



*Let yourself settle into calm
abiding peace. Take a breath of life,
in this moment. Here is the wellspring of
forgiveness. Here is the place where judgment
ceases, and love begins. Grace touched our hearts not
only because of her love, but also because she left
judging behind and shared her loving sweetness so
freely. We are all touched by her because she
held everyone in acceptance, in
allowance, in forgiveness; not by
any great effort, but by her
very nature.*



*In loving celebration
Grace Lavender Sharples*

February 10th, 1947 to October 29th, 2021



Grace (below right) and her twin sister,

Marty (above left) at 74 years old.

“The deeper the self-realization of a woman, the more she influences the whole universe by her subtle, spiritual vibrations, and the less she herself is affected by the phenomenal flux” —Parmahansa Yogananda



Service

Welcome — Matt Davis

Centering Prayer — Jasper McMurtry

Hymn: 'Tis A Gift To Be Simple

Remembrance — Jean Stubenrauch (+Ed)

Scripture: Philippians 2:1-11

Remembrance — Phil Sharples

Hymn: For The Beauty of the Earth

Scripture: Matthew: 18 1-5;18-22

Remembrance — Nathan Sharples

Song — Caitlin McMurtry

Holy Silence and Community Sharing

Benediction — Matt Davis