



Catherine "Cathy" Louise (Irons) McClellan

November 6, 1961 - May 24, 2024

Catherine Louise (Irons) McClellan was born on November 6, 1961, in North Hollywood, California. She was born to Kurt and Betty Lou (Gregg) Irons. Cathy was raised in Buena Park, California and graduated with the class of 1980 from Buena Park High School.

On November 19, 1993, in Salem, Missouri, Cathy was united in marriage to the love of her life Dwayne "Scoop" Leslie McClellan. Cathy and Scoop were blessed with twenty-five years of marriage and lasting memories before his passing on August 5, 2019.

Cathy worked selflessly as a communications dispatch officer with the Salem Police Department for nearly twenty-five years. She dedicated herself to supporting the brave men and women of blue and serving in the community she loved. She loved her job, Salem PD became her second family, and she was proud to be part of the sacred covenant to protect and serve.

Cathy was very creative. She enjoyed crafting projects in her spare time and shopping at Hobby Lobby. She liked doing diamond dotz painting, crocheting blankets, quilting, and sewing. Cathy often helped with alterations and sewed patches on the police department uniforms. Most important to her was her family and spending time with her nieces and nephews. Cathy was a devoted wife, caring sister, and loving auntie.

Cathy peacefully entered into eternal rest on May 24, 2024, at her home in Salem, Missouri, at the age of sixty-two years. She leaves behind to carry her legacy brothers: Kurt "Chris" Irons Jr. and wife Beverly of Salem, MO; Gregg Irons of Salem, MO and Richard Gregg Sr. and wife Martine of Salem, MO; brother-in-law: Robert McClellan and wife Melissa "Missy"; sister-in-law: Trisha Knight; nieces and nephews: Chris Linss and wife Laura, Kurt Irons III and wife Sholeh, Joylynn Irons, Morrigan Gregg, Ricky Gregg Jr., Thomas Knight, and Andrew Knight; great-nieces and nephews: Gavin, Aidan, Ava, Leila, and Amelia; extended family and dear friends.

Preceding her in death were her husband: Dwayne "Scoop" McClellan; parents: Kurt Sr. and Betty Lou (Gregg) Irons; aunts: Dahllee Gregg and Marilyn Breeding; uncle: Dick Gregg; and nephew: Richard "Richie" Gates.

Cathy was a fighter until her last day, never giving up hope and will to live a meaningful life. She was kind natured and always fun to be around. Cathy will be forever missed by those who loved her most.

Funeral Services for Catherine Louise (Irons) McClellan were held Thursday, May 30, 2024, in the Wilson Mortuary Salem Chapel with Pastor Chris Hendrix officiating. Song selections played were "Faithfully", "Don't Bring Me Down", and "If The Sun Comes Up". Serving as Pallbearers were Kurt "Chris" Irons Jr., Richard Gregg, Robert McClellan, Michael Moore, John Brown, and Luc Burns. Honorary Pallbearers were Ricky Gregg Jr., Morrigan Gregg, Chris Linss, Kurt Irons III, Joylynn Irons, and Elijah Stuckenberg. Burial was in the Cedar Grove Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Wilson Mortuary of Salem, Missouri.

Online Condolences may be left at www.wilsonmortuary.com

Cemetery Details

Cedar Grove Cemetery

Salem, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 30. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Wilson Mortuary - Salem
1000 West Scenic Rivers Blvd.
Post Office Box 45
Salem, MO 65560
(573) 729-5555
<https://www.wilsonmortuary.com/>

Funeral Service

MAY 30. 1:00 PM.

Wilson Mortuary Salem Chapel

Tribute Wall



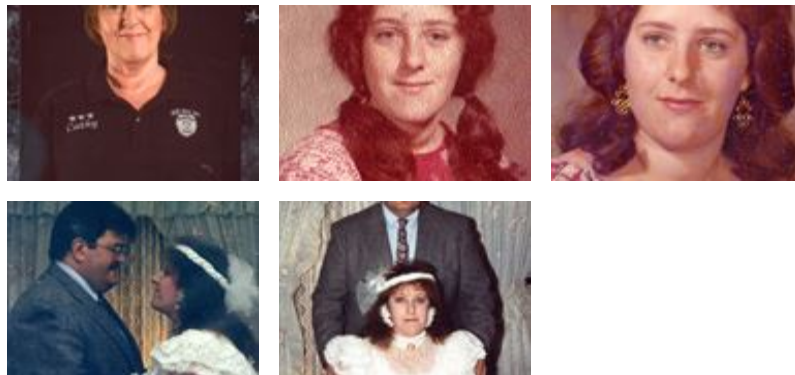
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“ *Cathy lives on in our hearts and memories. She is an inspiration to me, a wonderful role model as to how to truly be caring and dignified all of your days. She now has the peace, health, and comfort she deserves. I am so very grateful and honored to have had her grace my life. The Lord definitely did his best work through Cathy, for myself and many others. Love, strength, and prayers to Beverly, Kurt, and all those loved by Cathy, including all those precious fur babies she had in her life.*

Jenna Dunn - May 29, 2024 at 01:46 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Catherine "Cathy" Louise (Irons) McClellan.*



May 29, 2024 at 01:17 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Catherine "Cathy" Louise (Irons) McClellan.*



May 28, 2024 at 09:53 AM



“ *Kurt and Beverly, so sorry for the loss of both Cathy and "Scoop". Such a sweet and loving couple. Cathy always had a smile on her face and a good word to say. She will be missed.*

Judy and Randy - May 27, 2024 at 05:16 PM



“ *Such a loving and caring lady who will be sadly missed by all who knew and loved her. Was a pleasure to have met you on our trips to MO, thank you for all your kindness. Our thoughts are with your loved ones who will be heart broken at this sad time. Thinking of you all from across the pond.*

Caz & Jules x x

Caz & Jules - May 25, 2024 at 02:25 PM