



Barbara J. Foeste

April 25, 1954 - May 26, 2020

On Tuesday May 26th, 2020 Barbara Jane Foeste, loving wife, mother, and grandmother passed away at age 66.

Barbara Jane Foeste was born Barbara Jane Crites on April 25th, 1954 the youngest daughter of John and Velma Crites. She graduated from Cape Central High School in 1972, and thereafter met Mike Foeste and they wed on October 12, 1974 at Grace Methodist Church in Cape Girardeau. She became a mother for the first time to Christopher Michael Foeste on November 15th, of 1979 and then again to Robert Matthew Foeste on December 28th, 1984.

She loved cooking, gardening, reading, music, but most of all taking care of her family. She always sacrificed her needs for the family she loved, and kept an ever present eye on how “her boys” were doing.

Jane will be remembered for her caring and compassion, and for being an altruistic wife and mother. She was always there for the little league games, cub scout meetings, and orchestra concerts, but most of all, there was no guest that entered her household that left with an empty stomach. Her legendary command of the kitchen is where her creativity and kindness knew no-bounds. That will continue to be a lasting legacy within and outside of our family.

Jane loved her friends and cherished the time they spent together. She was a founding member of the GO SEMO Relay for Life team and helped raise \$78,000 to fight cancer. She spent countless hours dedicating time to comforting her friends on doctor visits to St. Louis, that they would rebrand as “girls trips”. She had a quiet strength and battled bravely against cancer.

She was preceded in death by her sister Cathy Crites. She is survived by her parents John and Velma Crites, her husband Mike, sons Chris (Lauren) and Robert and her two grandchildren Chase and Ryan.

There will be no services.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

CO

“ Hello: Mike

Sorry, to hear of your lost -- she always had a smile and very friendly. You take care of yourself.

God's blessings,

Herman and Cordelia (Tudy) Peters

cordelia - July 28, 2020 at 07:03 AM

TB

“ So sorry to hear of Jane's passing. Love all of the Foeste crew and saddened by your loss. Take care of yourselves.

*Dan and Tina Bollinger
Flower Mound TX but Cape natives!*

Tina Bollinger - May 30, 2020 at 02:09 PM

KH

“ Mike, Chris and Rob, I am so very sorry. There really are no words to make the heartache less. From the moment I met Jane I immediately felt like she was family. Her ability to make you feel like she had known you forever was overwhelming. She always had a smile on her face and a warm hug to share. She was indeed a blessing and will be missed by so many. My love and prayers are with your entire family.



Kim and Rob Hodo - May 29, 2020 at 08:40 PM

BD

“ So sorry to hear about Jane's passing She (and you, Mike} were the best neighbors .When we talked she was always so cheerful and ready to help . She kept us up to date on the boys and their achievements which she was so proud of We extend our deepest sympathy to you, Mike, her parents, sons and grandson May she rest in peace

Bill,Betty DeBrockFriend - May 29, 2020 at 04:05 PM

SG

I knew Jane from my SEMO days. She was so kind and always had something nice to say. May she Rest In Peace.. God bless her and her family.

Sandy Heitschmidt Garcia - May 29, 2020 at 08:44 PM