



## Margaret Ann McGreevy

September 22, 1946 - May 23, 2018

Margaret Ann McGreevy passed away May 23, 2018. Margaret was born in St. Louis in September of 1946, to William J. McGreevy Jr. and Myra Louise (Harmon) McGreevy. She attended Rose Fanning Elementary, Roosevelt High School and graduated with a Master of Education from the University of Missouri, Columbia. She lived most of her married life in the wilderness of Colorado with her now deceased husband Leon Bechard, and her two daughters Aimee Bechard (recently deceased) and Anna Bechard of Phoenix, AZ. Margaret most enjoyed the great outdoors and associated adventures, and continued her education through Colorado extension programs for ecology and preservation. She loved the flexibility of teaching second and third graders with an average classroom size of 8 to 12 students and was awarded Teacher of the Year in Elbert, Colorado. Her students benefitted from the many areas of accomplishment in Margaret's life as she incorporated, art, sewing, quilting, knitting, cooking, typing, ecology field trips and music into her classroom curriculum. Margaret returned to St. Louis after retirement and continued to share through substitute teaching. Her piano and harp were comforts in her everyday life as well as her almost magical style of writing. She had the gift of her father's Irish story-telling and her mother's artistic talents. Margaret continued her love for the tranquility of nature in the Missouri Ozarks where she and her close friend Jon Gilmore explored the many miracles of our natural life.

She will be missed by her family: her daughter, Anna, and granddaughters

Maya and Savannah; sister Myra Finch (John) and sons Scott Miller and Mark Miller (Jennifer); sister Mary Beasley (Cloyd) and children, Scot Wallace (Andrea), Matt Ghormley (Tammy) and Jennifer Arthur (Bobby); brother Bill McGreevy (Mary Beth); sister Kathy McGreevy and partner Lynette Boston; and by many friends throughout the world.

May your blessings out number the shamrocks that grow and God's love be with you wherever you go.....

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

MAY 29. 10:00 AM (CT)

Chapel Hill Mortuary - Kirkwood  
10301 Big Bend Road  
Kirkwood, MO 63122  
(314) 965-8228  
info@stlfuneral.com  
<https://www.stlfuneral.com>

# Tribute Wall



“ Margaret Ann McGreevy

January 06, 2023 at 10:46 PM



“ I went to grade school and high school with Margaret. I have fond memories of her. I was sorry to hear of her passing.  
Sharon Cloud

Sharon A Cloud - May 29, 2018 at 10:19 AM



“ Went to high school with Margaret and we were in the same home room; she was very active in school activities. So sorry to hear of her passage.

rich neller

rich neller - May 29, 2018 at 01:44 AM



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Kathy McGreevy - May 28, 2018 at 10:21 PM



McGreevy family

Earl Neller - May 31, 2018 at 01:22 AM

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**Mary Beth McGreevy** - May 28, 2018 at 02:12 PM

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“ *Bill and family,  
I am saddened by Margaret's passing and extend my condolences.  
My memory of Margaret's wit, charm and her sparkling personality  
remain vivid.  
Her success and happiness in life was always assured by virtue of  
her goodness and zest for it.  
Please extend my sympathy to your family,  
Terry Schaefer*

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**Terry Schaefer** - May 28, 2018 at 08:22 AM

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*Thanks to all who cared and shared memories of/with Margaret. She was a song in my heart. It was special to have Sandy Medley, Myra Manning and Darby Coburn share in the graveside services with us as well. After Margaret retired and returned to St Louis, and before exploring the Ozarks, she even became an airline stewardess for Jet Blue Airlines - quite the life*

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**Kathy McGreevy** - June 28, 2018 at 03:38 PM

MA

*Got anything with Anna? My mom? I miss her and idk if u know me but I jst want a pic of her cuz she's not here 🙄🙄*

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**maya** - May 20 at 04:58 PM

DM

*“ Although I have not seen Margaret since high school, I remember her fondly. She was a beautiful girl with a beautiful soul. I was happy to read about her life and the contributions Margaret made. I still have a photo of Margaret and me taken outside the Fox Theater circa 1963.*

*Dave McMillan*

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**Dave McMillan** - May 27, 2018 at 07:37 PM