



## Arnette Kaye Hunt

February 27, 1944 - April 23, 2013

Arnette Kaye Hunt "Kaye", 69, passed away Tuesday evening, April 23, 2013 after a long and courageous battle with cancer. Her inner strength and commitment to faith and family allowed her to remain positive in the face of adversity. She is now with our Lord and away from the sorrows of her disease. She was born February 27, 1944 in Portland Oregon to Helen Irene and Almer Arnold Silen. The family later moved to Vancouver Washington where she lived until 1975. Upon Graduation from high school, she attended Clark College and later Modeling School. She spent 7 years as office manager with Nelson, Walle & Dolle where she made many lifelong friends. She always said these were "great times". Kaye married her life partner Gordon Keith Hunt on August 23, 1968 and during the next 44 years of marriage was a continual inspiration to both husband and son Brandon. She was a loving nurturing mother and always found time to satisfy the needs of those less fortunate. Her extraordinary compassion for others became life lessons for all who knew her. At the family gatherings, "Auntie Kaye's" famous Brunda cookies and Special Chex Miix were always a hit. It's hard to imagine watching Football at Sandra's without those big bowls of mix. We think she'll be sharing the recipes with those in heaven. She is survived by her husband Gordon, son Brandon Brother Almer "Bud" Silen, sisters Marcia Silen and Sandra Bennett. We'll all miss you "mom" In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to The lymphoma and leukemia society. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, May 4th, 2013 At 12:30 pm at Evergreen

Memorial Gardens in Vancouver, Washington. [www.evergreenmemorialgardens.com](http://www.evergreenmemorialgardens.com)

# Tribute Wall



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**Evergreen Memorial Gardens** - July 03, 2025 at 09:54 PM

JS

“ We wish we could be there at the services today, but Steven woke up feeling lousy and just could not make the drive. So sorry but I know you would understand the limits our health can put on us. We loved and admired Kaye and will miss her greatly in the neighborhood. She was always so upbeat and positive and fun to talk with. I don't think she ever said a mean thing about anyone; I admired her loving nature. You were such a close couple and did everything together. We are proud to be numbered among your friends and hope to be able to assist you Gordon in the months ahead. With love, Steve and Jeanne

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**Jeanne and Steve** - May 04, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ There are no words to express how Aunt Kaye touched my heart. The precious days I was blessed to spend with her, she always had me thinking of great times with her and my grandparents. Kaye is a gorgeous person inside and out! She will be missed here on earth, but a day will not go by that we dont remember her kindness to all! Kaye is now able to be at peace with some of our beautiful family. WE LOVE YOU ALWAYS AND FOREVER KAYE!

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**Kathy Giroski** - May 04, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ *Kaye was such a wonderful lady and so very sweet to everyone. She is at home now in the Lord's loving arms with no more pain...only joy. She is missed by all.*

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**Bob and Carol Card** - May 03, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ *Thinking of you at this time. I am so sorry for your loss.*

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**Debbie Killinger** - May 03, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ *I worked with Gordon during his Washington Mutual days. I had the pleasure of meeting Kaye on numerous occasions. What a great couple, Gordon adored her. Kaye is with the lord now, her suffering is over. My wishes and prayers are for Gordon. I hope the sadness is short, the happy memories are forever and your trip to heaven is full of family, health and adventure. Best wishes!*

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**Rhonda Greenough** - May 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ *Kaye was a beautiful and gentle person. We feel honored to have known her these past four years and will miss having her as our neighbor.*

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**Don & Lynn Anzinger** - April 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ *We will always remember your kindness and grace. Thank you for the time you spent with us.*

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**The Lin Family** - April 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *KAYE WILL ALWAYS BE IN OUR HEARTS. SHE WAS A BEAUTIFUL LOVING PERSON WHO SHARED HER LOVE AND WARMTH WITH ALL AROUND HER. LOVE, JOYCE @ DON*

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**Joyce & Don Morton** - April 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TA

“ *A beautiful, strong yet gentle soul. Aunt Kaye, forever in our hearts and prayers.*

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**Tony and Jana Acoba** - April 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM