



Patricia S. Clogston

March 29, 1946 - March 12, 2023

Patricia S. Clogston, 76, of Asheville, NC, passed away at her home on March 12, 2023. She was preceded in death by her parents, John Sloan, and Jane Sloan.

She was born in Minneapolis, MN, on March 29, 1946. Patricia attended Edina High School in Edina, Minnesota, and graduated in 1964. She immediately went to Ripon College, where she was a Phi Beta Kappa, and graduated in 1968.

Patricia then worked at Cargill in the IT department. She was a pioneering woman in a man's world and was an example that other women followed. In 1980, she became a systems analyst and was one of the very few women in a leadership position at that time. Also in 1980, her husband, Charlie, was transferred to Brazil, and she came along as an independent consultant to automotive companies. They returned in 1984 and she worked on a software development project for a smaller firm where she developed a product that generated code. After returning to Minneapolis, Minnesota, she moved on to IDS doing small computer support. IDS later became American Express.

Patricia volunteered her services as a systems consultant with Habitat for Humanity, both in the Twin Cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul, and Asheville. In 1995 Patricia retired and became an artist, working with pottery. When

Charlie retired in 2000, they both moved to Asheville, NC. Patricia continued with her passion for pottery until 2010 when the clay became too heavy for her to work with, and she then switched to torching glass.

Patricia developed breast cancer in 2019, which eventually metastasized. She underwent 4 rounds of chemotherapy and fought a long battle against cancer. Patricia is survived by her husband of over 51 years, Charlie Clogston.

There will be a memorial service held at Grace Covenant Presbyterian Church, 789 Merrimon Avenue, Asheville, on March 25, 2023, at 2:00 pm. The memorial service will be online and the church website will have the links. Morris Funeral & Cremation Care has been entrusted with making funeral arrangements.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAR **25**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Grace Covenant Presbyterian Church
789 Merrimon Avenue
Asheville, NC 28804

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Tribute Wall



“ *Patricia S. Clogston*

October 07, 2023 at 11:15 AM



“ *Apologies if this is a case of mistaken identity, but sincere condolences if this is the wife of Charlie Clogston, 1961 graduate of Mounds View HS.*

Bill Sylte, Alameda CA

William Sylte - March 23, 2023 at 09:45 PM



“ *Miro purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Patricia S. Clogston.*



Miro - March 22, 2023 at 01:49 PM



“ *Charlie, we were so sorry to see Pat's obituary in the paper yesterday. We have many fond memories of being with you both in Br as well as here in MN. We pray the Lord comforts you at this difficult time. Love from your friends, Doug and Linda Linder*

linda linder - March 20, 2023 at 11:36 AM

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“ *Our condolences. Pat was a wonderful neighbor and friend. Michael and Margaret Ruiz*

Michael and Margaret Ruiz - March 19, 2023 at 10:55 AM

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“ *4 files added to the album Generous Neighbor and Artist*



Michael and Margaret Ruiz - March 19, 2023 at 10:51 AM