



## Cherryl "Cherri" (Brodsky) Fox

October 23, 1945 - April 14, 2022

Cherri Brodsky Fox was a devoted mother of two daughters, a son, and a loving grandmother of two grandchildren. Cherri passed away on Thursday, April 14, 2022, at the age of 76 after a courageous battle with cancer in Peoria, IL. She was surrounded by her family who will continue to honor her legacy by living their lives with Cherri's spirit always with them.

She was born on October 23, 1945, in Abilene, TX to Phillip and Laverne (Beaney) Brodsky. Cherri is survived by her children, Nick Fox (Amanda Arguello) and Magy Kramer (Matt), grandchildren, Lucy Kramer and Isaac Kramer, brothers, Jeff Brodsky and Steve Brodsky (Laura), former husband, Jim Fox, and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her father, mother and daughter Jennifer Fox. Cherri graduated from Cleveland Heights High School and completed her bachelor's degree at McMurry University in Abilene. After teaching for a few years in Wichita she moved with Jim (who she met at the YMCA Camp Wood in Elmdale, KS) and daughter Jennifer to St Louis where Magy was born and later moved to Dallas where Nick was born. In Dallas, Cherri was a mother to many others when she opened her home for childcare and after moving to Omaha, later retired from Goodwill. When her grandchildren were born, she moved to Atlanta and then Peoria to help take care of them.

For Cherri it was always family first. She lived her life for her family teaching them to be kind, be healthy, be grateful and always be smiling. Her pleasant personality and strength were contagious to everyone she met.

Cremation rites have been accorded and a Celebration of Life will be held from 11:00 AM-12:00 PM on July 1, 2022, at Prairie Hill Vineyard, 21421 W. 37th St N., Colwich, KS 67030. In honor of Cherri's life a memorial fund has been created for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in the name of Cherri Brodsky Fox, please visit [https://fundraising.stjude.org/site/TR/GiftFunds/GiftFunds?px=7458476&pg=personal&fr\\_id=39300](https://fundraising.stjude.org/site/TR/GiftFunds/GiftFunds?px=7458476&pg=personal&fr_id=39300)

Schmidt-Haller Burial and Cremation Services is assisting the family with arrangements and condolences may be left at [www.Schmidt-Haller.com](http://www.Schmidt-Haller.com).

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

JUL 1. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Prairie Hill Vineyard  
21421 W. 37th St. N.  
Colwich, KS 67030

# Tribute Wall



“ [Memorial Trees](https://www.schmidthaller.com/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Cheryl "Cherri" (Brodsky) Fox.

May 04, 2022 at 10:40 AM



“ Farewell Big Sis, I know you're up in heaven somewhere sharing a park bench with Pops & Jennifer . Rest in Peace, I'll miss our monthly conversions & your welcoming presence.  
LOVE

Jeff Brodsky - April 19, 2022 at 01:24 AM



“ I first met Cherri when she lived in Carrollton Texas just four doors down from my house. Her two younger children were very close in age to my children and we just “hit it off”. We 2 moms and four kids vacationed together for a couple of summers. After kids were grown and gone Cherri and I would spend a week with one another on road trips in Georgia and Texas and a cruise in the Caribbean . She was an amazing woman and we had many great times together. Will miss her dearly but I know we will one day be reunited in heaven.

Janet Gustafson - April 16, 2022 at 05:51 PM



“ G has helped raise me ever since I was born. She would always take me and my brother to Barnes & Noble Booksellers on weekends a lot and I will always love books because of her. She always just wanted to be grandma, and always was there to listen.

Lucy - April 16, 2022 at 02:46 PM



“Cherri was an amazing mother and grandmother “G.” I will always remember her strength, perseverance and smile. She dedicated her life to her family and I only hope to follow in her footsteps. We all have amazing memories of her to celebrate her life. Hugs, prayers and thoughts be with you all! Magy

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**Magy Kramer** - April 16, 2022 at 02:05 PM

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*I was heartbroken to hear the news of Cherri passing. She was a good friend to me at a pivotal time in my life. I will never forget our experiences together and her wise words to me about many things. And boy did we have some laughing moments as well. Travel safely dear Cherri. We shall meet again. Our journey is not finished!!*

*Jane Stevens Liellen*

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**Jane Stevens Luellen** - June 10, 2022 at 04:31 PM