



## Nancy Ann Sprayberry

March 30, 1930 - January 11, 2020

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Nancy was born in Bakersfield, California on March 30, 1930. She went home to be with her Lord and Savior, on January 11, 2020. She was a member of the Lutheran Church and a follower of Christ. She was a graduate of Bakersfield High School, where she met her future husband and love of her life, Gerald Sprayberry. They were married 49 years.

Nancy's legacy is the love and care she provided for her two daughters, Cynthia Abbate and Kristi De Fries. Cynthia and her husband Michael carried on this legacy of love to the following family members: Alina Abbate, Jenna and her husband Geoffrey Bien, and their two daughters Misha and Mila. Kristi and her husband Richard continue this legacy of love, nurturing the following family members: their daughter Lori and her husband Robert Crosby and their two children Reagan and R.J., their son Bob and Nicole and their son Miles. Kristi and Richard were also blessed with twin boys: James and his wife Katera, and Michael and his wife Carson. This legacy is strengthened through the love of Nancy's younger sister Linda McMahon and her son, Jeff and his wife Diana, along with their son, Ryan.

Nancy was an animal lover and cared for many dogs throughout her lifetime. In her early years, she was employed as an administrative assistant for Standard Oil Company as well as Fresno State University. She enjoyed spending time

with family and friends and volunteered for several charitable organizations.

Nancy's family would like to extend their sincere gratitude for the loving care she received from Sunrise of Fresno and the staff of Hinds Hospice. Not only did they care for the Matriarch of our family; their love and support continued to bless our entire family. Nancy was spirited, feisty and fun!

A Celebration of Nancy's life will be held on Friday February 7th at 10:00 am  
Location: Chapel of the Light Funeral Home, 1620 W. Belmont Ave Fresno  
Ca, 93728

A reception to follow at Chapel of the Light

Remembrance may be made to Hinds Hospice, Alzheimer's Association,  
Valley Animal Center or Animal Rescue of Fresno. (ARF)

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

FEB 7. 10:00 AM (PT)

Chapel of the Light  
1620 W. Belmont Avenue  
Fresno, CA 93728  
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<http://www.chapelofthelight.com>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Nancy Ann Sprayberry*

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September 15, 2022 at 09:34 PM



“ *To our friends and their families,*

*Losing your mother is never easy and we know your hearts are broken. But hold on to and be thankful for the beautiful, happy, and fun memories you have locked in your hearts forever. She will always be with you and her love for you will never fade. (Kristi, you look like your beautiful mom.)*

*May God carry you now.*

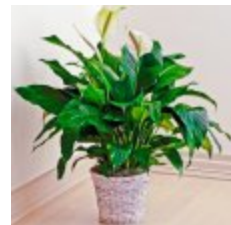
*With sympathy and love,  
Bev and Tom*

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**Beverly A Davey** - January 31, 2020 at 04:31 PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Nancy Ann Sprayberry .*



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January 29, 2020 at 01:51 PM

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“ Anna and Joel Catalano purchased the Healing Tears - Blue and White for the family of Nancy Ann Sprayberry .



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**Anna and Joel Catalano** - January 27, 2020 at 04:40 PM

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“ So very sorry to hear of Nancy's passing. She was the most elegant lady I hv ever knew. She is with Jerry now.  
My condolences to your families.  
Judy (Thomas) Davis

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**Judy Davis** - January 15, 2020 at 03:20 PM