

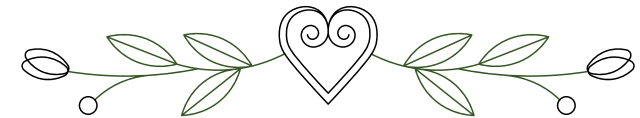
Beth Ann (Schwenke) Prince, 79, of Mount Vernon, formerly of Columbus, passed away from Lung Cancer at Mount Vernon Health and Rehabilitation Center on June 11, 2025. A Celebration of Life Service will take place on July 12, 2025, at Gay Street United Methodist Church, 18 North Gay Street, Mount Vernon, OH 43050 at 11:00am with a lunch after.

Born in Columbus, OH on December 5, 1945, Beth graduated from Linden McKinley High School in 1963, Capital University in 1967. Beth performed in many concerts and plays in High School and College. Worked at Channel 6 in Columbus children's religious show "Wonderbox" followed by working at WOSU – TV News, worked next at Communications Department at the Ohio Youth Commission, American Society of Nondestructive Testing, State Teachers Retirement System doing publishing. Beth started her own business: Kramer Communications doing publishing, event planning and communication skill training.

Beth was very active in her church. Sang in the choir, children's moment, helped teaching adult Sunday School and started Midwest Mission drop off location for Ohio. She loved flower gardening and antiquing.

Beth was preceded in death by her parents Richard L. and Mary Edith (Jones) Schwenke, husbands J. Daniel Kramer and Gary A. Schumacher. She is survived by her husband Michael L. Prince; brother Todd (Sharon) Schwenke of Waynesville, OH and many nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, Memorial Contributions can be made in Beth's memory to: Interchurch Social Services of Knox County, 306 West Gambier Street, Mount Vernon, OH 43050.



Beth Ann Prince

December 5, 1945 – June 11, 2025

Celebration of Life

Beth A. Prince

Pre -Service

Partita on Lobe Den Herren
(Praise to the Lord)
Arr. by Charles Callahan

Janet Guetle

Prelude

It is Well With My Soul
Philip P. Bliss, Arr. by Margaret Bos

Janet Guetle

WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Christopher Liberati

Pastor: We have gathered here this morning in God's presence as family and friends to remember the life of Beth Ann Prince, to commend her soul into the gracious care of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. We come together in grief, acknowledging our human loss. May God grant us grace, that in pain we may find comfort, in sorrow hope, in death resurrection.

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us pray.

Eternal God, whose gift is life and whose presence is hope, grant us the power of your Spirit to transform our present pain into courage for living. Enable us to remember and rejoice in Beth's life shared with us, that in memories celebrated we would know your love for us. With trust in your care, move us beyond all unfulfilled longings into healing and hope. Grant us the strength for life in the present, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

INVOCATION

Gathering Hymn

How Great Thou Art

UM Hymnal 77

CENTERING OUR HEARTS

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Lauren Clawson

Lord's Prayer

Scripture reading – Psalm 23

Reflection

Anthem

River In Judea
Arr. by John Leavitt

Chancel Choir

Time of Remembrance

Mary Crumm, Holly Paulson, Patter Cross

Special Music

If You Could See Me Now
Words & Music by Kim Noblitt

Duane Barber

Sermon text:

Colossians 1:16

Hebrews 13:16

Galatians 6:10a

Meditation

“Dream Big”

Rev. Christopher Liberati

Hymn of Parting

Amazing Grace

UM Hymnal 378

BENEDICTION

Rev. Christopher Liberati

Postlude

Fanfare on Praise to the Lord
Arr. by Charles Callahan

Janet Guetle

