



Cathy Jean Heinsohn

May 18, 1960 - May 16, 2026

Cathy Jean Heinsohn of Cordova, Maryland, passed away peacefully on Saturday, May 16, 2026, at Talbot Hospice in Easton, Maryland, with her family by her side. She was 65.

Born on May 18, 1960, in Easton, Maryland, Cathy was the daughter of the late Joseph Eugene Heim and Catherine Delores Pierson. She spent her childhood on Kent Island, where she enjoyed time on the waters of the Chesapeake Bay and treasured family vacations at the beach. Cathy was active in the youth choir at Kent Island United Methodist Church and played both trumpet and guitar. Creative from an early age, she loved poetry and writing and even composed songs as a teenager.

After graduating from Queen Anne's County High School in 1978, Cathy attended the University of Maryland and the MacQueen Gibbs Willis School of Nursing, becoming a

Registered Nurse. She later continued her education at Wesley College in Dover, Delaware, earning her Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree. Caring for others was not simply Cathy's profession—it was at the center of who she was. Throughout her nursing career, she compassionately served her community in a variety of roles, including positions at Easton Memorial Hospital and Express Care, Upper Shore Community Health Center in Chestertown, Eastern Shore Hospital Center in Cambridge, and as a Case Manager for CareFirst in Easton.

Cathy married her husband, Lee Heinsohn, in 1983. A devoted wife, mother, and grandmother, her greatest joy was her family. She especially loved hosting holiday gatherings, attending annual Pierson family reunions, and creating traditions and memories that brought loved ones together. Cathy had a gift for nurturing others and found immense happiness in caring for her grandchildren, whose lives were forever shaped by her steady presence and warmth. Her legacy lives on through the steadfast love, generosity, and devotion she gave so freely to her family.

She enjoyed gardening, genealogy, music, and spending time outdoors. Whether through family stories, flowers in the garden, or time spent with those she loved, she

found beauty in connection and care. Faith also remained an enduring and important part of Cathy's life. As a child, she attended church each Sunday, where her father would drop her off and pick her up afterward. Later, as a longtime member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Cathy made sure her own children were raised in the church, bringing them regularly and grounding family life in love, compassion, and service to others.

In addition to her husband, Lee, Cathy is survived by her daughter, Mindy Heinsohn (Erwin Estuardo Linde Dunbar); her sons, Cory Heinsohn (Erin) and Evan Heinsohn (Danielle); her grandchildren, Gavin Heinsohn, Emma Heinsohn, Beau Heinsohn, and Mia Heinsohn; her brothers, Joseph Heim Jr. and Bobby Heim; and her sister, Teresa Smith. In addition to her parents, Cathy was preceded in death by her son, Dylan Heinsohn.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Paul's Lutheran Church, P.O. Box 368, Cordova, Maryland 21625.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Memorial Park

11365 Ocean Gateway
Easton, MD 21601

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 26. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

St Paul's Evangelical Lutheran
12095 Blades Rd
Cordova, MD 21625
(410) 364-5147

Visitation

MAY 27. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

St Paul's Evangelical Lutheran
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Cordova, MD 21625
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Funeral Service

MAY 27. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - May 27 at 08:08 AM

AE

“ *I met Cathy in 1979 when we began nursing school. She quickly became a very dear friend. I still remember when she met Lee. May God Bless her family with comfort and peace.*
Andi



Andrea and Timmy Edwards - May 26 at 12:52 PM

LD

“ *Laura Diem lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Laura Diem - May 26 at 11:48 AM

TK

“ Teresa and Ken purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Cathy Jean Heinsohn.



Teresa and Ken - May 25 at 04:54 PM

GL

“ Glen and Nina Lewis purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Cathy Jean Heinsohn.



Glen and Nina Lewis - May 25 at 02:07 PM

BC

“ I am so blessed to have known Cathy as a dear friend and co-worker. I will forever cherish the many happy memories that we shared.



Becky Callahan - May 25 at 01:38 PM

PT

“ Pamela Thompson purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Cathy Jean Heinsohn.



