

June S.

Grurich

June 20, 1939

January 5, 2024



A star was born on June 20th, 1939, her name was June S. Soos. Her generosity of spirt is legendary for those who were lucky enough to be called "family." Very few were not included in this group. She was a friend to all. There was always room in her heart for anyone that needed help and someone to talk to.

June met the man she would marry at a Jewel T grocery store, where they both worked. He was 23 and she was 20, they guickly fell in love and got married on Oct. 10th, 1959. They established their family home in Glen Ellyn, Illinois. They started having children right away. First was Paul, then Sue, followed by Chris and then Tim. Life was good for this tight-knit family. After many years of cold weather and tough working conditions they decided to move to sunny Arizona. In 1979 they loaded up the trucks and moved to Sedona (VOC). They loved Sedona. They lived there for 45 years and saw their children and their 6 grandchildren, and 5 great grandchildren grow up and thrive. Sedona was the home they had always dreamed of for their family. They made many friends along the way and a lot of them were considered family as well. The last house they owned was in the Village of Oakcreek was located on Bellrock Blvd. The red rocks and beauty were visible wherever you went, especially right off their deck. They loved the evenings on their deck with the splendor of Bell Rock on full display. If you visited the Grgurich home, you most likely had your picture taken on the deck. June loved her secret garden with all her beloved plants and a KOI pond. Much to her dismay, the raccoon liked the KOI too.

As hard as it was, after Paul's death (2017), June sold their home and moved to Tucson to be with Sue and Mike. It was a new beginning. June believed in the possibilities of a new and bright future there. Once again June chose to love where she was living. Collectively, they built the house of June's dreams. It was a multi-generational home where she had her own home attached to Sue and Mike's. They were just a step away. June loved decorating her new home. She was selective on every item that went into her home. Ellyann, her great granddaughter, painted her a picture of the beach and ocean scene, which hung prominently on her living room wall. She loved that picture so very much! June loved the ocean and would love to go looking for shells, walking the sandy beaches, and loving her 2 grandchildren, at her son Paul and daughter-in-law Cathy's home in Florida.

After being diagnosed with cancer, June left his earth on the morning of January 5th, 2024, with her beloved daughter Sue, by her side along with her precious sister, Sandi. They held hands as June slipped into eternity. Sue recalls hummingbirds dancing at June's bedroom window and cardinals gracing the morning sky. June's Mr. Lincoln Rosebush outside the window had one bright red rose bloom to commemorate her heaven day.