



## Mary Neely

August 18, 1959 - February 18, 2023

The open house celebrating the life of Mary Neely of Verndale will be held on Friday, February 24, at the Schuller Family Funeral Homes' Verndale Chapel. Family and friends may gather at the chapel on Friday from 1:00 until 3:00 p.m. A time of remembrance and sharing will begin at 2:30 p.m.

Mary, age 63, passed away on February 18, 2023, at the Lakewood Health System Care Center, in Staples, MN. Compassionate care was provided by Terry, the staff, and Lakewood Hospice.

Mary Beth Manuel was born to Arthur and Irene (Schaefer) Manuel on August 18, 1959, in Paynesville, MN, and she grew up in nearby Watkins. After graduation from high school in Eden Valley she continued her education and worked as a certified nursing assistant. In hours away from work Mary enjoyed being outdoors while gardening and observing nature. In October 2004, she was united in marriage with Terry Neely.

Preceding Mary in death was her father, Arthur. Forever remembering Mary will be Terry; her mother, Irene; daughters, Becky Berscheid of St. Joseph and Bonnie (Berscheid) Johnson of Sauk Rapids; along with granddaughters: Melony Schlangen, Alexandra Storkamp and Taylor Hinnenkamp.

Burial will be at a later date in St. Anthony Catholic Cemetery, Watkins, MN.



# Cemetery Details

## St. Anthony Catholic Cemetery

201 Central Avenue S.  
Watkins, MN 55389

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life Open House

FEB 24. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Verndale Chapel  
9 North Farwell Street  
Verndale, MN 56481  
(218) 445-5191

## Time Of Remembrance

FEB 24. 2:30 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

GA

“ Thoughts and prayers go out to Terry and family. Great customers and great people. GP Anderson, Thielen Motors



**G.P. ANDERSON** - April 07, 2023 at 02:09 PM

TB

“ My Prayer and thoughts go out to Mary's family. I had the pleasure to get to know and love Mary from work. Mary was hard working, loved and cared for her residents she took care of as though they were her own family. Mary always had a positive attitude. We shared a lot of fun times and laughter together she always had a smile on her face. Although when it was time to get to work Mary would say "Come on girl lets get this done" Mary is truly missed and has left an emptiness in my heart.



**Terri Boyer** - February 23, 2023 at 06:15 PM

BJ

Thank you for sharing your wonderful memories. Blessings to you and the rest of her work family!

**Bonnie J.** - February 28, 2023 at 10:33 PM

JR

Becky & Bonnie, I'm so sorry to hear of your mom's passing. For some reason we lost touch and I've always wondered what happened to her. I'm sorry to find this out after all this time I still wish we would have stayed in contact. My love to you both.

**Joyce Ruhland** - March 08, 2023 at 11:03 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Mary Neely.*



February 22, 2023 at 05:20 PM



“ *My Heart goes out to the family at this time of Great Loss Mary was an amazing coworker she had such a Precious heart for people gonna miss her dearly* ❤️



**Polly Anderson** - February 21, 2023 at 05:53 PM



*Thank you* ❤️

**Bonnie Johnson** - February 23, 2023 at 07:18 AM



“ *Joan Brauch sent a virtual gift in memory of Mary Neely*



**Joan Brauch** - February 20, 2023 at 11:15 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Neely.*



February 20, 2023 at 04:59 PM



“ *Todd Olson lit a candle in memory of Mary Neely*



**Todd Olson** - February 20, 2023 at 04:26 PM



“ *Robert & Jeanie, Kristen & Adam, Evan & Ellie, Jacob, Illana, Aivlee, Vince & Silvie purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Mary Neely.*



**Robert & Jeanie, Kristen & Adam, Evan & Ellie, Jacob, Illana, Aivlee, Vince & Silvie** - February 20, 2023 at 03:42 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mary Neely.*



February 20, 2023 at 10:16 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Mary Neely.*



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February 20, 2023 at 10:14 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Neely.*



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February 20, 2023 at 10:05 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary Neely.*



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February 20, 2023 at 09:58 AM