



## Delia Christine Chatigny

March 4, 1962 - February 13, 2022

Delia Christine Chatigny went to be with her Heavenly Father on Sunday, February 13, 2022 at the age of 59 after a courageous battle with cancer. Delia's loving and sweet spirit was never broken and this world lost a true angel.

Delia was born March 4, 1962 in Atwater, CA to James Paul and Helen Caecilia Chatigny. Delia lived in several states before settling in Grass Valley in 1978. Delia was a 1981 graduate of Nevada Union High School and earned a degree in Early Child Education from Sierra College.

A faithful member of St. Patrick's Parish for over 40 years, Delia, Ms. Delia, or Ms. Chatigny spent her entire life caring for others. She was a personal nanny, a babysitter, a teacher at Mt. St. Mary's Academy and Monalee's Preschool, and a camp counselor at Camp ReCreation for more than 25 years. Delia could also be found working in the Kids Corner at the county fair every summer. She had a positive impact on the lives of so many children and their families in this community, and she will be greatly missed.

Delia's unique talent was that she could recite the name and birthdate of her entire family including all 28 nieces and nephews and 43 great nieces and great nephews.

Delia was preceded in death by her older sisters Antoinette (Toni) Falk and Denise Willey, brother-in-law Bobby Rodeen and her nephew Nathan Rodeen.

She is survived by her parents James and Helen Chatigny of Grass Valley, brother-in-law David Falk and her brothers and sisters; Mark (Marguerite), Paul (Teri), Caecilia Karp (Stan), Peter (Diana), Regina Rodeen, Philip (Denise), Matthew (Melanie) and Daniel (Kaleen). She is also survived by 27 nieces and nephews: Amanda, Heather, Brian, Angie, Sarah, Elissa, Patrick, James Paul, Joseph, Alexander, Rebekkah, David, Samantha, Christopher, Aaron, Joe, Catherine, Jason, Joshua, Jessica, Jennifer, Michael, Cory, Malayna, Kelsey, Lauryn and Emmy. She is also survived by 43 great nieces and great nephews: Brooklyn, Lincoln, Kennedy, Jackson, Ryker, Reegan, Remington, Vanden, Seth, Paige, Eli, Lucas, Carlee, Grace, Elijah, Ava, Ella, Evan, Emma, Alyssa, Anna, Mason, Ryan, Cameron, Liliana, Aria, Athena, Benton, Shane, Aiden, Brooklyn, Aubrey, Talia, Mackenzie, Carter, Abigail, Austin, Jaxson, Karsyn, Chase, Breseis, Caius, and Calix, all who will miss her dearly.

Services to remember Delia will begin with a Catholic Rosary on Friday, March 4, 2022 at 10:00 am at St. Patrick's Church in Grass Valley immediately followed by a funeral mass, private burial and a reception at St. Patrick's Hall in Grass Valley.

In lieu of flowers please consider a donation to your favorite charity.

Rest in Peace Delia

# Cemetery Details

## St. Patrick's Catholic Cemetery

Rough and Ready Highway  
GRASS VALLEY, CA 95945

# Previous Events

## MASS

MAR 4. 10:00 AM (PT)

St Patrick Catholic Church  
235 Chapel St  
Grass Valley, CA 95945

# Tribute Wall

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“ I first met Delia when her brother Daniel introduced her to me. I knew their parents Jim and Helen and Daniel worked with me at a local bank. A few years later my daughter and grandson moved back to GV and needing schooling and child care we put him in Mount St. Mary's Academy. Delia was a fixture in the day care department and so enjoyed my grandson and all the children she cared for. Thru the years when we would meet, with a smile on her face she always asked about our family. Rest in Peace Delia, your special place in Heaven is waiting for you.



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**Karen Gainer** - February 23, 2022 at 11:56 AM