



## Donna Koss

September 24, 1953 - May 19, 2014

Donna Myre Koss died on May 19, 2014, at Anne Arundel Medical Center in Annapolis, MD. She was 60.

Mrs. Koss was born on September 24, 1953, in Paducah, KY, to the late Robert Myre, Jr., and Luetta Jones. She grew up in two different communities in Western Kentucky, namely Paducah, and Smithland (her parents moved two times). She attended Livingston County High School in Smithland, KY, up to the 12th grade then she and her parents moved to Paducah, Kentucky. She finished high school graduating from Tilghman High School in 1970. Donna attended Draughn's Business College in Paducah for two years, and worked at Jackson Purchase Rural Electric Co-op. She met Theodore (Ted) Koss in December 1972, and they were married May 4th 1973. She became a home maker and Mother for the rest of the marriage.

Donna is survived by her husband of 41 years, Theodore Koss; her son, Weston Koss; her daughter, Sabrina Taylor, and six grandchildren, Kylee Koss, Ava Koss, Gracie Koss, Colton Koss, Madison Taylor, and Emily Taylor, as well as Daughter-In-Law, Tracy Koss, and Son-In-law, Danny Taylor.

She loved to cook, talk, and to help everyone any way she could, especially her family. She always contributed money to the television ministries of CBN, and TBN. Visitations will be held on May 27, 2014, ,from 2-4pm and 6-8pm at

Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. in Chester, MD. Service will be on May 28, 2014, at 1 pm, at the funeral home with interment following at Stevensville Cemetery.

In Lieu of flowers donations may be made to AAMC – Breast Center, 2001 Medical Parkway, Annapolis, MD 21401 or Hospice of the Chesapeake, Philanthropy Department, 90 Ritchie Highway, Pasadena, MD 21122.

# Cemetery Details

## Stevensville Cemetery

808 Main Street  
Stevensville, MD

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 27. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Chester Location / Kent Island  
106 Shamrock Road  
Chester, MD 21619  
(410) 643-2226  
info@fhfuneralhome.com

## Visitation

MAY 27. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Chester Location / Kent Island  
106 Shamrock Road  
Chester, MD 21619  
(410) 643-2226  
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## Service

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**MAY 28.** 1:00 PM (ET)

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106 Shamrock Road  
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# Tribute Wall



“ Donna Koss

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ Donna Koss

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ Donna Koss

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Our family tree shares the loss of a sisterly limb,  
Broken off from an enduring fraternal branch.  
Her cancerous fight proved she was not a wimp.  
She weathered storms, her faith was staunch.  
She cultivated a blue and a pink patronym;  
Hence, her story blooms as progeny advance.  
Sister-in-law, Bren*



Brenda Curtis - May 28, 2014 at 09:53 AM

EC

“ Unfortunately, we have never meant but you have played a huge part in our lives. Your son Wes & his wife Tracy are two of our dearest friends and we are blessed to know them. They are wonderful people, amazing parents and only an angel like you could have influenced those qualities. We pray for peace in your families hearts and the knowledge that you have started a journey in a much better place. They will see you again someday, where happily ever after does exist. Lots of love, Lewis, Erin, Camron, Aidan & McKenna Collier ??

Erin Collier - May 27, 2014 at 12:03 PM

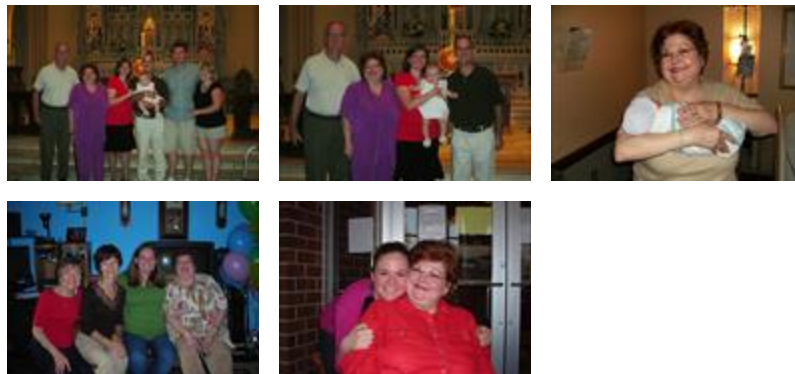
TR

“ You were a wonderful lady . I will miss you very much . Thank you for giving me one of the best gifts ever, my husband , father to our children , your son. I am blessed to have had you in my life and even more blessed to know you are watching over us all. I love you mom #2 !!!

tracy - May 25, 2014 at 12:10 PM

PB

“ 7 files added to the album New Album Name



Pat Beasley - May 24, 2014 at 03:27 PM

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*Thank you so much Pat for posting these pictures. I love you.*

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**Sabrina Taylor** - May 24, 2014 at 08:37 PM

WM

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**William Myre** - May 21, 2014 at 06:57 PM

WM

“ Donna was my first cousin on the RL Myre family side. In the late 1950s and early 1960s, our families would all gather at the home of our grandparents, RL and Verda Myre, on Jefferson Street in Paducah, Kentucky for the family XMAS reunion – usually on XMAS eve. We were all young children, and would chase around the creaky wood-floored back rooms of the old house while the adults talked important stuff in the living room.

Donna would be there, along with my sister Libby, and other cousins Jane, Tad, and Pam – a group in later years joined by younger siblings. We were all giddy with excitement to be out of dreaded school for a couple of weeks with the prospect of new toys and other desirable items luxuriously appearing in the immediate future.

Donna was the oldest of the cousins next to Jane and Pam. Pam was kind of shy, but Jane and Donna were not so shy. I can remember both Jane and Donna getting together in the manner of senior NCOs and “organizing” some of our games and activities. These memories always bring a smile to my face.

At that time, Donna’s mother Louetta was still living, and would be at the reunion also. Sadly, both Louetta and now Donna passed on prematurely – Louetta at 53 and Donna at 61. I have fond memories of those early years, and of Donna and Louetta.

In the early 1960s, Donna’s father moved his family to Smithland, Kentucky for a job – so I and the rest of the cousins rarely saw Donna after that as we grew up in Paducah. It is sad this element of fate prevented us from knowing her better. I will miss her.

I extend my heartfelt condolences to Ted, her children, and grandchildren on behalf of myself as well as her other Myre side cousins.

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William Myre - May 21, 2014 at 04:16 PM

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*William Myre, thank you so very much for sharing these memories of my mother. It really means a lot. I've heard so much about moms family, but never met any of you. Hearing your memories helps me feel closer to you all, and mom. Thank you so much.*

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**Sabrina Taylor** - May 24, 2014 at 08:41 PM

WM

*You're welcome, Sabrina.*

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**William Myre** - June 05, 2014 at 01:18 AM

ST

*“ She was the best mom a daughter could ask for, and my best friend. I will miss you mom. I love you.*

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**Sabrina Taylor** - May 20, 2014 at 03:36 PM