



Martha Whelan

January 15, 1952 - November 21, 2022

Frankfort – Martha Ann Holbert Whelan, age 70, passed away at home on Monday, November 21, 2022. Visitation will be held at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home from 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. on Friday. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at Good Shepherd Catholic Church on Friday, November 25, 2022, at 2:00 p.m. with Father John Lijana officiating. A private interment will be held at a later date.

Mrs. Whelan was born on January 15, 1952, to the late David Holbert and Amanda Vittitow Holbert. She retired from Commonwealth Credit Union after 20 years of service. Mrs. Whelan was a member of Good Shepherd Catholic Church. She enjoyed quilting and cross-stitching, as well as spending time doing yardwork. She was an avid Kentucky Wildcats fan. Warm summer nights spent on the boat were especially beloved by Mrs. Whelan.

She is survived by her husband of 51 years, Charles Francis Whelan; sons, Mark Whelan (Maurita) and Chad Whelan (Sandra); grandson, Andrew Whelan; and siblings, Mary Sue Estep, William Holbert (Ann), Nancy Armstrong (Kenneth); Ronald Holbert (Margaret), Donald Holbert (Sharon), and Charles Holbert (Beverly). She was also blessed with many nieces, nephews, and friends. Martha could often be seen around town with her loving canine companions, Bentley and Annie.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her brothers, James Cambron, Franklin Cambron, and Louis Holbert.

Serving as pallbearers will be family and friends.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made to the American Cancer Society or Bluegrass Hospice Care in Mrs. Whelan's memory. Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home & Crematory.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **25**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Harrod Brothers Funeral Home
312 Washington Street
Frankfort, KY 40601
(502) 227-4526
hbfh@harrodbrothers.com
<https://www.harrodbrothers.com>

Mass of Christian Burial

NOV **25**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Good Shepherd Catholic Church
72 Shepherd Way
Frankfort, KY 40601

Tribute Wall



“ *Martha Whelan*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *I will always cherish playing cards with Martha! She will be missed immeasurably!*

Whitney Howard - November 25, 2022 at 04:13 PM



“ *Martha was a great person, she never had a harsh word for anyone, but yet she spoke her mind. I worked with Marth for years. My prayers go out to her family. She is in Gods hands and at peace. I can see her smiling down on us all now. May she rest in peace.*
MJ Lines



Mary J Lines - November 25, 2022 at 02:36 PM



“ *Rose Rogers purchased the Memories 44" Sonnet for the family of Martha Whelan.*



Rose Rogers - November 23, 2022 at 02:02 PM

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“ All my love to the family. I am so sorry for your loss, our loss. I was thrilled to be reunited with Martha Ann, when she and Charlie made the trip to Wa, after decades since I had spent any time with them. I will remember her sparkling eyes, radiant smile and infectious laugh. And her generous spirit, how much she loved and cared for her family and friends. Wishing the family peace and happy memories of a life well lived.

Karen Blair - November 23, 2022 at 01:38 PM



“ 63 files added to the album Life Tributes



Harrod Brothers Funeral Home - November 23, 2022 at 10:01 AM

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“ Jennifer Ryan lit a candle in memory of Martha Whelan



Jennifer Ryan - November 23, 2022 at 09:54 AM