



Kaye Pearson (nee: Slaker)

March 12, 1942 - June 2, 2025

Kaye Pearson (nee: Slaker), 83, of Mentor, passed away June 2, 2025 at Maple Ridge Senior Living, Willoughby. She was born March 12, 1942 in Cleveland, to the late Elmer and Bernice Slaker.

Kaye was raised in Ohio and attended Hillsdale College where she joined the Kappa Kappa Gamma Fraternity. She spoke of her childhood fondly and cherished memories with her parents in their small community. Although she later lived in California and Florida, she always considered Ohio to be home. Kaye and her beloved husband, Ted Pearson, enjoyed all of life's simple pleasures and grand adventures together, sharing stories of their travels around the world over a nightly cup of well-brewed tea. Kaye was an avid reader and enjoyed a quiet day with a good book as much as she enjoyed a lively night out with friends. She laughed often and easily, always laughing the loudest with her sons. Kaye could always be spotted by her signature red hair and coral pink nail polish, both representations of her bright and lively personality. She is remembered by her family for her warmth, kindness, and love for life.

Kaye's love for her family lives on in her sons, Harvey (Kelly) Bush, Tim (Angie) Bush and Mike (Nicole Erzen) Papaleo; grandchildren, Megan, Jordyn, Sydni and Payton Bush, Abigail Papaleo, Austin Jacquemain, Courtney Pohto and Gary Pohto and devoted dog, Bella.

Private family services were held.

Arrangements entrusted to the Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home and
Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, Ohio 44060.

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“ I am so sorry to see this. Kaye was one of my favorite clients. I was blessed to have her in my chair!!!! Her sense of humor was amazing!!!! Her love for her family was never ending!!!! Rest in peace my dear friend, I will miss you terribly.

All my love Kaye

Your hairdresser

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To Kaye's Family,
It was a pleasure having K in my class at Collingwood and I always enjoyed chatting with her when I ran into her in the villages. She always kept me up-to-date on what she was doing. I was sorry to see that she passed. She never did much complaining that's for sure. My deepest sympathy to her children and may she rest in peace love, Sally Primc PRIMC.

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