



Renee "nee Kelley" Whiteside

July 10, 1956 - April 14, 2024

Renee "nee Kelly" Whiteside, age 67, of Cedar Lake, passed away suddenly on April 14, 2024. Renee was a devoted wife and daughter.

Renee was preceded in death by her husband Kenneth Whiteside, mother Wilma Borem, sister Darla Kelley, and longtime friend Richard Vode. Renee is survived by her son Chad Whiteside (Jennifer), daughter Erin Lucas (Eddie), grandchildren, Michael and Matthew Whiteside and Jacob and Parker Lucas; nephews Michael Vode and David Vode, and lifelong friends Paula Fogle, Bobbi Wade, Krista Bill, Cindi Ball, Amy Woolsey, and many other dear friends.

Renee graduated from Indiana University with a Bachelor of Science degree. She had an extensive career as practice manager for University Head and Neck Associates. Renee enjoyed traveling, and she loved attending live concerts of her favorite bands with friends all around the country. She loved spending time with her family and friends. Renee's kindness, loyalty, generosity, sharp wit, and sense of humor will be missed by all who loved her. We will miss Renee dearly. She shined a vibrant, bright light wherever she went. A celebration of life will be held in the next few weeks. Burns Funeral Home, Crown Point entrusted with arrangements. www.burnsfuneral.com