

Legacy of an Adopted Child

Once there were two women
Who never knew each other.
One you do not remember
The other you call mother.

Two different lives,
Shaped to make yours one.
One became your guiding star
The other became your sun.

The first gave you life
And the second taught you to live in it.
The first gave you a need for love
And the second was there to give it.

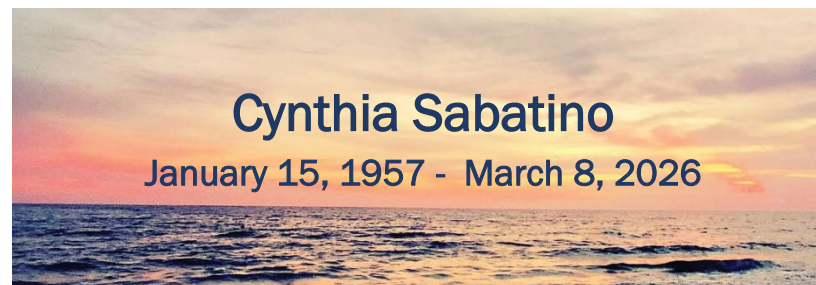
One gave you a nationality
The other gave you a name.
One gave you the seed of talent
The other gave you an aim.

One gave you emotions
The other calmed your fears.
One saw your first sweet smile
The other dried your tears.

One gave you up
It was all that she could do.
The other prayed for a child –
And God led her straight to you.

And now you ask me through your tears
The age-old question through the years
Heredity or environment –
which are you the product of?
Neither, my darling, neither
Just two different kinds of love.

Anonymous



Welcome

"Amazing Grace" #202

Scripture Reading – Psalm 23

Pastoral Prayer

Hymn # 4 "How Great Thou Art"

Congregational Reflections

Eulogy

Final Hymn "I'll Fly Away" #554



Cynthia Patricia Janakas Sabatino passed away on March 8, 2026, in her home in Raymond, NH, in her sleep. She was born on January 15, 1957, in Greece.

She came to America on March 13, 1959, to Haverhill, Massachusetts, where she was adopted by Anthony and Mary Janakas, alongside her brother Anthony. She graduated from Haverhill High School and worked at various jobs before starting her own real estate business, IDEAL Real Estate, which she ran for many years, making many clients happy.

All her life she enjoyed many different things, including reading, the beach, Keeshonds, and spending time with her grandchildren. Forever a benevolent person, she was always very kind to anyone, always willing to see the bright side of anything, and loved many.

She is survived by her husband, James Bernard Sabatino, and her two children, James Sabatino, Jr.--and his wife Altanzul Dashdondov Sabatino, --and Christopher Sabatino, as well as her three grandchildren, Kai-sune Miller, and Sophia and Sabrina Sabatino.

She was predeceased by her parents Anthony and Mary Janakas, as well as her brother Anthony.

