



Cathy Sue Ostmann

May 26, 1952 - April 24, 2023

Cathy Sue Ostmann, age 70 of Silex, passed away Monday, April 24, 2023 at Mercy Hospital in St. Louis.

Cathy's wishes were to be cremated and Bibb-Veach Funeral Homes and Crematory in Bowling Green and Silex are handling arrangements.

Cathy was born May 26, 1952 in St. Louis, the daughter of Edward and Evelyn Clipper Richter. She married Herbert (Herbie) William Ostmann Jr., January of 1975. He preceded her in death November 1994.

Survivors include children Becky Ostmann, Travis Ostmann (Stephanie), Garrett Ostmann, and Colton Ostmann (Adriana); grandchildren Allie, Luke, Mya, Gracie, Moana, and Sophia; sisters Jane Neagles, Judy Guseman; brother Paul Richter and a large extended family.

Cathy was preceded in death by her parents, husband Herbert Ostmann Jr., brother Gary Richter.

Cathy was a very private person and kept her circle small. She grew up in St. Charles. After marrying Herbie, they made their home in St. Paul. Herbie and Cathy moved to Silex in 1993, where she currently resided. When Cathy was working, she was employed by Harcourt Brace & Co in Troy, MO. Cathy

enjoyed gardening, flowers, horses, and watching the geese on the lake reading a book. Her pride was her grandchildren. She loved helping them fish and loved being with them as much as possible. She cherished her time with her dogs and taking them on walks on her farm.

Tribute Wall

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“ Deepest sympathy to all the family. Cathy was such a nice, kind woman. Prayers for all of you.

Stacy Mergenthal - May 03, 2023 at 09:28 PM

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“ So very sorry for the family's loss. Cathy worked with my mom for many many years and I got the pleasure of being able to work with her one summer and getting to know her. She was always talking about her pugs that she had and her horses. She will be missed by many.

Heather Robinson - April 29, 2023 at 12:14 PM

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“ We grew up in the same neighborhood. The thing i remember most is her walking her dog. I would walk with her sometimes. Our younger brothers and sisters were close. She was always nice to me and that meant a lot to me. When i started working with Colton, he spoke of Cathy a lot. A really great mom and an awesome grandmother. I know shes going to be terribly missed

Peggy - April 27, 2023 at 07:52 PM

LM

“ Cathy and I have had many laughs over the years. I loved her sense of humor. Next to her family she sure loved her pugs n horses A lot! She will be missed and never forgotten
Lynette

Lynette McLeod - April 27, 2023 at 06:43 PM

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“ *I worked with Cathy at Harcourt.
She was a very hard worker and a good friend. My condolences to
her family,*

Marge Wood

Marge Wood - April 27, 2023 at 05:22 PM