



## Gloria M. Tabak

June 15, 1956 - March 22, 2018

Gloria M. Tabak, 61, of Indianapolis, passed away March 22, 2018 after a long, brave battle with cancer. She was born on June 15, 1956 in Pittsburgh, PA, to George and Lorraine (Adams) Conley.

Gloria lived a full life surrounded by family and friends. She was a loving wife, mother, sister, daughter, and a loyal friend. She always put the wellbeing and happiness of others above her own.

She grew up in Pittsburgh and graduated from Hampton High School. She worked as a title and loan closer for 18 years in Indianapolis, and started her own closing services company before she had to set that job aside to fight her pancreatic cancer battle. She was devoted to raising and caring for her children, a vocation she pursued until the end. She and Ron loved spending their free time traveling, and were happiest when in each other's company. They were certainly a team, and this was especially evident during the last several years of her life. Nothing brought her greater joy than her grandchildren. They gave her the unparalleled strength and spirit to keep going, especially during the trying times. Gloria attended St. Simon Catholic Church. After her children graduated high school, she was a member of Big Brothers Big Sisters. She was also a member of Pancreatic Cancer Action Network and her Go-For-Glori-a fundraising team placed in the top three for

several years in a row, which is a testament to the immense support she had from friends and family, and to how much she meant to so many people.

Gloria is survived by her loving husband of 25 years, Ron Tabak; her son, Tyler McCreary (Ashley); her daughter, Kristin Eichel (Zachary); her son, Travis Tabak (Amy); her mother, Lorraine Conley Kelly; her brothers: George Conley Jr., Michael Conley; her sisters: Lorraine Kelly (Dan); Bernadette Weingartner (Michael), Joyce Schaefer (Mark), Carol Flock (Tim); her sister-in-law: Barb Burris (Dennis); her grandchildren: Olivia Tabak, Kaliway Tabak, Margaret Eichel, Bridget Eichel, Charlie McCreary, Ethan Edwards, and Kyle Edwards; and several nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her father, George Conley Sr. She is also survived by her loving caregiver, Henrietta Pierson.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Pancreatic Cancer Action Network. 1500 Rosecrans Avenue, Suite 200, Manhattan Beach, CA 90266 or visit [www.pancan.org](http://www.pancan.org).

Final care and arrangements are entrusted to Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel. [www.shirleybrothers.com](http://www.shirleybrothers.com).

If you do send flowers, the family recommends The Empty Vase, 1105 E 52nd St, Indianapolis, IN 46205, (317) 925-8273, or go to [www.theemptyvaseindy.com](http://www.theemptyvaseindy.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Oaklawn Memorial Gardens

9700 Allisonville Rd.  
Indianapolis, IN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 26. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel  
9900 N. Allisonville Road  
Fishers, IN 46038  
(317) 841-7878  
[info@shirleybrothers.com](mailto:info@shirleybrothers.com)  
<https://www.shirleybrothers.com>

## Mass of Christian Burial

MAR 27. 9:30 AM (ET)

St. Simon the Apostle Catholic Church  
8155 Oaklandon Road  
Indianapolis, IN 46236

# Tribute Wall

MR

“ *Such a wonderful woman who will be remembered with so much love. We've made a donation to the Pancreatic Cancer Network in her honor. Love, The Rigsbees*

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**Marian Rigsbee** - April 02, 2018 at 08:35 PM

NM

“ *Gloria was the bravest most uplifting person I've come to know. I was her nurse for many years at American health network , and was so impressed by her strength,determination,kindness,and positive attitude.her smile was contagious.God be with her family through the grieving stage.I know someday in my heart that we will see Gloria again .Our God is a big God and will be there for her loved ones for comfort and peace..Nancy.God bless!*

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**Nancy McDaniel** - March 26, 2018 at 10:48 PM

CE

“ *For Ron, family, and friends,  
We're so sorry to hear about Gloria. May love and beautiful memories help you through this most difficult time.  
With our deepest sympathy,  
Jim & Celeste Carter*

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**Celeste** - March 26, 2018 at 05:44 PM

MP

“ Dear Ron, family and friends who loved Gloria,  
We are so sorry for your loss. Gloria was a beautiful person. Her smile lit up the room. She was so positive and so brave. She will be missed by many.  
With our deepest sympathy,  
Bob and Mary Pirics



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**Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Pirics** - March 26, 2018 at 05:17 PM

LJ

“ Love, Noreen Kelly Fischer and John purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



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**Love, Noreen Kelly Fischer and John** - March 26, 2018 at 04:08 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



