



Monika Annemarie Kelln

August 24, 1947 - April 12, 2025

Monika Annemarie Kelln, 77, passed away peacefully on April 12, 2025. Born in a small town near Berlin, Germany, Monika was a radiant soul known for her resilience, passion, intellect, creativity, and contagious humor. She was preceded in death by her mother, Ursula Burg, and her sister, Rita Whitley.

A loving wife to Terry F Kelln, a devoted mother to 4 children; Mitchell Kelln (wife Johanna); Rachel Kelln; Jennifer Kelln; and Angela Kelln, and proud grandmother to Alexis, Andrew, Aubrey, Hayden, Michael Joel III, and Scarlett, as well as great-grandmother to Wyatt and Kinsley. As well as her beloved cousins, nieces, nephews and In-laws. She brought joy to everyone around her, always sharing a hug, a poem, or a fun fact

Monika was not just an amazing wife and loving mother, she established and ran Deko Texture, a successful family owned business in Sarasota. She was also acting Secretary and former Trustee of the Saramana Fraternal Order of Eagles #4424, where her leadership and fun-loving spirit was constantly shining. Later in life, she attended State College of Florida, earning her Associates Degree with Honors proving it's never too late to pursue your

dreams.

A celebration of her life will be held on Saturday, May 10, 2025, from 3:00 to 5:00 PM at the Fraternal Order of Eagles Club on Lockwood Ridge Road in Sarasota.

In lieu of flowers, Monika would have wanted you to do something kind for someone today.

Forever in our hearts, your love shines on.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAY 10. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Fraternal Order of Eagles Club Lodge #4424
University Parkway
Sarasota, FL

Tribute Wall

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“ *Vikki Snow lit a candle in memory of Monika Kelln*



Vikki Snow - May 01, 2025 at 11:17 AM

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My name is Carol Armstrong. I have been friends with Monika and Terry for over 20 years. My husband Jim Armstrong died on July 24, 2015. I know she is in heaven with him and they are both looking out for me. Monika was one of the most amazing ladies I've ever met in my life. I will never be able to listen to Patsy Cline's song Crazy without crying Monika sang. It's so very beautifully.

Carol Armstrong - May 17, 2025 at 04:31 PM

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Love you Monica

Carol Armstrong - May 17, 2025 at 04:31 PM

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“ *The best Mom in the world, Miss you.*



Mitchell - April 21, 2025 at 02:29 AM