Karen Myers Obituary





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Karen A. Myers, 69, of East Peoria, passed away peacefully at home on Friday, March 17, 2023, surrounded by her family. She was born on November 14, 1953, in Peoria, to James and Edna (Davis) Jeffers. She married her husband of 50 years, Edmund Myers, in East Peoria on December 23, 1972; he survives.

Also surviving are her mother, Edna Jeffers of East Peoria; her 2 sons, James Myers of Seattle, WA and John (Meng Chu) Myers of Winfield, IN; 4 siblings, Tim (Lynette) Jeffers of East Peoria, John (Cynthia) Jeffers of Morton, Chris (Janet) Jeffers of Groveland, and Marla (Don) Jones of East Peoria; and 2 grandchildren, Charles and Andrew Myers.

She was preceded in death by her father and her sister, Judy.

Karen graduated from EPCHS in 1971. She then worked as a bookkeeper for Quality Concrete Construction for many years before dedicating her life to her family as a mom and homemaker. She enjoyed making custom jewelry and later started and ran Kameo Designs.

Karen was happiest when spending time with family. She especially enjoyed time spent with her grandsons Charlie and Andy.

Karen knew the joy of salvation in Jesus Christ and shared that joy with her family and friends around the world. She was a member of Oak Grove Bible Church in East Peoria and was actively involved in the Hearts and Hands Ladies' Ministry, where she served as an officer.

A Funeral Service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, March 24, 2023, at Oak Grove Bible Church in East Peoria, with Visitation from 10:00 a.m. until time of service. Pastor Cliff Elliott will officiate. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Cemetery. Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services is assisting the family.

Memorials may be made to Oak Grove Bible Church or <u>American Cancer Society</u> St Louis <u>Hope Lodge</u>. Online condolences may be left at www.GaryDeitersFH.com.