



## Jill M. Foist Swart

October 26, 2014

Jill M Foist Swart, passed away on 10/26/14, one day before her 54th Birthday, after a heroic fight with cancer at home, in the care of Homestead Hospice. She is survived by her Husband of 27 years, Matthew J. Swart, daughters Samantha Rachel Foist Swart and Ashely Marita Foist Swart, Sisters: Sheryl Foist and Sue (Dan) Shipman, Brothers-in-law: Dirk F (Kathleen) Swart, and Garret M (Tammy); Nieces: Ann (Kevin) Burnett, Stephanie Swart and Alexandra Tillotson; Nephews: William (Rebecca) Sinkey, Michael Shipman, Aaron Swart, Andrew Swart, Jonathan Swart; Great Nieces: Ansley Swart and Ella Burnett; numerous cousins, extended family and close friends. She is predeceased by her parents Charles W. and Janet (Warner) Foist and her In-laws Garret and Patricia Swart (Lee) and her Nephew Adam Swart. Native of Sylvania, OH, Mrs. Swart attended Northview High School, and the University of Toledo (nursing), and graduating from Mercy College of Detroit with her Bachelor of Science in Nursing. She was a member of Alpha Omicron Pi Sorority and a Little Sister of Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity. She worked at St. Vincent's Hospital in Toledo, OH, Mt. Sinai Hospital in Cleveland, OH, Georgia Baptist Hospital in Atlanta, GA and most recently in the Occupational Health Department at Piedmont Hospital in Atlanta, GA.

Jill was a supportive, selfless, loving and caring soul. She was a positive role model to anyone she came into contact with, especially her two daughters. Jill was a consummate health care provider who was passionate about helping and educating her patients, and an avid environmentalist. She was very fond of outdoor activities including gardening, hiking, water and snow skiing and she often brought home a stray dog/cat or two.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the March of Dimes, The Gwinnett County Animal Shelter, or to your favorite charity.

No viewing is planned; however, there will be a "Celebration of Life" Ceremony officiated by her dear friend Rebecca Alford on Saturday, November 1, 2014 at Richland Clubhouse, 2074 Quinton Place, Suwanee, GA 30024. Family will receive visitors beginning at 12:00 noon and the ceremony will begin at 1:00 pm.



# Tribute Wall



“ *Jill M. Foist Swart*

November 08, 2022 at 07:37 PM



“ *I'm deeply saddened to learn of the death of Jill Foist Swart. We shared many happy times together during the mid-1990's when our children went to Westside Montessori in Toledo, Ohio. Sam and my son were classmates, but Ashley and my daughter Lauren spent a lot of time together. They were classmates, Brownies and Girl Scouts, soccer players, probably more? They had many play dates and sleepovers. Of course, Jill being Jill, she was very involved at the school because her children were. I very much enjoyed Jill's positive outlook on life, her sense of humor, her easy going nature, her hard work ethic, her curious nature, and her ready laugh. I admired her devotion to her Matt, the girls, and her Sylvania family. Life being what it was, we lost touch a few years after the family moved south, but Jill is unforgettable. My sympathies to the family.*

Elaine Sheehan - October 31, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Matt*

*I am so sorry for your loss. I did not know Jill very well; but always heard great things about her.*

Susan Strawn - October 30, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *I was so sorry to hear of Jill's passing at such a young age! We were waitresses at Frisch's Big Bit in Sylvania, Oh back in the 70's. We had so much fun working together! Also our moms were good friends since they were librarians at Sylvania High School. May Jill rest in peace! Her family is in my thoughts and prayers! I am so sorry for your loss!*

Mary Reisinger - October 29, 2014 at 12:00 AM