



## Karen K. Morrison

August 6, 1946 - February 19, 2019

Karen Kay Morrison (Karshner), 72, of Canal Winchester, OH passed away peacefully Tuesday (2/19/2019) at home in the arms of her devoted husband. Born August 6, 1946 in Columbus, OH, Karen was the youngest daughter to Noah Elijah Karshner of Laurelville, OH and Henrietta Arnold. She married her high school sweetheart on April 13, 1963 and graduated from Canal Winchester High School, class of 1964, via correspondence after the birth of their only child.

Karen retired from the United States Postal Service with over 30 years of dedicated employment as a rural carrier in the Canal Winchester office. She was a loyal Cincinnati Reds and Ohio State Buckeyes fan and shared the love of sports with her daughter as teammates on the Rutherford Auto Body softball team and in bowling leagues around Columbus, OH. Karen loved to travel and spent time with her husband visiting national parks, amusements, and attractions on their motorcycle. She was a member of Hope United Methodist Church and spent many hours volunteering for the Trash and Treasure sale. She traveled the country and danced at local festivals as a member of various clogging clubs, most recently with Teays Valley Cloggers in Circleville, OH. Karen was an avid gardener and enjoyed the years after retirement caring for her great-grandchildren. She brought beauty and love into every area of her life.

Karen was recently preceded in death by dear brothers in law, David Leroy Ervin and Richard Morrison. She is survived by a large and loving family:

husband, Robert Morrison of Canal Winchester, OH; daughter, Pam Harris (Morrison); granddaughters, Marcy Kay Harris-Ortiz (Damien Ortiz), and Alexa Burks; great-grandchildren, Kaiya Ortiz, Isaiah Ortiz, Ella Knowlton, Atticus Ortiz, and Austin Burks; sisters, Norma Sweitzer of Pensacola, FL, and Nina Ervin of Grove City, OH; as well as innumerable nieces, nephews, cousins, and countless loving friends.

A memorial service will be held in Karen's honor 2:30 pm, Sunday, March 3, 2019 at Hope United Methodist Church, Canal Winchester, OH. The family is inviting visitors to stay after the service for condolences and light refreshments.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

MAR 3. 2:30 PM (ET)

Hope United Methodist Church  
83 East Columbus Street  
Canal Winchester, OH 43220

# Tribute Wall

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“ Karen taught me to do the "mash potato", the "watusi", and the "hali gali". That goes back to the 50's and 60's. She was so much fun to be around. Our condolences to the entire family.

Fred and Jane Moore - March 07, 2019 at 05:54 PM

EB

“ Bubbly, courageous, earth mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, devoted wife, full of humor and sense of adventure, Karen could listen with her heart, act upon her principles and be loyal to her friends and family 24/7/365. Regret missing her celebration of life service.

Edith Burton - March 07, 2019 at 07:10 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Karen K. Morrison.



March 01, 2019 at 09:06 PM

FC

“ From your Clogging Friends with Wildfire Cloggers purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Karen K. Morrison.



From your Clogging Friends with Wildfire Cloggers -  
February 28, 2019 at 10:18 AM

FT

“ From Buckeye Nutz Clogging Team purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Karen K. Morrison.



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**From Buckeye Nutz Clogging Team** - February 28, 2019 at 10:01 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Karen K. Morrison.



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February 27, 2019 at 08:49 AM

JP

“ Sorry to hear about the death of Karen, enjoyed her friendship and clogging with her. Our prayers are with your family and Norma may you find peace in our loving God.

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**Judy Podolski** - February 26, 2019 at 10:52 PM

SL

*I am so very sorry about Karen. I have really enjoyed clogging with Karen throughout the years. Probably since the 90's. Such a fun and nice person. She is going to be missed. Shirley Lipps*

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**Shirley Lipps** - February 28, 2019 at 10:26 AM