



Cynthia Marie Foster

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Obituary for Cynthia Marie Foster (Burnett)

Cynthia Marie Foster was born on January 16, 1960, in Oregon City, Oregon, and passed away peacefully on January 8, 2026, just days before her 66th birthday.

Cindy grew up in Oregon City, where she was a true tomboy at heart. She loved rough housing with her older brother Tony, riding motorcycles with her dad, and spending time with the grandparents she adored. Never afraid of hard work or getting dirty, Cindy met life head-on with grit, humor, and strength.

At the same time, she carried her mother Maria's gentle magic-she loved fairies, sparkly things, and all the small wonders that made life beautiful. A devoted animal lover, Cindy had a deep compassion for all living things and never judged anyone for their lifestyle or choices.

She worked as a caregiver, a role that fit her perfectly, offering love, dignity, and kindness to every client she served. In the late 1980s, Cindy moved to Lacombe, Oregon, where she raised her daughters-and just about every other kid who needed a place to sleep or a warm meal. Her home was a safe haven.

She was the mom kids went to when they were hungry, hurting, or just needed a hug. Her laundry hamper was always full, her couch never empty, and her heart always open. Cindy was unapologetically herself. She spoke her mind, never held her tongue, and proudly said she would never be remembered as a woman who kept her mouth shut.

She loved fiercely, laughed loudly, and lived honestly. In 2012, she returned to Oregon City, where she cherished time with her grandsons, cheering them on at their sporting events and



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watching them grow into the young people she was so proud of. She found peace in gardening, spending hours with her flowers and watching hummingbirds dance through her yard.

In her later years, Cindy became an avid rock painter-much to the playful teasing of her family-as her kitchen quickly filled with her colorful creations. Cindy will be remembered for her incredible food, sharp sense of humor, contagious laugh, and the soft, comforting hugs that made everything feel okay.

She would do anything for the people she loved, and she loved deeply. She is survived by her daughter Amanda Foster and her grandson Ewa Arndt; her daughter Andrea Campbell her husband Rian Campbell, and their children Rilan Campbell and Cason Campbell. She is also survived by her brother Tony Burnett his wife Dianne Burnett, and their children Anthony Burnett and Ashley Burnett; and her brother David Burnett his wife Lori Burnett, and their children Jake Burnett and Sam Burnett.

Cindy was preceded in death by her mother, Maria Cisneros Ramsey, and her father, David Burnett. Cindy's ashes will be scattered in a private ceremony with immediate family. A celebration of life will be held in early summer, when the flowers are in bloom-just as she would have wanted. Date and location to be announced.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to the ASPCA, a cause Cindy supported monthly and held close to her heart. Her laugh, her honesty, her love, and her spirit will be deeply missed and forever carried by those who knew her.



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Debbie Terherst lit a candle in honor of Cynthia.



January 15 at 4:53 PM



Debbie Terherst shared 8 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Cindy, Thanks for the 30ish years of memories, I'm so grateful to call you family & a friend, and have had you in my life. We've shared alot of good things in our life time, which I am so blessed and thankful for. May you R.I.P. my Friend.



January 12 at 3:46 PM



Chelle Gray posted:

Sending hugs and healing to everyone who knew and loved Cindy. I worked with her for many years and she was a great person. Loving, reliable, hard working and FUNNY as hell! I'm so sorry to hear of her passing. ❤️

January 13 at 9:37 AM



Tiffanie Green lit a candle in honor of Cynthia.

Cindy was a core memory in my growing up! I spent many of nights at her house with Manda. She always fed us and took good care of us. She was funny and more than loving. Watching her feed the kitty cats wet cat food with a spoon was one of my favorite funny memories of her. She was an amazingly caring woman ❤️



January 12 at 10:51 PM



Dawn Forster lit a candle in honor of Cynthia.

Love you Mama C ☐



January 12 at 10:47 PM



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Ewa Arndt shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

I can't put in the words how much this lady did for me. She started my love for Music cats and really made me the man I am today. I'll never forget being in the back of your purple camera, listening to count on me by Bruno Mars that I'm gonna get tattooed on my calf my 16th birthday just for you. I really wish I would've valued these times more because God I miss you like hell you might be gone, but the things you live for will forever carry on as long as I'm alive. I love you, Grandma.



