

Remembering Catherine Jane Waddell

(née Brewer, known as Cath)

1967 – 2024



Cath was born in Aberdeen but spent the majority of her childhood in Sheffield and would consider herself a Sheffield girl.

Cath went to Hull University upon leaving King Ecgbert's school and later forged a career in Human Resources in a number of industries. She married Bob in 1998 after they met at Toyota manufacturing in Derby and they had two daughters together, Megan and Lucy. They lived very happily as a family unit in Barton Under Needwood in Staffordshire. Cath loved to keep fit and spent many happy hours running or walking around the surrounding area to their home.

Cath was diagnosed with cancer in 2007 and continued to live with and fight this terrible disease until her death in 2024. This in no way determined who Cath was, as she carried on with life with great gusto never complaining or seeking pity from anyone. Cath always thought of everyone else before herself and was one of the kindest people you could wish to meet. She left a legacy of love and kindness and will never be forgotten by all who were privileged enough to have met her.

Please feel free to pick a damson from her tree as that is what she would have wanted and may it bring you luck and love in your life.