Pamela Thompson - May 25 at 11:57 AM

KR

“ *Katie & Ryan purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Cathy Jean Heinsohn.*



Katie & Ryan - May 25 at 11:19 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Cathy Jean Heinsohn.*



May 24 at 10:00 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Cathy Jean Heinsohn.*

May 24 at 10:00 PM

PW

“ *Patti Willis lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Patti Willis - May 24 at 11:06 AM

JM

“ Joy Murray lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Joy Murray - May 23 at 06:58 PM

GD

“ Gail & Dale Dadds lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Gail & Dale Dadds - May 23 at 05:45 PM

KJ

“ Kathleen J. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cathy Jean Heinsohn.

Kathleen J. - May 22 at 06:46 PM

GP

“ Gene And Lynda Palmatary sent a virtual gift in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Gene and Lynda Palmatary - May 22 at 06:42 PM

TG

“ *Cathy Heinsohn, RN, we recognize you and pay homage to your dedication to the profession of nursing. We extend our deepest sympathies to your family, friends and colleagues.*

Respectfully,

The Maryland Nurse Honor Guard



The Maryland Nurse Honor Guard - May 22 at 03:21 PM

SS

“ *Prayers, thoughts with Heim family. Keep the faith as she is in loving arms.*



Steve and Winky Sewell - May 22 at 11:31 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Cathy Jean Heinsohn.*



May 22 at 06:19 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Cathy Jean Heinsohn.*

May 22 at 06:19 AM

WS

“ Thoughts and prayers with Lee and the children and all the rest of the family. Walt and Judy Schwaninger



Walt&Judy Schwaninger - May 21 at 08:41 PM

CD

“ Chris And Dee lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Chris and Dee - May 21 at 06:49 PM

EF

“ Elena, Matthew and Filya purchased the Beautiful I Heart Bouquet for the family of Cathy Jean Heinsohn.



Elena, Matthew and Filya - May 21 at 06:48 PM

MS

“ Thinking of your family
Mark and Vicki Sump



Mark & Vicki Sump - May 21 at 06:35 PM

DM

“ Donna & Scott Milby lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Donna & Scott Milby - May 21 at 04:38 PM

AS

“ Anne Shannahan lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Anne Shannahan - May 21 at 03:56 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Cathy Jean Heinsohn.



May 21 at 03:07 PM



“ Heavenly and Harmony was purchased for the family of Cathy Jean Heinsohn.



May 21 at 10:28 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Cathy Jean Heinsohn.

May 21 at 10:28 AM



“ Jon Bents & Roberto Vela purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Cathy Jean Heinsohn.



Jon Bents & Roberto Vela - May 20 at 07:16 PM



“ Jon Bents & Roberto Vela planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cathy Jean Heinsohn.

Jon Bents & Roberto Vela - May 20 at 07:16 PM



“ Cindy Moore lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Cindy Moore - May 20 at 03:23 PM

KE

“ *Kathy Elzey lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Kathy Elzey - May 20 at 01:36 PM

VL

“ *Vicki Lane lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Vicki Lane - May 20 at 12:56 PM

NH

“ *I was fortunate to know and work with Cathy at Shore Health. A great person and nurse. Always so kind and caring. I hope all the beautiful memories comfort the family during this sad time.*

Nancy Henry - May 20 at 12:00 PM

GB

“ *Our thoughts and prayers 🙏🙏 to all of the family!*

George & Cathy Ball



George Ball - May 20 at 09:27 AM



“ *Kathy Cornelius lit a candle in memory of
Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Kathy Cornelius - May 20 at 07:32 AM

DB

“ *Sharing in your grief.
Will miss her beautiful smile
May peace comfort all of you.*



Diane Blazejak - May 20 at 01:59 AM

LA

“ *Linda & Terry Adams lit a candle in memory of
Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Linda & Terry Adams - May 19 at 09:35 PM

ST

“ *Sandy & Rose Thompson lit a candle in
memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Sandy & Rose Thompson - May 19 at 07:20 PM

SR

We will miss Kathy very much, she was a sweet and kind person and loved her family more than anything. Our thoughts of comfort are with you in this tough time. She will sure be missed by all of us!

