



Nancy Bolton Grable

March 15, 1957 - January 4, 2018

Grable, Nancy, nee Bolton, 60, longtime resident of Kirkwood, died on Jan. 4, 2018, at Barnes-Jewish Hospital.

Known for her compassion, hospitality and warm smile, Nancy was a local dynamo who touched many lives. An active community volunteer, she was a bright light whose kind and generous spirit was evident in every endeavor. She lived life to the fullest. She was an artist, world traveler, bicyclist, performing arts patron, school booster, avid reader and engaged citizen. She cherished her family and friends, and her beautiful home and garden reflected her outgoing personality.

The oldest of the late James Gray II and Mell Campbell Bolton's five children, Nancy was born on March 15, 1957, in Baton Rouge, La.

In 1979, she graduated from Louisiana State University with a bachelor's degree in business, and moved to Houston to work for the Monsanto Oil Company. She met her husband, Jay Grable, there and moved to St. Louis in 1985.

They were married for 22 years until his death on Jan. 9, 2007.

She spent 12 years in marketing at Anheuser-Busch, and worked seven years for the Pi Beta Phi Fraternity for Women.

She volunteered at The College School, John Burroughs School, Kirkwood United Methodist Church and Barnes-Jewish Hospital.

She belonged to the Pi Beta Phi Alumni, Junior League, Wednesday Club of St. Louis, and the St. Louis Calligraphy Guild.

Mrs. Grable is survived by her son, Clay, of New York City; stepson, Ford, daughter-in-law Kaori and granddaughter Lilas Grable, of Machida, Tokyo, Japan; brothers Christopher and Matthew (Karen) Bolton, and sister Julie (Paul) Falgout, all of Baton Rouge; mother-in-law Barbara Grable, siblings-in-law Jodie (Tom) Memmer, Scott (Janet) and Arnie Grable, all of Princeton, Ind.; nephews Christopher Bolton II and Daniel Falgout, and niece Mary Katherine Bolton; cousins, and many friends. Her brother, James Gray Bolton III, died in 2012.

Visitation will take place from 4 to 8 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 19, at the Chapel Hill Mortuary in St. Louis.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **19**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Service

JAN **20**. 9:30 AM (CT)

Kirkwood United Methodist Church
201 W. Adams Ave
Kirkwood, MO 63122

Tribute Wall



“ *Nancy Bolton Grable*

January 06, 2023 at 10:46 PM



“ *Onsite Design and Development purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Nancy Bolton Grable.*



Onsite Design and Development - January 19, 2018 at 09:52 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Nancy Bolton Grable.*



January 16, 2018 at 08:17 AM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Nancy Bolton Grable.*



January 16, 2018 at 08:13 AM