



Roberta "Bobbi" Janice Zielinski

September 21, 1945 - June 6, 2022

Roberta Janice Zielinski passed away on June 6, 2022 following a two-and-a-half-year experience with metastatic cancer. Born September 21, 1945 in Chicago, Illinois Bobbi is preceded in death by her parents Wanda and Dr. John Kalin. She is survived by her husband Dr. Henry John Zielinski, her children Stewart, Selena, Alessandra, Anastasia and Peter, her granddaughters Danielle, Rebecca, Victoria and Isabel, and her great granddaughter Lucy Elizabeth.

Bobbi earned a Bachelor of Science degree in microbiology from the University of California Long Beach. She put her degree to use at Heinz and at Squibb Pharmaceutical. She also served countless patients as the medical manager for two women's clinics and later played the role of the office manager and surgical assistant for her husband's surgical practice.

A voracious reader and member of numerous book clubs, Bobbi passed on her love of books to her children. She was an accomplished cook with an interest in nutrition who was vocal about her food preferences. Bobbi made sure her kids knew how to cook early on in life and even developed a curriculum teaching international cuisine to elementary school students.

Enchanted with this beautiful country of ours during a solo drive from Chicago to California on old Route 66 during her teen years, Bobbi remained a

dedicated "road warrior" for the remainder of her life. An avid traveler, she had the chance to explore much of Europe while her husband was stationed in Frankfurt, Germany and Naples, Italy. She was also a member of several medical missions to Mexico, Haiti, Guatemala and Ecuador.

Adventurous, strong, accomplished, loving and greatly loved - Bobbi's laughter will be greatly missed by all.

Tribute Wall



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Niswonger Reynolds Funeral Home & Greenwood Cemetery - May 18, 2023 at 03:11 PM

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“ *Roberta "Bobbi" Janice Zielinski*

Bend Funeral Homes - August 08, 2022 at 12:00 AM

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“ *We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Niswonger-Reynolds Funeral Home*

A Memorial Tree was planted for Roberta "Bobbi" Janice Zielinski - August 08, 2022 at 12:00 AM