



Kathryn Heller Hutchison

June 12, 1946 - November 18, 2017

Kathryn H. Hutchison passed away on Saturday, the 18th of November, 2017, at the age of 71. Her whole family, including her husband of over 50 years, Jack, her three daughters, Amber, Karen, and Allison, and her brother, Skip Heller, all miss her very much.

Kathryn obtained her B.S. in math and physics at West Virginia University and her M.S. in computer science at the University of Delaware. She went on to enjoy a successful career working with and teaching computer software in the oil and gas industry for four decades. But her real pride and joy was at home, where she and Jack raised three wonderful girls into amazing women. Kathryn was blessed with seven grandchildren: Benjamin, Ashleigh, Grant, Natalie, Elliot, Pierce, and Blair. Kathryn's vision of a perfect day was taking her grandchildren—and her beloved dogs—to the neighborhood park for some tennis-ball-throwing time, followed by a field trip to the zoo.

Friends and family are cordially invited to a mass in memory of Kathryn at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, December 11, at St. John Vianney Catholic Church, 625 Nottingham Oaks Trail, Houston, TX 77079. A reception celebrating Kathryn's life will follow in St. Jude Hall.

In lieu of flowers, those wishing to make a donation in her memory may consider the Houston Zoo (1513 Cambridge St., Houston TX 77030, 713-533-

6500) or Citizens for Animal Protection (17555 Katy Fwy., Houston, TX 77094, 281-497-0591).

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

DEC 11. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. John Vianney Catholic Church
625 Nottingham Oaks Trail
Houston, TX 77079
(281) 497-1500

Reception

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Tribute Wall



“ Kathryn Heller Hutchison

October 08, 2023 at 10:52 AM



“ Kathryn Heller Hutchison

October 06, 2023 at 01:12 AM



“ Kathryn Heller Hutchison

October 05, 2023 at 09:45 AM



“ Kathryn Heller Hutchison

October 05, 2023 at 01:54 AM



“ Kathryn left a beautiful family legacy, one that will carry on generation to generation.

Prayers of comfort for the family as they grieve this loss and prayers of peace and joy as they continue to honor Kathryn through the things she loved most.

Tanya Chi - December 11, 2017 at 04:16 PM

GR

“ Please accept my family’s heartfelt condolences on the loss of your dear loved one. May you find comfort and peace in fond memories of them, and the Almighty God’s promise in the Bible to restore those asleep in death to perfect life on a paradise Earth, and to swallow up death forever.

Greene's - November 29, 2017 at 12:16 PM

MA

“ I worked with Kathryn only a short period of time. And when she came to The Netherlands I can still remember how she helped me to prepare the typical Dutch winterfood that I wanted to let her taste. I can also remember her kindness and the sincere interest she showed in other people.
I wish all her family and friends God's strenght to help you through this time of grief.

Marc-paul - November 29, 2017 at 04:15 AM

BB

“ Beth Backus sent a virtual gift in memory of Kathryn Heller Hutchison



Beth Backus - November 25, 2017 at 04:09 PM

BB

I will miss the friendship of Kathryn.... beautiful, caring wife, mother and grandmother . We became friends in 1964 when we lived across the hall from one another at WVU. Although we haven't seen each other for many years we kept in contact via phone and her newsy Christmas notes sharing the wonderful adventures of husband Jack, her children and grandchildren. She was very proud of her family and rightly so. The word was a beautiful place because of her. My love to you all. Beth

Beth Backus - November 25, 2017 at 04:23 PM

CS

Kathryn was a most special friend, from college through all these years. I remember so well what a wonderful roommate she was at WVU, and how much I learned from her as she showed such determination and humor in following a career unusual for women at that time. She loved her family with all her heart, and nothing was more important to her. She will most certainly be missed, but remembered as she was through all her active years.

Carolyn Griffin Stevens - November 28, 2017 at 11:12 PM