



Susan M. Kreke (nee: Deckert)

October 9, 1945 - August 24, 2022

Susan M. Kreke (nee: Deckert), 76, of Bradenton, FL, passed away August 24, 2022 at the David Simpson Hospice House, Cleveland. She was born October 9, 1945 in Lorain, Ohio, to the late Albert and Violet Deckert.

Susan was a RN with Lake Hospital System for over 25 years. She was an avid reader and enjoyed fine dining, wine, and travel and the performing arts. She was a lifelong Cleveland sports fan and rarely missed watching the Indians play on TV.

Survivors include her daughters, Amy Kreke and Cara (Jason Miles) Kreke; granddaughter, Abby Handy; dog and faithful companion, Dooley; nieces, nephews and many other loving family members and friends in Ohio and Florida.

Susan is preceded in death by her husband, Dale A. Kreke and brother, James Deckert.

The family will receive friends from 4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m., Wednesday, August 31, 2022 at the Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home and Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, OH 44060. A funeral service will be held 10:00 a.m., Thursday, September 1, 2022 at the funeral home. Burial to follow in Sunset Memorial Park, North Olmsted.

Contributions in memory of Susan may be made to Habitat for Humanity and St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105; www.stjude.org/

Send flowers and offer condolences at www.brunners.com

Cemetery Details

Sunset Memorial Park

6265 Columbia Road P. O. Box 729
North Olmsted, OH 44070
(440) 777-0450

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 31. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center
8466 Mentor Avenue
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 255-3401
ajs@brunners.com
<https://www.brunners.com/>

Funeral Service

SEP 1. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Susan M. Kreke (nee: Deckert).



August 31, 2022 at 06:03 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Susan M. Kreke (nee: Deckert).



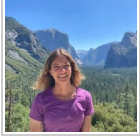
August 31, 2022 at 10:46 AM



“ *Love, Mark, Tammi & Roni Miles* purchased the *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* for the family of Susan M. Kreke (nee: Deckert).



Love, Mark, Tammi & Roni Miles - August 30, 2022 at 01:23 AM



“ Dear Amy and Cara,

My earliest memories are filled with both of you and your parents. I can still see your mom clearly in little snippets of memory of our play together. Though it's been years since I've had the opportunity to see any of you, my own mom has always kept me up-to-date on the Kreke family news she receives. Today I am remembering all of you fondly and praying you'll find peace in this difficult time.

*Many condolences,
Debbie Carraway*

Debbie Carraway - August 28, 2022 at 09:11 PM

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“ *Jan and Don Wilcox (Cousin) purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Susan M. Kreke (nee: Deckert).*



Jan and Don Wilcox (Cousin) - August 28, 2022 at 11:20 AM

CM

“ *Chick Miles purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Susan M. Kreke (nee: Deckert).*



Chick Miles - August 26, 2022 at 05:12 PM

WS

“ With deepest Sympathy purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Susan M. Kreke (nee: Deckert).



With deepest Sympathy - August 26, 2022 at 08:57 AM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Susan M. Kreke (nee: Deckert).



August 25, 2022 at 05:23 PM

MS

“ Amy and family,

*My condolences during this difficult time.
Please find comfort in knowing that your mom
is at peace and no longer in any pain.*



*I had the pleasure in meeting Susan last year. I met Amy and her
mom for breakfast in downtown Willoughby. I got to know her mom
a little bit and was sure glad I did.*

*Susan would visit Willoughby, Ohio during summer months staying
active enjoying time with her friends here and spending time with
Amy and her granddaughter Abby.*

*Hugs & Prayers,
Melissa*

Melissa S. - August 25, 2022 at 04:25 PM

KB

Dear Family of Susan,

What a loving, wonderful person. I know she is at peace and still a presence in your lives. While I have met Susan a few times, one of the first was in Chicago at Millennium Park for a concert. We had a lovely evening. Susan made a great salad and without added prompting, she sent the recipe to me. I actually had pulled the recipe out to make for an upcoming picnic. Now will be made in her honor and I will think of her as all the compliments coming to me will be hers. My sympathy and prayers for you.

Karen Brown

Karen Brown - August 30, 2022 at 06:41 PM