the Great
1395 Girard Dr.
Louisville, KY

Tribute Wall

JH

“ John, I was so sorry to hear of Margaret's death. She fought the good fight and you and the rest of your family certainly have all of my prayers.

Jim Hummel

James Hummel - December 09, 2018 at 03:22 PM



“ Garden Accent Stone - "Your memory is..." was purchased for the family of Margaret Ann (Vest) Glasford.



December 02, 2018 at 01:46 PM

LC

“ Love your family at Premier Surgery Center purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Margaret Ann (Vest) Glasford.



Love your family at Premier Surgery Center - December 02, 2018 at 12:02 PM



“ 16 files added to the album Life Tributes



Owen Funeral Homes - December 02, 2018 at 11:15 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Margaret Ann (Vest) Glasford.



December 02, 2018 at 10:22 AM



“ *John, so sorry to learn of Margaret's passing. She certainly fought the good fight. I realize nothing I say can really help at this time, but please know you have my deepest sympathy and I wish you and your family comfort in the days ahead.*

Bill Jones

Bill Jones - December 02, 2018 at 07:56 AM



“ 44 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Owen Funeral Homes - December 01, 2018 at 01:35 PM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of *Margaret Ann (Vest) Glasford*.



November 30, 2018 at 09:37 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *Margaret Ann (Vest) Glasford*.



November 30, 2018 at 12:23 PM

TF

“ *THE TOPPASS FAMILY purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Margaret Ann (Vest) Glasford.*



THE TOPPASS FAMILY - November 30, 2018 at 10:08 AM

JA

“ *So very sorry for your loss.*

Janice Abney - November 29, 2018 at 08:52 PM

CW

“ *Had only been in presence with Margaret a couple of times, but find her to be such a uplifting fun person to be around. Always had that wonderful smile, and I never heard her say a bad word about anyone. Such a sweet, loving person I knew her to be. Rest in peace Margaret.....*

Carol Wagner - November 29, 2018 at 05:48 PM

GB

Rest in Peace, my dear friend. I'm grateful for the good times we had together. You were always such a joy to be around. You were truly an inspiration and I loved you dearly. You will be missed 🙏💔

Gina Brinegar - November 29, 2018 at 08:10 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Margaret Ann (Vest) Glasford.*



November 29, 2018 at 03:56 PM

KS

“ *Margaret was such a special woman. Loved by all that new her. I have wonderful memories of working with her in the old Stakes room for many Oaks and Derby days. My deepest sympathy to You John and the entire family, Love, Kitty Strode*

Kitty Strode - November 29, 2018 at 02:57 PM

DF

So sorry for your loss John. Sending peace an love to you and your family. Margaret is now resting peacefully.

Dave Fralick - December 01, 2018 at 06:40 AM