



## Kathleen Mary Porter

April 30, 1954 - January 1, 2021

Kathleen Mary Porter, age 66, of Sault Ste. Marie, MI, died on January 1, 2021 in Sault Ste. Marie. She was born on April 30, 1954 in Detroit, MI, to Edgerton Joseph and Jeanne Loretta (MacDonald) Caraher.

Kathleen grew up in Detroit, where she graduated from High School. On October 19, 1979 she met and married the love of her life, Gary Dean Porter. They moved to Newberry in 1980 and later moved to Pickford in 1988. Kathleen worked as a cook at Kewadin Casinos and at Freighter View Assisted Living. After retirement, she and Gary lived in Florida for a few years before Gary's death. She then moved to Sault Ste. Marie.

Kathleen was always active in church, wherever she lived. She especially enjoyed being a member of the Florida Christian Fellowship Church Choir.

Kathleen enjoyed riding her bicycle, fishing walking outdoors, sightseeing and traveling.

Kathleen is survived by her children, Lori Ann (Danny) Weese of Garden City, MI, Dean Gary (Kim) Porter of Kinross, MI, Jennifer (Adam) Roe of Pickford, MI, and Anna (Adam) Willis of DinWiddie, VA; grandchildren, Josh Popejoy, Landen Popejoy, Raven Weese, Courtney Spence, Chase Porter, Emily Roe, Evan Roe, Abigail Roe, and Tristian Shields; great grandchildren, Mason and

Emory; brother Patrick Caraher of Orlando, FL.

Kathleen is preceded in death by her husband Gary, her parents, her sister Carol Anne Gadde; and her brother James Michael Caraher.

Celebration of Life will be held at a later date.

# Tribute Wall



“ Kathleen Mary Porter

October 05, 2023 at 09:54 AM



“ Kathleen Mary Porter

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“ Kathleen Mary Porter

September 01, 2022 at 07:49 PM



“ I met Kathleen and Gary when they moved to Florida and began attending our church. We became friends and enjoyed their friendship. Both were caring people and added a bright spot to our Connect Group. They loved to travel the state and enjoyed nature, especially fishing. I'm grateful to have known them both and counted them as friends. Now they're together again and enjoying the beauty of Heaven and seeing Jesus face to face.  
Prayers and condolences to their family.  
Linda Witt

Linda Witt - January 11, 2021 at 09:51 PM



“ A lovely, sweet, gentle woman. We shared many laughs together and beautiful prayer time together. I will miss her beautiful smile.

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“ *Kathleen knew how to light up a room with her welcoming smile. She was always happy to see her friends & family. I will miss her greatly. She treated me like her own and I will never forget the many memories with Jen and I growing up and also working with her.*

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**Joy Parish** - January 09, 2021 at 06:48 PM