Carol A. Funkhouser, age 57, passed away peacefully in her home on January 12, 2018 after courageously battling a lifelong illness.

arol was born in St. Paul Park, MN on October 8, 1960 to Fred & Shirley (Maher) Funkhouser. She graduated from Frazee High School in 1978 then continued on to earn a Registered Nursing Degree from North Dakota State College of Science in Wahpeton. Carol worked as an RN at the Frazee Care Center for over 25 years, then worked as a Home Health Aide for Harmony Home Care in Fergus Falls, MN until she had to leave in 2017 due to her health condition. Carol was an active member of United Methodist Church in Frazee and loved spending time with her family and friends. She enjoyed baking, reading, flower gardening, and her most recent pastime, online shopping.

Carol is survived by her sister-in-law, Linda Funkhouser, nieces Cami (Jerry) Basta, Kimberly VanAlstine, and great nieces and nephews. Carol is also survived by her "adopted" family of over 45 years; her best friend and sister Tammy (Randy) Golkowski, Shirley Fett, the woman she lovingly called mom, sisters, Vickie (Keith) Adams & Susan (Michael) Bolton, nieces and nephews, Tiffany (Troy) Haugen, Zachary (Tawni) Golkowski, Alex (Dani) Adams, Stacey (Ryan) Feldt, and eight great nieces and nephews.

Carol is preceded in death by her mother and father, Fred and Shirley Funkhouser, brother, Tom Funkhouser and dad, Andy Fett.





## For Those I Love and Those Who Love Me

When I am gone, release me let me go
I have so many things to see and do.
You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears,
Be happy that we had so many beautiful years.

I gave to you my love.
You can only guess how much you gave to me in happiness.
I thank you for the love you each have shown,
But now it's time I traveled on alone.

So grieve for me for a while if grieve you must, Then let your grief be comforted by trust. It's only for a while that we must part, So bless the memories within your heart.

I won't be far away for life goes on, So if you need me, call and I will come. Though you can't see or touch me, I'll be near, And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear,

All my love around you soft and clear...
And then when you must come this way alone,
I'll greet you with a smile, and say

"Welcome Home"

## Carol Ann Funkhouser

Date of Birth October 8, 1960 St. Paul Park Minnesota Date of Death January 12, 2018 Frazee Minnesota

Funeral Service
Furey Funeral Home
Frazee, Minnesota
Monday, January 15, 2018 from 5-7 p.m.

*Officiant*Pastor Ray Sherwood

Special Music
"Amazing Grace"
Recording of Brad Paisley

Casket Bearers
Tiffany Haugen
Zach Golkowski
Alex Adams
Stacey Feldt
Cami Basta
Kim VanAlstine

Interment
Spring 2018
Lakeside Cemetery
Frazee, Minnesota