



Pam Tate

June 1, 1956 - May 12, 2022

Pamela "Pam" J. (Brickert) Tate, 65, of Whiteland, passed peacefully from this life on Thursday, May 12, 2022. She was born in Indianapolis on June 1, 1956, to the late Charles Leroy and Betty Lou (Rickert) Brickert.

Raised in the rural small-town community of Belleville, Pam attended Cascade High School. Introduced to a handsome young man named John by his sister, he wooed her in with his boyish charm and fun-loving outlook on life. The pair were joyously united in marriage on June 29, 1974, settling in Plainfield to begin their 47-year love affair.

Employed with Westminster Village in the housekeeping department for several years, Pam's true calling was being a homemaker. With the arrival of her miracle baby, Krista, the dynamic duo became the happy family they always longed to be. One to never pass up a bargain, she enjoyed spending her Friday's shopping with her mom, wandering through neighborhoods stopping at yard sales, along with visiting Goodwill stores.

With an adventuresome spirit, Pam happily traded her car for a motorcycle so she and John could run the roads with the wind in their hair. The family regularly took trips to Ohio and Kentucky landing in London, KY for the annual Chicken Festival where they stayed in the local Baymont Hotel to get their party on. She frequently attended her adored grandchildren's school events,

when she wasn't spending time with her two best friends, Brenda, and Mary.

The sweetest kindest soul you will ever meet, Pam was a strong and loving matriarch. During her time on earth, she managed to maintain a free-spirited outlook on life, spoiling her daughter and grandkids, even with her failing health in the last few years. She was a gentle and kind soul and will be forever missed.

Along with her parents, she was preceded in death by her brother Cyrus Brickert.

She leaves behind her husband John L. Tate of Whiteland; cherished daughter, Krista Tate of Whiteland; siblings, Barbara Warner of Indianapolis, Charles Brickert (Sue) of Center Grove, Clayton Brickert (Tina) of Gosport, Chris Brickert of Eminence' and Sarah Brickert (David) of Roachdale; grandchildren, Jackson and Arya Franklin; along with her best friends, Brenda Gatliff of Beech Grove, and Mary Curry Rowlett of Indianapolis.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to Light Memorial & Funeral Chapel in Monrovia. Friends and family are invited to gather for visitation on Thursday, May 19, from 11am to 1pm., with a Celebration of Life Service beginning promptly at 1pm. Pastor Dennis Ouellette will officiate services and burial will follow in Clayton Cemetery. To share a favorite story, send an online condolence to the family, or light a candle in Pam's memory, search @MonroviaFuneralHome on social media or visit her tribute page at www.lightmemorial.com.

Cemetery Details

Clayton Cemetery

90 W. County Rd. 600 S
Clayton, IN 46118

Previous Events

Friends & Family Gathering

MAY 19. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Light Memorial & Funeral Chapel
585 East Main Street
Monrovia, IN 46157
(317) 996-2101
<https://www.lightmemorial.com>

Celebration of Life Service

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Tribute Wall



“ 8 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Light Memorial & Funeral Chapel - May 19, 2022 at 09:07 AM



“ 95 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Light Memorial & Funeral Chapel - May 18, 2022 at 05:04 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Pam Tate.*



May 18, 2022 at 04:01 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Pam Tate.*



May 18, 2022 at 09:22 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Pam Tate.*



May 17, 2022 at 09:36 PM



“ *So many wonderful memories over the years of such fun happy times ! I will forever be a better person for knowing you Pam ! So many great trips and laughter and just hanging out together. I will miss you so much and will cherish the great times spent together ! Until we meet again sweet Pam over in glory land ❤️*

brenda gatluff - May 17, 2022 at 05:09 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Pam Tate.*



May 17, 2022 at 04:59 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Pam Tate.*



May 17, 2022 at 03:18 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Pam Tate.*



May 17, 2022 at 02:38 PM



“ *Pam was one of the kindest, caring and beautiful people I have ever known. She never complained, even when we froze her on the trips to the chicken fest. Not once. Always up for anything. Brenda and I even grabbed her to join us to see the 2017 solar eclipse. Pam was a Blessing to all she met. I will miss her dearly.*

Mary - May 16, 2022 at 01:50 PM

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“ *Mary lit a candle in memory of Pam Tate*



Mary - May 15, 2022 at 12:49 PM



“ *"Sending You an Angel" Statue to Express Sympathy for Funeral Or Memorial was purchased for the family of Pam Tate.*



May 14, 2022 at 02:46 PM