



Marsha Diane Cabral

December 27, 1942 - April 7, 2018

Marsha Diane Cabral was a pioneering Fremont Realtor, avid mentor, and deal maker. She passed away peacefully at home on April 7th, 2018 at the age of 75 with her loving family by her side after a courageous fight against cancer. She was born in Berkeley, CA on December 27, 1942 to Thelma Bushnell and Guido "Babe" Biagi who preceded her in death; along with her stepfather Weston Johnson. She was the devoted, loving wife to Leonard Anthony Cabral who preceded her in death in 1997. She is survived by her daughter Lori Ann Cabral, her son Anthony "Tony" Cabral and her only grandchild Jon Neizman. She is also survived by her sister Ramona Reitz, brother-in-law Monty Reitz, nephews Steven Toquinto, Jeff Toquinto and Tim Toquinto, Lloyd Cabral brother-in-law and Marlene Foley sister-in-law and many other cousins and relatives.

Marsha is a direct descendent of the 11 founding families of the City of Los Angeles and Monterey of 1769 and is the Great, Great Granddaughter of John Price who established the Pismo Ranch and thereafter established the City of Pismo Beach and presided as the first mayor. Marsha was raised in Berkeley until she moved to Newark at the age of 10 where she met her lifelong friends who she loved very dearly. In 1959, she was honored as Miss Newark and graduated from Washington High School in Fremont in 1960. She married Leonard in 1960 becoming a devoted wife and mother while learning how to farm, raise livestock, and mentor 4-H and F.F.A. members. Marsha managed all the Fremont Unified School District's cafeterias in which she established

many lifetime friendships she valued very much through the years.

In 1979, Marsha attended Anthony School of Real Estate where she caught the Real Estate bug and where her spirit really shined. She obtained her Realtor license in 1979 and her Broker license in 2012 and has been an active Realtor/Broker for 39 years. Marsha's work ethic was devout, and her word was golden. The only thing Marsha loved as much as her family and friends was real estate and helping others. She sold countless homes over a 39-year career as a Realtor and mentored many realtors along the way. Her dedication to her clients and her love of the Realty Experts family was un-paralleled. Although she often received accolades for her work her best reward was the satisfaction she received from helping others. Most recently she was honored as a Realty Experts Achievement Recipient, Bay East Association of Realtors Achievement Club Recipient, Bay Area Association of Realtors Honorary Member along with many more.

She is a member of the Fremont Elk Lodge No. 2121 where she volunteered, a charitable volunteer to St. Joseph's Church and the Dominican Sisters and to many other charitable foundations and events. She is a member of the Portuguese Fraternal Society of America, and the National Board of Realtors. Marsha has spent some of her most cherished days traveling with her friends around the world. Marsha is of Italian descent and loved Italy and all its beauty. Marsha was a fabulous baker and cook and enjoyed putting on parties, dinners and high teas for family friends and the Holy Family. She is known for her brownies and sharing with those she loved. Marsha's greatest treasures were her family and friends. She will be remembered for her strength, integrity, perseverance, kindness, generosity and love. American Cancer society or charity of choice.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 18. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (PT)

Fremont Memorial Chapel
3723 Peralta Boulevard
Fremont, CA 94536
1-510-793-8900
fremontchapeloftheroses@yahoo.com
<https://www.fremontmemorialchapel.com>

Vigil

APR 18. 6:30 PM (PT)

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Burial

APR 19 (PT)

Holy Sepulchre Cemetery
26320 Mission Boulevard
Hayward, CA 94544

Tribute Wall

SH

“ Oct. 16, 2018

I just now learned that Marsha passed away and am shocked and terribly sorry. She was a high school classmate and friend of my husband, Frank Haas. I got to know her through him. My heartfelt condolences to Marsha's family and friends. It is her smile that I'll remember! (Perhaps she'll say hello to Frankie for me.)

Sandra

Sandra Haas - October 10, 2018 at 11:49 PM

BM

“ Lori, Tony, and Jon

Just learned of your moms and grandmas passing. So sorry for your loss.

I always enjoyed helping your mom at the bank. She was a genuine lady, who will be missed. I was blessed to know her.

May her love sustain you during this difficult time.

Barbara Mesa

Barbara Mesa - April 29, 2018 at 04:24 PM

GR

“ GINA RODARTE lit a candle in memory of
Marsha Diane Cabral



GINA RODARTE - April 26, 2018 at 01:26 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marsha Diane Cabral.*



April 18, 2018 at 05:56 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Marsha Diane Cabral.*



April 18, 2018 at 01:18 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marsha Diane Cabral.*



April 18, 2018 at 01:26 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Marsha Diane Cabral.*



April 17, 2018 at 11:07 PM

CP

“ *Lori, Tony and family,
Just read your Mother's obituary, what a wonderful tribute. I never had the pleasure of meeting her. Sounds like a great person.
I am so sorry for your loss.
Sincerely,
Carolyn Piazza*

Carolyn Piazza - April 17, 2018 at 09:34 PM

GB

“ *When I think of Marsha, I think of the "gift envelopes" she always had at her Brokers' Open - some with small amounts and always a "grand prize" of, as I remember, a \$20 bill. She always made it fun and the words that will always be attached to her memory are "ethical" and "respect". She was a lady and special in so many ways - she will be missed.*

Georgia Butterfield - April 17, 2018 at 09:14 PM

AM

“ *I've been friends with Marsha for 60+ years, grammar school and high school. I will miss her, but will keep her in my heart for all the times she's helped me and my family. Of course there were the times she pulled me get out of my rut to help tear wallpaper off the walls at her Mom's mobile home, to cleaning up around the ranch, and the Tahoe cabins; we always ended up with a laugh or two. Her smile and confidence -always there, no matter what the task. My deepest sympathies to Lori, Tony, and Jon; her pride and joy and blessings to the rest of Marsha and Leonard's family. Alice Marks and family*

Alice Marks - April 17, 2018 at 09:14 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marsha Diane Cabral.*



April 17, 2018 at 08:56 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Marsha Diane Cabral.*



April 17, 2018 at 05:26 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marsha Diane Cabral.*



April 17, 2018 at 04:47 PM



“ *We are so very sorry for your loss. Jodi and I send our sincere condolences to your family.*

Diana and Jodi Goralczyk

Diana Goralczyk - April 16, 2018 at 07:40 PM

JH

“ My husband and I bought several homes through Marsha. Watching her navigate the real estate maze in selling and buying properties was watching a master at work -- one who was not only an expert in her field, but who loved what she did. But Marsha brought more to her craft than expertise. She brought the sense she truly cared about her clients and fought to make their real estate experience a fair and positive one. You worked with her as a professional, but somewhere along the way you gained a valued friend. She will be sorely missed. My sincere sympathy and prayers to her beloved family. Julie Haun

Julia Haun - April 15, 2018 at 10:00 PM

LS

“ Linda Leonardini, Stacey Diaz, & Kim Smith purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Marsha Diane Cabral.



Linda Leonardini, Stacey Diaz, & Kim Smith - April 15, 2018 at 09:00 PM

RA

“ Some people we know while on earth are a continuing joy to remember. She is one of such persons. Thank you for my knowing you Marsha. Ronald L. Alsobrook

Ronald L. Alsobrook - April 14, 2018 at 02:09 PM

JB

“ *Jim (Jimmy) Barthe purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Marsha Diane Cabral.*



Jim (Jimmy) Barthe - April 14, 2018 at 01:49 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Marsha Diane Cabral.*



April 14, 2018 at 12:48 PM