



Nannette Plett-Kruppa

April 30, 1955 - August 18, 2022

Nannette Zoe Plett-Kruppa, 67, died unexpectedly on August 18, 2022 with her dear husband Carl J. Kruppa and their beloved dog Ebony.

Nan was born April 30, 1955 in Seattle, Washington to Don and Esther Farnstrom as the eldest daughter of 5 children.

Nan left home after high school to attend Pepperdine College in Malibu, California. She then came to Turlock, CA where her grandmother lived to attend Stanislaus State College. Her education was interrupted by a man named Jerry Plett. They were married on December 26, 1976 and settled in Turlock. Jerry went home to be with Jesus on December 14, 2004 leaving Nan a widow with 4 young adult children. Not long before Jerry's death, Nan had returned to school and become a registered nurse. She would work in that profession until her retirement.

While at work, she met a patient's cousin. A man named Carl J. Kruppa who had also been widowed. They married March 10, 2013 and lived in Winton, California adventuring together through life and enjoying their combined family of 8 children and 16 grandchildren.

Nan loved Jesus. Always had as long as she could remember. But more and more as she experienced life. She was a Christian in fact and deed. She

considered her work as a nurse ministry and faced each day and every patient with that mindset. She also happened to have a lot of common sense in addition to wisdom and both filtered through every part of her life. God gifted her with a sweet and kind disposition. She always looked you in the eye. Listened well. Always made the time. Nan cared.

Nan loved her family. Being a mother and grandmother was one of her greatest joys. When her grandchildren began arriving, she put much time and love into nourishing relationships with each one of them. Nan enjoyed gardening which was her “therapy”, quilting, reading, and spending time with people. She loved the ocean, camping, and traveling. She loved life.

She is preceded in death by her father Donald Farnstrom, husband Jerry Plett, and brother Eric Farnstrom. She is survived by her children, Jason Plett (Karin), Joel Plett (Heidi), Jacob Plett (Lindsay), Jenna Lellhame (Jordan); her mother, Esther Farnstrom; her brother, Daryl Farnstrom; her sisters Sherrill Farnstrom and Sarah Bullock; her grandchildren Hadley Plett, Magnus Plett, Clayton Lellhame, Donevan Plett, Lane Lellhame, Hudson Plett, Gunnar Plett, Nolan Plett, Ainsley Lellhame, and Jesse Plett.

Memorial donations may be made in Nan’s honor to KAMB c/o Celebration Radio, 90 East 16th Street, Merced, CA 95340. www.celebrationradio.com

Cemetery Details

Turlock Memorial Park

575 N. Soderquist Rd.
Turlock, CA 95380
(209) 632-9111
<http://turlockmemorialpark.com>

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall



“ *Nannette Plett-Kruppa*

January 28, 2023 at 09:01 AM



“ *To the Plett and Kruppa families, I am so sorry for your loss. May God envelop you with His love and peace. Who couldn't love Nan? I met Nan 30 years ago working at Sequoia. She was a mentor to me, someone I aspired to be like, loving, kind, and compassionate. Our paths crossed again in nursing school, she was graduating when I was beginning. It was a joy when I was able to see her once again while walking through the halls at Emanuel Hospital. We always stopped to greet, and share a hug. She always had a smile and encouraging word for me. Forever in my heart. Rest in God's peace Nan*

Janelle Comfort - August 30, 2022 at 12:37 PM



“ *We met Nan when she and Carl were dating. I immediately liked her because she was real and you could feel it. She was open and accepting of others and was a very good listener. We hadn't spent any time together in the last two years because of covid, but I followed her on Facebook and texted once in awhile. She was truly a special person and brought out the best in Carl and everyone she knew. I will miss her. My husband and I send love and condolences to all her family.*

Patsy Laquaglia - August 27, 2022 at 04:42 PM

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“*Nan was truly one of the kindest people I've ever known. I remember when I had my youngest daughter, Nan offered to pick up my oldest daughter, Michelle who was in Joel's class, in the morning and take her to school every day. It was such a tremendous help for me. May our Lord bless and comfort you and your family during this time of grief. Please accept my sincere condolences.*

Margaret Perry Santiago

Margaret Santiago - August 27, 2022 at 10:44 AM