



Mary Decker Karotkin

September 17, 1958 - March 10, 2023

Mary Decker Karotkin passed away on March 10th, 2023 after a courageous battle with lung cancer. She was 64 years old.

Mary was born to Gerald and Ellen Decker on September 17th, 1958 in Hof, Germany. Being an 'Air Force Brat,' as she would so lovingly put it, Mary traveled with her parents all around the world before settling down in Austin and graduating from Del Valle High School in 1976.

Mary was a beloved member of the Austin community. She was a devoted state employee for Crime Victims Services for the Texas Attorney Generals office for over 30 years. She was actively involved with her church and surrounding organizations even after retirement, and, more recently, she enjoyed be a first time 'Memaw' to her pride and joy, her grandson Hudson. Mary was immensely proud of her family and leaves behind wonderful, cherished memories that will live on forever. She was loved by so many and her kindness, compassion, humility, and grace will never be forgotten.

Mary is survived by her parents Gerald and Ellen Decker, husband Brian Karotkin, two children Wesley and Jennifer Karotkin, daughter-in-law Allison, and precious grandson Hudson.

A memorial service to honor and celebrate Mary's life will be held at Christ

Lutheran Church - Austin on Friday, April 14 at 10:30am. In lieu of flowers, the family kindly request that donations be made to Christ Lutheran Church, 300 Monroe Austin Texas, or the charity of your choice.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

APR **14**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Christ Lutheran Church
300 E Monroe St
Austin, TX 78704
<https://www.christaustin.org/>