Sandy / Rose - May 19 at 07:31 PM

BT

“ *Betsy Dulin Truitt lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Betsy Dulin Truitt - May 19 at 07:08 PM

JR

“ *Jenny Rhodes lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Jenny Rhodes - May 19 at 06:35 PM

JM

“ *Jeff And Cindy Moore lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Jeff and Cindy Moore - May 19 at 04:27 PM

PF

“ I am keeping each of Cathy's loved ones in my thoughts and prayers as they navigate this difficult time — and I am wishing them hope and healing when they are ready.

Penny Finkner - May 19 at 04:12 PM



“ Georgianna LeCompte lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Georgianna LeCompte - May 19 at 04:00 PM

LC

“ Lisa Cook lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Lisa Cook - May 19 at 03:30 PM

DS

“ I'm so sorry to see this.



Dolly Starkey - May 19 at 03:17 PM

CT

“ We are so sorry to hear about Cathy. I so enjoyed chatting with her at the Pierson's picnic. Please know we are keeping you all in our prayers for peace and strength in the days ahead.



Colleen & Buddy Thomas - May 19 at 02:14 PM

PF

“ Pam Fallon lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Pam Fallon - May 19 at 11:50 AM

KL

“ So very sorry to hear about Cathy. She was a sweet person who will be missed by many.

Kay and Fred Lister



Kay Lister - May 19 at 11:12 AM

GP

“ Gene And Lynda Palmatary sent a virtual gift in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Gene and Lynda Palmatary - May 19 at 10:51 AM

KR

“ Lee, Evan, Cory and Mindy and family - Cathy will forever be remembered as my cousin that researched and knew all of the Pierson family history. I will forever remember our family events growing up, which continued into our adult and grandparenting age, enjoying the grandbabies. Cathy was a kind heart and family driven wonderful person all around. I am praying for God to provide your broken hearts comfort during this difficult time. We are family forever, love you all. Scott and Kim Ruth

Kim Ruth - May 19 at 10:29 AM

DC

“ Dina Lynn Crouch lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Dina Lynn Crouch - May 19 at 10:17 AM

PM

“ Prayers to the family during this difficult time Pam Coughenour Morgan and family



Pamela Morgan - May 19 at 07:50 AM

ML

“ *Martha Larrimore lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Martha Larrimore - May 19 at 07:39 AM

KP

“ *Keith & Kim Parkerson lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Keith & Kim Parkerson - May 19 at 07:24 AM

DP

“ *Doug Pierson lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Doug Pierson - May 19 at 07:16 AM

BD

“ *Betsy Dyott lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Betsy Dyott - May 19 at 06:34 AM

PM

“ Phil & Lois MacDonald lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Phil & Lois MacDonald - May 19 at 05:43 AM

KH

“ Kim Honeycutt lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Kim Honeycutt - May 18 at 10:57 PM

MW

“ Mary Wyatt lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Mary Wyatt - May 18 at 09:59 PM

MW

Worked with Cathy when she was fresh out of nursing school. She was beautiful inside and out. Always smiling and making others laugh. Was lucky to have known her.

Mary Wyatt - May 20 at 12:15 PM

CK

“ Claire Kelley lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Claire Kelley - May 18 at 07:26 PM

AB

“ Alex And Nancy Borga lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Alex and Nancy Borga - May 18 at 07:11 PM

JP

“ Jim&Betsy Pierson lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn



Jim&Betsy Pierson - May 18 at 05:18 PM

MR

“ Great memories with Cathy throughout my life. She will be missed by so many! Sending comfort to Lee and the family.



Marilou&Mike Russ - May 18 at 02:54 PM

DS

“ *Donna Shortall lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Donna Shortall - May 18 at 02:42 PM



“ *Frank N Joan Gannon lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Frank N Joan Gannon - May 18 at 02:22 PM

MM

“ *I was blessed with Cathys friendship and many, many sweet memories. Dana and I offer our deepest sympathy and love to everyone*

Mary Jane Meintzer - May 18 at 01:29 PM

BA

“ *Beverly Altvater lit a candle in memory of Cathy Jean Heinsohn*



Beverly Altvater - May 18 at 01:28 PM

LD

“ So many memories with Cathy. Lots of good time. Love you all

Lisa Davis - May 18 at 12:44 PM

JF

“ Deepest Sympathy and Love, Jimmy and
Karen Callahan and Family



Jimmy & Karen Callahan & Family - May 18 at 12:36 PM