



Nancy Jane Risdon

February 9, 1942 - July 16, 2016

Nancy Jane Risdon passed away July 16, 2016. She was 74.

Nancy was born on February 9, 1942 in Detroit, Michigan to Ruth Jane (Walsh) and Charles Roland Risdon III. Nancy is survived by her brothers Charles "Chuck" Risdon and Russell (Lynn) Risdon and her step sister Ann "Sissy" (Lonnie) Dowling. She is predeceased by her parents, half brother, William "Bill" Daly, father figures James Daly and Harry B. Pock, and step mother Marjorie D. Risdon.

Nancy attended high school at Ladywood School in Indianapolis, Indiana. Nancy cherished the childhood friends with whom she had in recent years become reconnected.

Nancy Jane Risdon married Michael Bernard Korte, son of Michael Anthony and Gertrude Korte of Dearborn, Michigan, on October 19, 1963 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Dearborn. They started their life together in Garden City, Michigan, shortly after their birth of their first child, Carol, they moved to Dearborn, Michigan, where Mick and Dave, were born. Then in 1973 they moved to Cadillac, Michigan.

Nancy always believed that her three children were her most precious blessings - Carol Lynn Koch of Birmingham, AL, Michael "Mick" Korte,

and David (Angela) Korte of Grand Rapids, Michigan. She also found great joy in her grandchildren: Meredith Marie and Amanda Jane Koch and Kyle David and Eva Lillian Korte. She is predeceased by her son Mick, who passed away June 4, 2011.

Nancy found great comfort and companionship in her sweet dog Sassy. She also enjoyed volunteering with the Patriot Choir. Favorite pastimes included enjoying coffee and chatting with her friends, doing crossword puzzles, and watching Wheel of Fortune and Jeopardy.

Visitation will be at Peterson Funeral and Cremation Services on Monday, July 18, 2016, from 5-7 pm. Rite of Christian Burial will be at St. Ann Catholic Church on Tuesday, July 19, 2016 at 10:00 am, with Monsignor Francis J. Murphy officiating. Family will receive guests for one hour prior to the Mass.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to After26 Depot CafÃ© Project, 127 West Cass, Cadillac, MI 49601 or St. Ann Catholic Church, 800 W. 13th Street, Cadillac, Michigan 49601.

Many thanks to Mary Free Bed Rehabilitation Hospital, St. Mary's Hospital, Heron Manor Assisted Living, and Emmanuel Hospice, and the many friends and family who provided tender loving care for Nancy during her time of medical challenges.

"The best and most beautiful things in the world, cannot be seen or even touched Ã¢â€ they must be felt with the heart.Ã¢â€ ~ Helen Keller.

An online guestbook is available at www.petersonfh.com.

Tribute Wall

MD

“ *A lovely kind hearted woman. Thoughts and prayers to the Korte family.*

Monica DeYoung - July 23, 2016 at 03:01 AM

SK

“ *Warmest condolences. I went to school with Nancy at Ladywood. You will miss her.*

Sandy Brant Koss - July 22, 2016 at 08:15 PM

LP

“ *I feel so blessed that I meant Nancy and talked with her many times in the last year. I'm only sorry that we didn't have more time to get to know each other as cousins. What a beautiful women inside and out. May the Lord comfort you; her children whom she loved so much.*

Linda Pedersen - July 22, 2016 at 04:30 PM

PH

“ *Enjoyed Nancy very much during the years that I knew her. Lots of hugs and prayers to all the family.*

Patricia Hascall - July 21, 2016 at 09:52 PM

SW

“ *A person's true wealth is the good he or she does in the world.....and she was an absolute treasure.*

Scott Willett - July 20, 2016 at 10:30 PM

MK

“ *What Nancy wanted more in live was to be a Mother. To love, cherish and serve her family which she did to the fullest. There is another angel in heaven today.*

Michael & Nancy Korte - July 17, 2016 at 11:17 PM

TF

“ *Carol, Heaven has welcomed another angel. Blessings to you and your family. May God's peace comfort all of you.*

The Ryan Family - July 17, 2016 at 08:53 PM

LT

“ *We have wonderful memories of our relationship with Nancy. She was a wonderful friend and will be missed. Our prayers for peace and comfort to her family who she loved so much.*

Larry & Char Nederveld & Todd - July 17, 2016 at 08:52 PM

MP

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you through the this difficult time. Cherish al, of the great memories you have, that will keep her alive in your heart.*

Michelle L. (Ferris) Parsons - July 17, 2016 at 07:54 PM

LB

“ *Special thoughts and prayers to all!! May you find peace today and courage for each tomorrow as you keep your Mom close in your hearts. Love to all.*

Lois Balbaugh - July 17, 2016 at 02:47 PM

DH

“ Nancy was a wonderful and caring neighbor. She was willing to do anything if you needed it ..whether it's watching out for a package coming in while we were on vacation or letting us know when she saw something that seemed out of ordinary in the neighborhood. She just was a sweet and caring person and we will miss seeing her regularly in church as well as just out our window as she watched over Sassy doing her business.

Doreen and Jim Hansen - July 17, 2016 at 02:40 PM

CB

“ My thoughts & prayers are with you. I know your mom will be missed but she is with you in spirit & in your hearts always. God is with you. Char

Charlotte L Brunner - July 17, 2016 at 09:11 AM

DH

“ Our family includes Nancy's daughter, Carol & my nieces, Meredith and Amanda. My heart hurts for their loss of a mom and grandmother. Nancy was a very sweet soul and is loved very much. Love and prayers of peace and comfort for Nancy's entire family.

Debra Summer Hughes - July 17, 2016 at 07:06 AM

CE

“ Nancy was a great friend. I will miss her. Sending love to her family.

Carin Ecker - July 16, 2016 at 10:28 PM

BH

“ So sorry for your loss

Bobbi Jo Herring - July 16, 2016 at 10:18 PM