January 12 at 10:45 PM



Matt Morton posted:

One of my fondest memories would be camping in her back yard in the summer bbq ing and playing yard games and eating her amazing food she was so easy to talk to one of the kindest souls ive ever had the pleasure to know she will be missed dearly but we will meet again in heaven rest in peace

January 12 at 10:38 PM

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Erica Vancura posted:

I want you to know how deeply I love you and how grateful I am for all the memories we shared. You were always there for me, bringing laughter and warmth into our lives, even when we were crazy teenagers. You were a true mom to me, and your love and patience meant the world. I know you're watching over us and know that we will see each other again someday. I appreciate everything you did for me and will always carry your love in my heart. When my daddy gets up there, you show him the ropes, mama and take care of him. I love you mom!! With all my love,

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Marcelena Clements shared 3 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Cindy and I have been lifelong friends because we were Cousins. My earliest memories include family summer activities & and hours we'd spend in our Grandma's beauty shop. As teens, we ran around together in her car, music blaring and singing at the top of our lungs. She was a bridesmaid in my wedding. As Moms, we loved getting our kids together whenever we could. When we became empty nesters, I would drive to Oregon City to pick her up and we would head to the Beach, our favorite place to be. Usually Lincoln City, having first gone there together when we just 18. For about the last 20 years we've gone at least once a year, sometimes twice, never getting tired of watching the sunsets & going to our favorite spots. In many ways, we were so different, yet completely loved and accepted each other no matter what. There is a huge hole in my heart. I will miss her sense of humor & her kindness the most. Thank you Cindy, for a lifetime of memories. I'll see you at the Beach, Sweetheart.

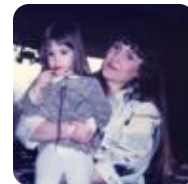


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Ashley Burnett shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

I can't even count all the fantastic memories I had with my Aunt Cindy. She was by far my favorite aunt. I remember has a child, her & my cousins would come up from Lacombe to stay with us & one year she had a 1 eyed baby chicken she brought with her. Tucked in her shirt, close to her heart. Her love of animals was always so inspiring. I will miss her everyday, but know she's close, always making me laugh. Love you Aunt Cundy! ❤️

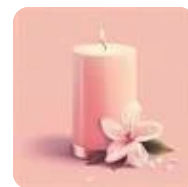


January 12 at 5:02 PM



Amanda Foster lit a candle in honor of Cynthia.

I love you Mom.



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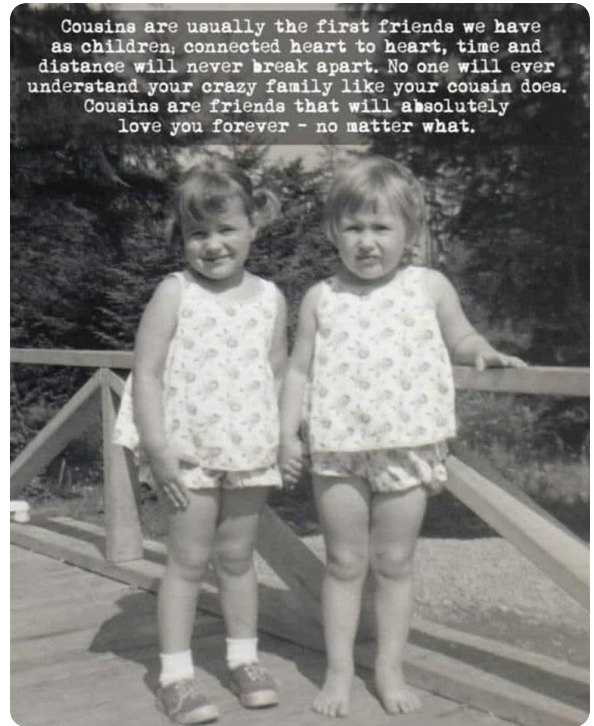




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