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March 26, 2018 at 11:13 AM

TD

“ *Trumps Castleton Auto Repair. Toby & Debbie purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



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**Trumps Castleton Auto Repair. Toby & Debbie** - March 26, 2018 at 11:03 AM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



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March 26, 2018 at 11:03 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



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March 26, 2018 at 10:43 AM

TS

“ *Ted and Debbie Stickley purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



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**Ted and Debbie Stickley** - March 26, 2018 at 09:51 AM



“ *Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



March 26, 2018 at 09:20 AM



“ *I remember the first time I ever met Gloria. We were all on a company trip(vacation), and her and Ron were playing volleyball on the beach when we got there. She was so sweet and so beautiful. She will remain in my memories that way forever. Debbie S*

**Debbie Stickley** - March 26, 2018 at 08:55 AM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



March 26, 2018 at 08:38 AM



“ *Rick and Jane ANSTINE purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



**Rick and Jane ANSTINE** - March 26, 2018 at 08:13 AM

TG

“ Terry & Wendi Galuska purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



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**Terry & Wendi Galuska** - March 26, 2018 at 08:01 AM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



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March 26, 2018 at 06:58 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



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March 25, 2018 at 06:35 PM

PP

“ Gloria will be greatly missed but her warmth, kindness, and gentle spirit will be remembered forever. God, please give her soul a special place. Our prayers and thoughts are with the whole family.

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**Paul & Angela Poplicean** - March 25, 2018 at 05:19 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



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March 25, 2018 at 04:25 PM



“ *Ed & Dotty Seller purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



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**Ed & Dotty Seller** - March 25, 2018 at 03:08 PM



“ *I was one of many realtors that Gloria took great care of. I always wanted her to do my closings for so many reasons: I knew she was professional and could handle any questions that came up. When there was tension in the room she had a way of making everyone feel comfortable. She was so kind and so beautiful . I use to look at her french nails and beautiful rings and I just appreciated and loved everything about Gloria. Gloria will be buried during Holy Week and I am grateful for that because I will always remember!!! Ron - you and your family are all so wonderful. Thank you for keeping all Gloria's friends updated. Sending prayers.*

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**Julianne Deely** - March 25, 2018 at 02:33 PM

LC

“ Love, The Kashur Family Ty, Jim, Lisa, and Chelsea purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



Love, The Kashur Family Ty, Jim, Lisa, and Chelsea - March 25, 2018 at 01:49 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



March 25, 2018 at 01:19 PM

TK

“ The Wildt Family, Bob, Pam, Heather & Kevin purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



The Wildt Family, Bob, Pam, Heather & Kevin - March 25, 2018 at 12:22 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



March 25, 2018 at 12:06 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray* was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



March 25, 2018 at 11:31 AM



“ *Sapphire Skies Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



March 25, 2018 at 10:25 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



March 25, 2018 at 10:12 AM



“ *Bruce and Dr. Elizabeth Gaines* purchased the *Beautiful Dreams* for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



**Bruce and Dr. Elizabeth Gaines** - March 25, 2018 at 05:01 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



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March 24, 2018 at 07:45 PM



“ *m suzie mahoney purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



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**m suzie mahoney** - March 24, 2018 at 04:19 PM



“ *some of the best memories of our life have been with ron and gloria at monfort's house for many gatherings.....they were both wonderful friends and her inviting smile and warm heart will be sorely missed. We are so saddened by here passing but she is in heaven now and finally at peace. Ron Jennifer and Konor Shoup....*

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**ron shoup** - March 24, 2018 at 04:07 PM



*Gloria was a wonderful friend to me, watching my toddler daughter for a semester, while I worked. She was a good-hearted and sincere gal. I always remember her gentle ways with Kristin and Tyler. Thinking of all her family during this time and in the days ahead.*

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**Susan Winn Platt** - March 25, 2018 at 11:34 AM

DR

*While I never really knew Gloria I did hear some many nice things about here and here struggles. I would like to extend my sympathy to Ron and family at this time.*

*Deon & Dianna Rooks*

Deon Rooks - March 25, 2018 at 07:21 PM

GT

“ Gloria was a class act! A pleasure just to be around.

