

Laurel Ann Bowers (Balog)
August 23, 2022
Age 68
Cleveland, Ohio

Laurel Ann Bowers Balog died on August 23, 2022 at age 68 in Cleveland, Ohio.

She was survived by her daughter Kara LeAnne Balog, as well as her siblings Russell Bowers (Michelle), Betti Senko (Dan), and Jennifer Dickey. Laurie was preceded in death by her daughter Krista Maren Balog and her sisters Karen Emping and Dede Watkins. She was an aunt, cousin, and friend to many.

In our 20th reunion booklet, Laurie wrote, "I've done most of the things I've wanted to do, traveling in Europe, Florida, Arizona, Vegas, Atlantic City, New York." Laurie's love of travel was reflected in this description in her obituary: "She was our gypsy soul."

A longtime Lakewood friend remembered her by saying, "There is a star in the sky. And when it sees you passing by, it is going to say 'Hey, I remember you.' I remember you, too. And someday we will all share the same path again."