



## Mary Jane Long

October 2, 1957 - November 26, 2020

Mary Jane Long died November 27, 2020 at her home surrounded by family and friends.

She was born October 2, 1957 to Billy and Evelyn Sewing Long.

She was a 1976 graduate of Jackson High School and attended Lutheran School of Nursing, Southeast Missouri State University and Webster University; earning a Certified Registered Nurse and Master Degree in nursing.

Mary Jane worked as an RN at Southeast Missouri Hospital for over 30 years and was a medical coder for AskMueller Consulting at the time of her death.

Mary Jane was an active member of her sorority Beta Sig.

She is survived by her mother, Evelyn Long; sister, Winnie Long; brother, Larry Long; brother-in-law, John Hoemann; sister-in-law, Carrielee Long; multiple nieces, nephews, grandnieces, grandnephews; and her close friends, Don Dixon, Ben Hutchings and Thomas Hays.

Mary Jane was preceded in death by her husband, Keither Lechner; her father, Bill Long; a sister, Cheryl Hoemann; and two grandnieces.

A memorial will be planned for a later date.

An interment service for friends and family will be held at 10:00 am Monday, December 28, 2020 at Russell Heights Cemetery in Jackson.

Ford and Sons Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Online condolences may be made at [www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com](http://www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com).

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

DEC **28**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Russell Heights Cemetery  
Jackson, MO 63755