



## Judith Elizabeth Gottesman

January 10, 1960 - January 5, 2021

Written by Jeff Gottesman (husband)

Judy Gottesman 1960-2021

Judy can well be described as an exceptional Empath. She always was able to “connect” with others on a level that most people rarely understood. As a massage therapist for many years, she was able to perform this healing art in ways that quickly assured her a long line of dedicated clients who were truly disappointed when she left Dallas to move to East Texas. Her talents came through, however, in many other ways. Her poetry won her many awards and accolades, and artistic endeavors included amazing art guitars, sewing, crafts, shadow boxes, and whatever she could imagine from her box of mysterious “junk” that she was always rummaging through. Her home art studio was almost as well equipped as a Hobby Lobby store.

Judy's love of music was always at the forefront of her mind. She met me at an acoustic folk music concert and after we wed, we created a successful music venue in East Texas to bring their favorite singer/songwriters to new audiences.

Always sensitive to other people's feelings, her sweetness and understanding has always been a pleasure to be around.

I will deeply miss her...

We will hold a private graveside service, due to COVID, at Rose Hill Cemetery on Friday, 1/8/21 at 11am. The service will also be livestreamed on Zoom for those who wish to join. To get the Zoom link, please register at [OurKaddish.com](http://OurKaddish.com)

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Alzheimer's Alliance of Smith County ([www.alzalliance.org](http://www.alzalliance.org)) or The Hospice of East Texas ([www.hospiceofeasttexas.org](http://www.hospiceofeasttexas.org)). Both have helped me get through all of this.

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JAN 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

Rose Hill Cemetery  
2400 S. Donnybrook  
Tyler, TX 75702

# Tribute Wall

MH

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Margaret Hess - January 07, 2021 at 05:17 PM

MH

“ Judy was always there to help me. She would send me little cards and gifts. I felt truly loved by her. She was very special to me.

Margaret Hess - January 07, 2021 at 05:15 PM

JG

Thanks Aunt M. I remember when this photo was taken. You were very special to her as well.

Jeff Gottesman - January 21, 2021 at 12:36 PM

LE

“ Jeff - I am so very sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Laura Eltife

Laura Eltife - January 07, 2021 at 05:14 AM

JG

Thanks Laura. Many people at the lake knew and loved her and will miss her terribly

Jeff Gottesman - January 21, 2021 at 12:35 PM