



Hope Caviness

June 22, 1948 - September 6, 2020

Hope Louise Hopkins Caviness, 72, Lake Wabaunsee, Kansas, peacefully passed away Sunday, September 6, 2020, at the lake house where she was surrounded by her devoted husband, children and grandchildren.

Hope was born June 22, 1948, in Atlanta, Georgia, the daughter of Philip and Mary Trautman Hopkins. She graduated from Scotch Plains Fanwood High School in Scotch Plains, New Jersey. She married Charles Caviness in Scotch Plains on August 16, 1969. Hope attended the College of Emporia in Emporia, Kansas. Hope was a Registered Nurse. She was a member of Redeemer Lutheran Church at Lake Wabaunsee.

Hope was a warrior who fought Multiple Sclerosis for 45 years. She had a positive attitude and never let MS keep her from doing anything she wanted, including attending endless sporting events in support of her grandchildren. Hope's legacy instilled a warrior mentality in her children and grandchildren, and they were willing to fight any battle with her. With the support of her husband of 51 years, Chuck and her family, she was willing to take on any adventure. Hope loved being at the lake house, where she faithfully watched her grandchildren swim off the dock and go on endless boat and golf cart rides.

Hope is survived by her husband, Chuck; children, Christi Zimmerman (Josh),

John Caviness (Lori) and Andy Caviness (Casandra); grandchildren, Jordan, Taylor and Kami Zimmerman, Colin, Ethan, Lauryn, Kaden and Kylie Caviness; and brother, Stephen Hopkins (Nancy). She was preceded in death by her parents.

Due to COVID-19, Hope's memorial service will be private but available to stream online at 11 a.m. Friday, September 11, 2020. Her service will be streamed at the following link: https://evt.live/j_zimmerman/hope-caviness-funeral

Memorial contributions may be made to the Redeemer Lutheran Church or the MS Society, sent in care of Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614.

Tribute Wall



“ *Hope Caviness*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Chuck & Family I was sorry to hear of you wife Hopes passing. I'm at a loss with comforting sayings, but know I know your family lost a wonderful loving wife and mother.*

Maggie Waggoner - September 16, 2020 at 06:53 PM



“ *Chuck, we were so sorry to hear of Hope's passing but we know she had a long struggle with MS. I remember seeing her at the small 6:00 service at Faith Lutheran for many years and I was disappointed that they did not continue that service. I remember visiting with her and how she was always smiling and happy to see everyone. I am so thankful you found a church at Lake Wabaunsee. May God give you comfort, strength and peace to go on without her earthly presence. But we rejoice that she knew her Savior and that He welcomed her with open arms!*

Janet (Thaete) Zima & Joe Zima

Janet M. Zima - September 14, 2020 at 08:32 PM



“ *Dear Caviness family,. . . When David lira and I moved to Auburn Hope and Chuck were the first ones to welcome us. What a great loss for you all. I will always remember Hope as a lovely happy person.*

Cindy Pfannenstiel - September 12, 2020 at 05:17 PM

PW

“ So sorry for your loss, Hope was such a strong courageous lady and will truly be missed!❤️Prayers for you all, Chuck, Christy, John , Andy and family

pat warren - September 11, 2020 at 11:51 AM

NO

“ We are very sorry for your loss. Nancy and Calvin Ott

Nancy Ott - September 11, 2020 at 07:25 AM

MT

“ Chuck, Christy, John and Andy, with deepest sympathy, my thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Marcella Tinoco

Marcella Tinoco - September 10, 2020 at 08:32 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Hope Caviness.



September 10, 2020 at 06:13 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Hope Caviness.



September 10, 2020 at 05:04 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Hope Caviness.*



September 10, 2020 at 11:44 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Hope Caviness.*



September 10, 2020 at 10:16 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Hope Caviness.*



September 10, 2020 at 09:30 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Hope Caviness.*



September 09, 2020 at 10:00 PM

PK

“ Charlie - we are so sorry for your loss. Thinking of you & your family. Sending prayers & sympathy.

Perry & Debbie Kadous

Perry Kadous - September 09, 2020 at 08:47 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Hope Caviness.



September 09, 2020 at 07:55 PM

LH

“ *Sorry for your loss Chuck, prays to you and your family.*

Linda Hardie - September 09, 2020 at 05:40 PM

MO

“ *May the Lord comfort you in the loss of this sweet warrior who battled her illness so bravely.*

Marian Orton

Marian Holliday Orton - September 09, 2020 at 03:58 PM

FV

“ *Christi,
Words and our thoughts, however gentle, can't take your loss away.
Still, know of our sympathy, love and care for you.
May God enfold you with love and surround you with good friends.
peace, Friends of Saint Luke's South Hospital*

Fr. Ron Verhaeghe - September 09, 2020 at 03:27 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the
family of Hope Caviness.*



September 09, 2020 at 12:14 PM

MP

“ *Chuck, my heartfelt thoughts and prayers go out to you and your
family!*

Mark Pheasant - September 09, 2020 at 11:34 AM