



Patricia Jean Cohen

October 30, 1956 - August 12, 2022

Patricia (Patty) Jean Cohen passed in Austin, TX on Friday, August 12, 2022 at the age of 65 surrounded by family and friends. Beloved wife of Michael, mother of Ethan and Hannah, mother-in-law of Kristen, sister of Mary, and aunt to many nieces and nephews.

Patty was born and raised in Louisville, KY on October 30, 1956 to Frances and Earl Arehart. She met her husband Michael while studying at the University of Louisville in KY and then went on to pharmacy school at St. Johns University in NY. The two married in 1988 and later moved to Austin, Texas to raise their two wonderful children. Patty loved her family and prioritized their care and happiness above all else.

As a pharmacist, Patty was devoted to the community. In return, she was loved and adored by her patients. Caring for her patients was her passion. Patty was a faithful member of the Catholic Church. In her free time, she enjoyed sewing, crafting, quilting, watching the Hallmark channel on TV, and Christmas festivities.

Donations welcome at either Regarding Cancer, where Patty was an active volunteer in the organization to help cancer patients through their experiences, or Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center.

Regarding Cancer

<https://www.regardingcancer.org/>

Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center

<https://www.mskcc.org/>

A live stream of her funeral service will appear on the Austin Natural Funerals Facebook page, <https://www.facebook.com/AustinNaturalFunerals>, shortly before 10 am on Thursday, August 18th. A Facebook account is not required in order to watch. If a pop-up window appears asking you to log in click "not now" and the live stream will be available for you to watch. If the "not now" button does not appear, scroll down on the page and it will come up for you to select.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 17. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Austin Natural Funerals
3742 Far West Blvd #104
(Next to Biderman's Deli)
Austin, TX 78731
(512) 851-1236
office@austinnaturalfunerals.com
<https://www.austinnaturalfunerals.com/>

Graveside Service

AUG 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Oakwood Cemetery
1601 Navasota St.
Austin, TX 78702

Tribute Wall



“ *Patricia Jean Cohen*

October 14, 2022 at 12:02 PM



“ *Patty was so dear. She was one of the best pharmacists I ever had the privilege to work with. And one of the kindest, most compassionate souls I have known. Rest in peace, sweet friend. Go with God.*



Deborah Altsman - August 17, 2022 at 09:45 AM



“ *I have known Patty since high school. She has always been a woman of grace and kindness, looking out for others. She had a great sense of humor and love of life and for others. Her death is much too soon. Donna Lecher*

Donna Lecher - August 16, 2022 at 09:16 PM

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“ Enough could never be said to portray the kindness Ms. Patty showed the world, regardless of the suffering she was going through. During what I consider now to be two of the most powerful and personally challenging years of my life, Patty was a rock in my otherwise crumbling universe. She knew what i needed before i did, she instinctively knew how to approach difficult conversations with me, and she knew how to kick me in the rear when i needed it. She gave so much of herself to help other people and during times of a global pandemic, it was a needed sight to see. I am a firm believer that the universe will send you what you need when you need it, and I will forever be thankful to have been sent an angel, Ms. Patty Jean Cohen to guide me to where i needed to go. She embraced my difficult to understand way of thinking, my son, even buying him gifts at Christmas, and my heart when I needed it the most. She was wickedly funny, generously benevolent, and when it mattered to you- she was there. Her laugh will always be one i remember: genuine and contagious. I'll miss dearly making her laugh. Such a beautiful, sweet soul she is. I am a better Mother, pharmacy technician, woman and person because of how she carried herself in this world. You were and always will be dearly loved by so many, Ms. Patty, and Thank you for the blessing you were to my life.

Sharon - August 16, 2022 at 02:53 AM

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“ I worked with Patty at Walgreens for a little over a year. She was an amazing person. She was very kind and knowledgeable. Everyone loved her. All the patients and the staff loved her. Although I was the manager by title, Patty was truly the boss. At times I would wonder, “in this situation, what would Patty do?..” just so I can get the best outcome and it still would not be the best outcome because Patty had a easier and better idea. I will truly miss her. She always brightened up my day. On my rough days, I’d see her walk in the door and feel at peace. The patients would drive far and near just for Patty. She was an amazing person. A gem and I will never forget the times we shared together.

Bisi A.

Bisi A. - August 15, 2022 at 05:27 PM

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“ I met Patty at the infusion center of Texas Oncology Cedar Park more than three years ago. We made an instant bond, sharing our life experiences , discussion about our children etc. Patty was a gentle lady, soft spoken and caring. We used to exchange brief notes between us especially during COVID times. I want to express my heartfelt condolences to her loving husband Michael, her children Ethan Hannah and all extended families. May God almighty provides comfort and peace to her loving family.

Susan Mathew

Susan Mathew - August 15, 2022 at 01:32 PM

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“ *Patty and I worked together at Walgreens. She was one of the sweetest people I have gotten to know. Not only did she teach me so much as a pharmacist, but she also helped me become a better mother to my son. She showed me the importance of keeping family as my most important priority. She was more a friend to me than just a colleague at work. She also showed me that our community was the most important for us as retail pharmacists. I learnt That the personal connection to our patients made us better pharmacists. I will never forget that about her. I have lost a dear friend, but I will always cherish those beautiful moments and memories I shared with her.*

Kinnary Patel

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