



## Carol S McKay

December 30, 1948 - August 13, 2021

Carol S. McKay (Jablonski) 72 years old of Beecher, passed away Friday, August 13, 2021 at home with family by her side. She was born on December 30, 1948, in South Chicago, IL. The daughter of Albin and Sylvia Jablonski.

Carol married Daniel McKay on September 1, 1973 at Holy Ghost Catholic Church in South Holland. She graduated from Thornridge High School in 1966, and South Suburban Community College in 1968 with a degree in nursing. She worked at the University of Chicago Hospital, St. Francis Hospital in Blue Island, and Christie Clinic in Champaign, IL. In 1980, she disembarked from her nursing career to raise her daughter and help her husband start a veterinary hospital in Beecher. She started out as the only staff member and in time was managing a very busy practice with 18 employees.

She was a parishioner of St. Paul's Catholic Church in Peotone. A longtime member of the Beecher Ladies Bunco Club. She enjoyed baking, gardening, traveling, and spending time with her family. Always supportive of her grandchildren, she took the greatest delight in spending time with them, which included attending all their athletic events.

Surviving is her husband Daniel; a daughter Amy (Chris) Sluis of Grant Park; two grandchildren Noah Christopher and Claire Addison; her mother Sylvia

Eve; sisters Eileen (Dwight) Burnson of Frankfort and Julie (Mark) Mierzwa of Crown Point, Indiana; 23 nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her father Albin Jablonski, a brother Larry Jablonski; infant son, John Francis.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

A mass celebrating her life will be held at 10:00 am on Friday, August 27, 2021, at St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church in Peotone.

Memorials may be made to [uplifted.org](https://www.uplifted.org) (formerly Kankakee Valley Hospice) who assisted Carol's passing with peace and dignity.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

AUG 27. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church  
551 N. Conrad St.  
Peotone, IL 60468

# Tribute Wall



“ *Now she is with her son that her sick husband killed*

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**April Loew** - September 27, 2023 at 03:33 PM



“ *Southern Magnolia Tree was purchased for the family of Carol S McKay.*



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August 27, 2021 at 01:56 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Kathy Sharpe** - August 27, 2021 at 11:30 AM

KS

“ 9 files added to the tribute wall



Kathy Sharpe - August 27, 2021 at 11:24 AM

BF

“ Beecher Veterinary Clinic Family purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Carol S McKay.



Beecher Veterinary Clinic Family - August 26, 2021 at 01:34 PM

KS

“ 7 files added to the tribute wall



Kathy Sharpe - August 25, 2021 at 02:23 AM

LA

“ Carol gave me Mouse (a cat). She was a great little cat. Thanks, Carol.

Laura - August 21, 2021 at 09:48 AM

RK

“ Renée (Fredette) Kwiat purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Carol S McKay.



Renée (Fredette) Kwiat - August 20, 2021 at 07:46 PM

GH

“ So sorry to hear about the passing of our dear friend Carol. She was a great lady with a beautiful smile. We will miss her deeply. We send our prayers and sympathy to you Dan, Amy and family. Prayers to u all. Love Gary and Janet

Gary and Janet Hase - August 19, 2021 at 11:35 PM

JB

“ Every time we ran into each other, we did catch up from our busy lives. Of coarse, her updates were about her grands. Carol was the most down to earth, easy to relate to person. I was heartbroken to learn she had ALS and I feel great relief she is at peace now. My deepest condolences to her beautiful family.

joanne buchmeier - August 19, 2021 at 11:22 PM

KS

“ *Dan, Amy, and family*

*Hugs and prayers to you all during this difficult time. My deepest sympathy to all. Had many good memories with Carol. God Bless*

*Kathy Shanahan*

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**Kathy Shanahan** - August 18, 2021 at 08:14 PM

MB

“ *Dear Dan, Amy and Family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. Carol was such a caring and fun person to be around. We enjoyed many good times together with our Bunco Group and she will be sorely missed. With much Love and Compassion,*



*MaryAnn and Ernie Bleicher*

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**Mary Ann Bleicher** - August 18, 2021 at 06:14 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Carol S McKay.*



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August 18, 2021 at 03:27 PM

LO

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time*

*Lorie baker*

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**Lorie** - August 18, 2021 at 12:16 PM

TM

“ *Dan my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*



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**Tim Mitchell** - August 16, 2021 at 09:11 PM

TH

“ *Rest in peace, Carol*



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**Timothy Hofmann** - August 16, 2021 at 09:34 AM

 Ed Palmisano

“ *My prayers and condolences. Such as sweet woman as you welcomed me to your education dinners.*

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**Ed Palmisano** - August 16, 2021 at 09:30 AM

JB

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you Dan, Amy and family. Carol will be missed by many. She was such a fun part of our Beecher Bunco Group. It won't be the same without her! My Love to your all!*



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**Janice Braun** - August 15, 2021 at 09:06 PM