

HOMEWOOD, Patricia Ann, 49, died at The Peaks Care Center, Longmont, CO, Sunday, July 1, 2007, after a long struggle. She was born in Kingsville, TX October 22, 1957 to the late Capt. Frederick Hollis Homewood and Janet (Lindner) Homewood. She grew up in Tucson, AZ, and graduated from Tucson High School in 1975 and always considered Tucson her true home. She was particularly fond of Sabino Canyon. She received her AA in Business Administration from Fox Valley Technical College, Appleton WI in 1994.

She was initially married to Tom Beyer in 1984, and moved to Wisconsin. She married Dan R. Keating July 8, 1995. She worked at Alta Resources as a Customer Care Specialist. She was a member of St. Thomas Church in Menasha, WI. Family was very important to her; she loved to garden, knit and read.

Patti suffered a disabling heart attack in August of 2005 and was cared for at Weyauwega Health Care Center, Weyauwega, WI until January 2007, when she was moved to The Peaks Care Center in Longmont, CO to be closer to her parents and siblings.

Patti is survived by Dan Keating, and her children, Brian Richard Beyer (Menasha, WI), Kathryn Hollis Beyer (Menasha, WI) and Kelsey Marie Homewood (Cumberland, WI); her mother, Janet Ann Tift and stepfather Dr. William Grant Tift (Tucson, AZ); brother, Hollis Richard Homewood (Arvada, CO); stepbrother, William John Tift (Ithaca, NY); sister, Susan (Homewood) Rose (Longmont, CO); stepsister, Jennifer Gail Tift (Tucson, AZ) and half-sister, Amy (Tift) Lyons (Eagle River, AK). She is further survived by nieces, other relatives and many friends.

Memorial services will be held at St. Thomas Church, 226 Washington St., Menasha, WI, on Wednesday, July 18, 2007, at 6:30 p.m. in the chapel. Fr. Edwin Smith will officiate. A memorial at St. Philip's Episcopal Church in Tucson, AZ will be held in September. Her final resting place will be in Tucson, as she wished.

Flowers are welcome, or donations may be made in her name to the Friends of Sabino Canyon, P.O. Box 31265, Tucson, AZ 85751.

We would like to thank all the staff at The Peaks Care Center, Longmont CO, and Weyauwega Health Care Center, Weyauwega, WI, for their care and concern over these many months.

We love you, Patti. Now you are free.

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