



## Marilou Earnestine Schleining

November 22, 1951 - March 12, 2021

Marilou Earnestine Schleining was born November 22, 1951 in Knoxville, Tennessee where she grew up and graduated from Fulton High School.

Shortly after graduating from high school, Marilou married Anthony Zack of the U.S. Navy and began her journey as a military wife. Even though her first marriage ended, Marilou met a U.S. Army Soldier by the name of Bart LeRoy Schleining. They were united in marriage on July 22, 1998 in Hardin, Montana. They shared over 22 years of marriage together and many wonderful memories.

After their first duty station together at Fort Lewis, they were transferred to Fort Leonard Wood from 2002-2005 and returned in 2008. After Bart's retirement, they decided to stay in the area.

Marilou had the privilege of being able to stay home, care for her family and raise her three children: Christopher, Chandra, and Michaela. Her family was important to her and she loved them dearly.

In her spare time, she enjoyed karaoke singing and thrift store shopping. She was always looking for the best bargain and deal she could get at the thrift store. Marilou also attended Pine Creek Baptist Church.

Marilou passed away Friday, March 12, 2021 in the Cox South Medical Center of Springfield, Missouri having attained the age of 69 years. She will be sadly missed, but fondly remembered by all those that knew and loved her.

Marilou leaves to cherish her memory, her husband: Bart Schleining of the home; three children: Christopher Schleining of Plato, MO, Chandra Loudon of Spanaway, WA, and Michaela Schleining of Plato, MO; two grandchildren; Faith and Daina; other relatives and friends.

Celebration of Life Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Friday, March 19, 2021 in the Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert. Burial followed in the Missouri Veterans Cemetery of Waynesville, MO.

Memorial contributions may be made in memory of Marilou Schleining and may be left at Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.

# Cemetery Details

## Missouri Veterans Cemetery - Fort Leonard Wood

25350 Hwy H  
Waynesville, MO 65583

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 19. 1:00 PM.

Memorial Chapels And Crematory Of Waynesville / St. Robert

## Celebration of Life Service

MAR 19. 2:00 PM.

Memorial Chapels And Crematory Of Waynesville / St. Robert

# Tribute Wall



“ *Memorial Chapels and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Marilou Earnestine Schleining*



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**Memorial Chapels and Crematory** - March 19, 2021 at 01:18 PM



“ *Marilou Earnestine Schleining*

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January 28, 2023 at 06:53 AM



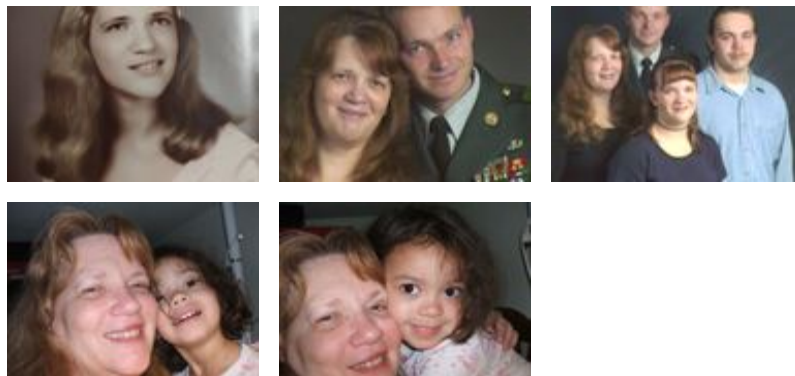
“ *She always had a beautiful smile and loved yellow.*

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**Dianna French** - March 19, 2021 at 11:53 AM

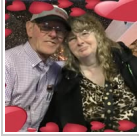


“ *54 files added to the album LifeTributes*



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**Memorial Chapels and Crematory** - March 19, 2021 at 09:34 AM



“ *Ann Felker lit a candle in memory of Marilou Earnestine Schleining*



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**Ann Felker** - March 18, 2021 at 07:19 AM



“ *Pulaski County Camp Gideons lit a candle in memory of Marilou Earnestine Schleining*



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**Pulaski County Camp Gideons** - March 16, 2021 at 10:15 AM



*WE are going miss you left way too soon Bo& Kay mckinnon*

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**Kay Mckinnon** - March 19, 2021 at 10:11 AM