



## Frances Slovensky Elrod

December 10, 1944 - September 20, 2022

Frances Slovensky Elrod, age 77, of Bessemer went to be with the Lord on September 20, 2022. Frances is survived by her husband of 28 years, Billy Joe Elrod; daughter, Cristy Elrod; grandchildren, Jamie Cowherd, Haley Martin (David) and Emily Stone (Aaron); great- grandchildren, James David and Cassidy Elizabeth Martin, and Jordyn Denise Elrod; sisters, Mary Ann Hand (Donald) and Pat Maxwell; brothers, Jimmy Slovensky (Liz), Ron Slovensky (Debbie) and Donald Slovensky (Pam); countless cousins, nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Frank and Margaret (Spanick) Slovensky; daughter, Amy Wells; grandson, Joseph Cowherd; brother, Phillip Slovensky; and brother-in-law, Greg Maxwell.

Frances was a 1963 graduate of Minor High School and moved to Washington, D.C., to work for the FBI. She later worked as a legal assistant for numerous real estate attorneys in the Birmingham area for over 30 years. She was a member of St. Stanislaus Catholic Church in Wylam and the First Catholic Slovak Union (Jednota). Frances enjoyed helping various organizations with soup kitchens and food pantries and was involved for many years with the Trash and Treasures at Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church. She will be dearly missed by all her family and friends and her 4-legged baby, Abby, who gave her so many years of enjoyment.

The family wishes to especially thank the doctors of Cahaba Medical Group & UAB Medical Center West and all the nurses in the ICU who patiently cared for Frances.

A celebration of her life will be on Tuesday, October 4, 2022, at St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church in Hoover with visitation at 12:00n and funeral Mass at 1:00pm, followed by interment at St. Michael's Catholic Cemetery in Brookside. Services will be officiated by Very Rev. Vernon F. Huguley. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital (501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105, or online at <http://www.stjude.org>) (<https://www.stjude.org>)).

# Previous Events

## Celebration

OCT 4. 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church  
2061 Patton Chapel Road  
Hoover, AL

## Burial

OCT 4 (CT)

St. Michaels Catholic Church Cemetery  
228 Tiger Hill Road  
Brookside, AL 35064

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My prayers are for all the Slovensky family, especially her brothers and sisters. Butch and I had so many fun memories when we would all meet at Grandma Spanick's. Love to all, Ann Massey Gasterland*

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**Ann gasterland** - September 30, 2022 at 10:28 AM