



## Cheryl Hetherton

June 10, 1944 - August 15, 2023

Announcing a change of address for Cheryl Therese Hetherton. She may, as of August 15, 2023, be reached in Heaven! Her cell phone is no longer active but please reach out to her via prayer. Prior to her move, Cheryl lived in Cedar Falls, IA. On July 18, 1964 she married her high school sweetheart, Larry Hetherton. Cheryl and Larry have three sons: Todd (Mitzi) of Johnston, IA, Chris (Amy) of Cedar Falls, IA and Sean (Jennifer) of Brighton, MI. They have eleven grandchildren: Meaghan, Geordon, Matt, Lara, Anne Marie, Julia, Allison, Reed, Sydney, Grant and Aubrey, and three great grandchildren: Owen, Eiley and Mavis.

Cheryl was born in Moline, IL to John Donald and Leona Sims on June 10, 1944. She attended St. Edward's grade school and Columbus High School in Waterloo. Following high school, she became a beautician. She eventually drove the school bus for St. Patrick's School, and then worked at AEA 7 for 17 years, retiring in 2000. She loved spending time with family and friends, traveling, playing cards and golf. She attended more sporting events than any one mother should have had to. The best way to describe Cheryl is this way: "People will always remember who showed up. They will remember who bothered to rearrange their schedule, to make inconvenient choices, and who made them a priority." She wore herself out putting her entire family first and will forever be loved and missed for ALWAYS "showing up"!

Cheryl is survived by Larry, their sons and their families, as well as sisters Linda Paar of Waterloo, IA and Bridget (Patrick) Guccione of Berthoud, Co., along with three nieces, a nephew, and three great nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, in-laws Dru and Ken Hetherton, and brother-in-law David Paar.

The family wishes to thank the staff at Unity Point Health and Cedar Valley Hospice for their heartfelt care of Cheryl in her final days. Tributes may be made to Cedar Valley Hospice and the Michael J. Fox (Parkinson's) Foundation.

Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m. Saturday, August 19, 2023, at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Cedar Falls. A rosary will be at 3:30 p.m. on Friday, August 18th at Richardson Funeral Service with a visitation to follow until 7 p.m.

# Previous Events

## Rosary

AUG 18. 3:30 PM (CT)

Richardson Funeral Service  
615 Main Street  
Cedar Falls, IA 50613  
(319) 266-3525  
richardsonfuneralservice@gmail.com  
<http://richardson.funeralplan2.com>

## Visitation

AUG 18. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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615 Main Street  
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## Mass of Christian Burial

AUG 19. 10:30 AM (CT)

Saint Patrick Catholic Church  
705 Main St  
Cedar Falls, IA 50613

# Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album *Tribute Video*



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**Richardson Funeral Service** - November 16, 2023 at 12:36 PM

RK

“ We were so very sorry to hear of Chery's passing. We were out of town during this time. We have so many wonderful memories of living next to you in the apartments on Madison St. Our boys growing up together, our long talks on the steps and our boys playing together! Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.  
*Sincerely Roger and Julie Kittleson*

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**Roger Kittleson** - September 06, 2023 at 03:31 PM

JM

“ Larry, Jeff and I wish to express our condolences to you and your family. So very sorry for yall's loss. WE definately remember some very fun times with the both of you over at Barb and Dick's. We will keep everyone in our prayers while you journey through this very huge loss.

*Jeff and Caren Milligan*

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**Jeff and Caren Milligan** - August 21, 2023 at 07:14 PM

LW

“ Dear Larry & family,  
So sorry we couldn't make Cheryl's funeral.  
Will be praying & thinking of all of you!!

Larry & Alice White - August 19, 2023 at 11:51 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Cheryl Hetherton.

August 18, 2023 at 11:45 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Cheryl Hetherton.



August 18, 2023 at 11:45 AM

KB

“ Sorry for your loss, Larry. Thinking of you and your family.



Kelly and Carolyn Burdick - August 17, 2023 at 01:34 PM



“ *Sweet Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Cheryl Hetherton.*



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August 17, 2023 at 10:28 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Cheryl Hetherton.*



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August 17, 2023 at 10:15 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Cheryl Hetherton.*



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August 17, 2023 at 10:14 AM

FS

“ Dear Larry and Family,

*Sincerest sympathy to all of you. I have fond memories of Cheryl, especially the St. Patrick's Spring Garage Sale during my days as pastor.*

*Remembering Cheryl and all of you in my prayers.*

*Fr. Jim Secora*



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**Fr. Jim Secora** - August 17, 2023 at 09:43 AM

TF

“ The DeGroot Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Cheryl Hetherton.



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**The DeGroot Family** - August 17, 2023 at 08:48 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Cheryl Hetherton.



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August 16, 2023 at 08:38 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Cheryl Hetherton.

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August 16, 2023 at 07:50 PM



“ Love's Tapestry was purchased for the family of Cheryl Hetherton.



August 16, 2023 at 07:50 PM



“ Judy and Dave; Cassie and Trent planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cheryl Hetherton.

**Judy and Dave; Cassie and Trent** - August 16, 2023 at 07:13 PM



“ Judy and Dave; Cassie and Trent purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Cheryl Hetherton.



**Judy and Dave; Cassie and Trent** - August 16, 2023 at 07:13 PM



“ Our deepest sympathy to Cheryl's family and friends



**Columbus High School Alumni** - August 16, 2023 at 04:52 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Cheryl Hetherton.

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August 16, 2023 at 03:52 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Cheryl Hetherton.



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August 16, 2023 at 03:52 PM