Gene Tumbarello - March 24, 2018 at 04:03 PM

BW

“ Gloria was always so positive and smiling, despite all she was going through. May she rest in peace and may the family cherish the memories she is a part of. -- Beth Williams

BETH WILLIAMS - March 24, 2018 at 03:43 PM

DW

“ David and Carole Weaver purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



David and Carole Weaver - March 24, 2018 at 03:38 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



March 24, 2018 at 01:21 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



March 24, 2018 at 12:39 PM



“ *Jim & Jan Wark purchased the Sapphire Skies Bouquet for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



**Jim & Jan Wark** - March 24, 2018 at 11:45 AM



“ *Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



March 24, 2018 at 09:44 AM

AC

“ We never had the opportunity to meet Gloria ... but did meet Ron. Their friends, Ray and Irene Nash were also our dear friends, and lived within walking distance to the Tabek's ... the Nash's were known for their summer cookouts, and that's when Ron would walk over and grab some food, say hello to everyone, and get back to Gloria. Ray and Irene Nash were devoted to Gloria, took care of the dogs when they were travelling, and spoke so highly of Ron's love for his wife and the constant care he gave or provided. She is now experiencing the promise Jesus gave to us ... that we would have a place in heaven full of light and love and be with those we loved here on earth who went before us. Hold on to that promise, as you will all see this beautiful human being again, and she will be there to welcome you when God summons you. We ask the Holy Spirit to dwell within you now and carry you through these hours and days and months of loss.

*Sincerely ... Alan & Melanie Campbell*

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**Alan & Melanie Campbell** - March 24, 2018 at 07:39 AM

JM

“ Jane and Chris Miller purchased the Dawn of Remembrance Basket for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



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**Jane and Chris Miller** - March 23, 2018 at 07:56 PM

JM

“ She will be missed by so many! I have known Gloria forever and she was such a class act loved by many! Prayers for the whole family! She will sorely be missed! 🙏

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**Julie McCormick** - March 23, 2018 at 07:53 PM

YE

“ *Your friends at NAPA Tools & Equipment purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



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**Your friends at NAPA Tools & Equipment** - March 23, 2018 at 06:05 PM

MC

“ *Condolences to the family - I knew George and was in the same class as Joyce.*

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**Mark Chalmers** - March 23, 2018 at 05:10 PM

JR

“ *Jim and Marty Rule purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



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**Jim and Marty Rule** - March 23, 2018 at 05:02 PM

Joe  
Young

“ I had the great fortune of knowing Gloria because I made such a dear and lifelong friend with her amazing son, Tyler. We went to high school together and have been friends ever since.

There so many different occasions where I was at the McCreary's house: for cross-country dinners where she made a group of hungry boys loads of food, hangouts where she laughed and entertained our shenanigans, her children's wedding, etc., and she was always such a bright, funny, positive, friendly, an amazing person to be around. She always treated me with the same kindness and friendliness she did her family.

I saw how supportive she was of her children, and their friends. Her aura was one that was bright, strong, full of life, and always ready to laugh.

My thoughts and prayers are with her family and I know she will be missed. All I have is a flood of happy memories that I am grateful to have been a part of.

Sending all of my love to her family,

Joe Young

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Joe Young - March 23, 2018 at 04:58 PM

LT

“ Lawrence Central Cross Country and Track Teams purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



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Lawrence Central Cross Country and Track Teams - March 23, 2018 at 04:45 PM

CM

“ I'm heartbroken. Gloria and I worked together (Title Company and Realtor) and we were two similar souls on so many levels. She fought an incredible battle for a number of years. My heart goes out to Ron, Tyler and Kristin and her grandchildren.

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**Cindy Marchant** - March 23, 2018 at 04:30 PM

GM

“ Greg Pierce and Theresa Merchant purchased the Sapphire Skies Bouquet for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



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**Greg Pierce and Theresa Merchant** - March 23, 2018 at 04:26 PM

LR

“ Love "M" and the family of Nick Reifers purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



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**Love "M" and the family of Nick Reifers** - March 23, 2018 at 04:19 PM

TP

“ The Staff at Brownsburg NAPA Auto Parts purchased the Heavenly Heights Bouquet for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.



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**The Staff at Brownsburg NAPA Auto Parts** - March 23, 2018 at 04:13 PM



“ *Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



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March 23, 2018 at 04:01 PM



“ *Pam and George A. send our deepest thoughts and prayers to an fantastic mother and wife who will rest in peace with no pain. Praying for Ron to get through this tragedy.*

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**George Alexander** - March 23, 2018 at 03:23 PM



“ *Greg Wilson purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Gloria M. Tabak.*



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**Greg Wilson** - March 23, 2018 at 02:44 PM



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**Kristin Eichel** - March 23, 2018 at 01:22 PM