



Carol Ann Fort

July 29, 1941 - January 4, 2020

Carol Ann Fort, age 78, of De Tour, passed away Saturday, January 4, 2020 after a long and courageous battle with cancer.

Carol Ann Adams was born July 29, 1941 in Sault Sainte Marie, Michigan, to Stanley Adams and Sylvia (Wright) Adams.

Carol was raised in De Tour Village, Michigan, and graduated from De Tour High School in 1959. On December 3, 1960, Carol married Frederick C. Keller Jr. and moved to Fountain City, WI. Fritz and Carol had two children. They divorced in 1974. On July 29, 1986, Carol married David Fort in Winona, MN and resided in Stockton, MN and later Lewiston, MN. Upon retirement in 2006, Carol and David moved to De Tour Village, Michigan.

Carol loved to cook and was an excellent baker. She was known for her beautifully decorated cookies and cakes and found joy in baking for neighbors, friends and family. She was an avid gardener throughout her life. Carol was also known for her sense of humor and for making others laugh and smile.

Carol was a member of St. Michael's Lutheran Church in Fountain City, WI and later joined Redeemer Lutheran Church in De Tour Village, MI. Carol found great joy and friendship in her church family in De Tour.

Carol is survived by her husband, David Fort; children, Klaire (Tami) Keller of Abilene, KS, Carmen (Paul) Kaufenberg of St. Cloud, MN; grandchildren, Lindsay, Megan, Nathan, Kelsey, and Charlie; four great-grandchildren; best friend and sister, Sandy (Robert) Konings, De Tour, MI; and nephew, Bobby Konings.

Carol was preceded in death by her parents; and brother, Maynard Adams.

A celebration Of Life will be held on Saturday, Jan. 11, 2020 at 11:00 A.M. at Redeemer Lutheran Church, 210 S. Superior, De Tour, with Reverend Donald Nemec officiating.

R. Galer Funeral Home is serving the family. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.rgalerfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall



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“ *Carol was one of the first people we met at Redeemer Lutheran Church in DeTour. We live down state and have a home in DeTour. My mom and my husband and I walked in new to Redeemer a couple of years ago looking for a place to sit. There was room next to Carol. We asked if we could sit next to her and were welcomed with her warm smile and definite "Yes!" From then on, each time we got to DeTour, "our spot" was sitting with Carol. We enjoyed catching up with one another and she and my mom enjoyed many short chats before or after the service. I think of Carol every time we walk into Redeemer. I still say a quiet "Hi Carol" as we sit down. You are missed Carol.*

Jim and Ellen Pastorino

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