



## Kathleen M. Chin

August 20, 1938 - March 20, 2017

Kathleen M. Krumpelman Chin, 81, of Bonita Springs, FL, died Monday, March 20, 2017, in Naples after a brief illness. Kathleen was born August 20, 1935, in Louisville, KY, daughter of the late George and Leona (née Buckman) Krumpelman. She had been a resident of Bonita Springs since 2000.

Kathleen graduated from Nazareth Academy, Nazareth, KY, and was a Sisters of Charity of Nazareth for a short time. Kathleen was an exceptionally gifted elementary school teacher, who taught for many years in Boston, MA, where she also had a weekly class on educational TV. Her natural gifts in drama, music, and poetry were developed in graduate and post-graduate studies. She helped many children to recognize and develop their own talents, which enriched their lives in unique ways. In 2000, Kathleen moved to Bonita Springs with her husband, Richard Chin. She was an active member of St. Leo the Great Parish, where she attended daily Mass, served as Lector, Minister of Communion, and member of the Bible Study Group.

Kathleen is survived by her sister, Frances Krumpelman, S.C.N., by devoted nieces and nephews: Michael, Pattie, Mary Frances, Jim and Becky, and by numerous faithful friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Richard Chin, her sister, Mary Lea Moorman and her brother, George Krumpelman.

The family will receive friends on Friday, March 24, 2017 from 11:30 AM to 1:15 PM at Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home 28300 So. Tamiami Tr., Bonita Springs. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 1:30 PM at St. Leo the Great Catholic Church 28300 Beaumont Rd., Bonita Springs. Additional services and burial will be held at St. Michael Cemetery in Louisville, KY.

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Michael Cemetery

1600 Newburg Rd.  
Louisville, KY 40204

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 24. 11:30 AM - 1:15 PM (ET)

Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home  
28300 Tamiami Trail So.  
Bonita Springs, FL 34134  
(239) 992-4982  
bonitafhbill@comcast.net

## Funeral Mass

MAR 24. 1:30 PM (ET)

St. Leo the Great Catholic Church  
28290 Beaumont Road  
Bonita Springs, FL 34134

# Tribute Wall



“ *Kathleen M. Chin*

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *Kathleen was a great friend when she lived in Massachusetts. Although I hadn't seen her in quite a while, we'd stayed in touch all during her years in Florida through cards and calls. I will remember her warm smile, her infectious laugh and her oh-so-generous spirit. She was one of the most supportive and encouraging friends anyone could ask for. Rest in peace, dear heart.*

*Bob Donovan / Boston*

**Bob Donovan** - March 24, 2017 at 05:34 PM



“ *We met Richard and Kathleen when they came to the neighborhood to look at their recently purchased future home right after their wedding! We lived directly across the street. We have many fond memories of our conversations and daily dealings with Kathleen. We grew to love her and looked forward to seeing her each time we returned for our seasonal visits. --- K. F. and Janet Smith*

**K.F. & Janet Smith** - March 24, 2017 at 03:32 PM



“ *Many Blessings to the extended family that supported Kathleen in Bonita Springs. Kathleen was a special family member and many prayers to her family members that flew to Florida to support and celebrate her life this week.*

*Much love to her and family. Mary & Joe Schleppe - Bexley Ohio*

**Mary Schleppe** - March 23, 2017 at 09:07 AM