



## Cristofer Schramer

July 15, 1955 - April 14, 2025

Mrs. Cristofer Ann Schramer died on April 14, 2025 at the age of 69 after a 10-year battle with COPD.

She is survived by her identical twin sister, Teresa (McGuire) Owens-Leduc; younger sister, Kim (McGuire) Hartley and her two daughters Jen Sanford and Teresa (Sanford) Mansfield; and stepdaughter, Kelly (Schramer) Siapkaris. She is also survived by her first husband of 17 years, David Sanford. In 1992, Cris married and survived by former Berlin Mayor, Richard D. Schramer. They were married in Texas, later moving to Berlin in 2001.

Cris is preceded in death by her brother, Paul McGuire; and her parents, Bradford McGuire and Emily (Hall) McGuire.

She was born on July 15, 1955, in Brooklyn, New York and lived in Watermill on Long Island, Cris graduated from Riverside High School on Long Island, New York, and later attended Immaculata College in Philadelphia where she studied music and specialized in piano where she once hoped to be a concert pianist. Cris served as Berlin's First Lady for 14 years and brought fun and laughter wherever she went. Cris and Dick were members of the Berlin Boat Club and participated in the annual Corn Roast at Riverside Park and made many friends while taking pontoon cruises on the Fox River. Cris also liked to

snowmobile around the back yard with an occasional ride on the Berlin River Riders Snowmobile Club trails where her and her husband were members.

Cris worked at the Spaghetti Warehouse in Texas and later at Alfred's/Harbor Lights (now Chops) in Green Lake, Wisconsin. She loved to dine at Norton's, Chops, Tuscumbia Country Club, and Heidel House of Green Lake, but her favorite places to frequent were Jeff's on the Square and the Art Bar in Berlin.

Cris made friends easily and was always the life of the party, but she had her opinion on certain things and was not afraid to tell you what it was. She loved making gifts out of origami and had making hearts out of dollar bills down pat.

Cris was a special lady and brought love and warmth to the hearts of everyone she met... she will be missed so much by all.

Cris did not want a funeral, but a celebration of life, love, and laughter on her birthday, July 15, 2025, at 4:00 p.m. at Jeff's on the Square where all her friends will raise a toast to her wonderful and so special life.

A memorial has been established in her memory.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

JUL **15.** 4:00 PM (CT)

Jeff's on the Square  
116 N. Capron st  
Berlin, WI 54923  
<http://116 N. Capron st>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Cristofer Schramer*



---

**Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home** - July 15, 2025 at 10:42 AM

AV

*Beautiful Tribute...  
Rest in peace my precious friend and mother to "our girls"...you will be so missed.*

---

**Anne Vincent** - July 17, 2025 at 12:26 AM

BG

“ *My deepest sympathies to the famil. May she rest in peace.*

---

**Bill Glinka** - July 17, 2025 at 03:41 PM



“ 326 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



-----  
**Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home** - July 14, 2025 at 06:37 PM

ES

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss ,my deepest condolences to Dick and Cris's family.*

-----  
**Edmond stragier** - April 24, 2025 at 10:20 AM

JW

“ *My condolences to Dick and Cris's family. Despite her health problems, she could always be counted on for a laugh or two!*

-----  
**James Wolff** - April 22, 2025 at 09:40 AM

TS

“ *Cris was my twin . I am so going to miss her . I'm having a hard time dealing with her  
Passing . She was a hoot & so funny .*

-----  
**Teresa Leduc (Cris's twin sister)** - April 19, 2025 at 05:00 PM

JS

“ *Oh Dick!*

*What a loss for this earth. You were blessed and were kind enough to share your blessing with all of us.*

*Chris was one of a kind. Her smile, laughter , wit will never be forgotten.*

*Thinking of you,*

*Judy Smith*

---

**Judy Smith** - April 16, 2025 at 07:01 PM

JS

*It looks corrected.*

---

**Jen Sanford** - April 19, 2025 at 06:25 PM