



JoAnn Graves

February 19, 1935 - January 13, 2019

JoAnn Graves left this life January 13, 2019. She was born February 19, 1935 to Ralph E. Willis and Sarah L. Weston. JoAnn was a proud graduate of Howe High School. Professionally, she dedicated nearly 30 years of her life in service to the public—first with IMPD, and then in the medical field. JoAnn lived her faith as a member of both Irvington and Old Bethel United Methodist Churches. Her family always made her proud, her trust in God was unyielding, and her love for Hershey's chocolate was never-ending.

She is survived by her daughter, Cathy (Donald), granddaughters, Emily Rowe (Andrew Bean), Jenny Crowe (Zach), Lauren Mabee (Chris), great-grandsons, Max, Jack, and Carson, brother, David Weston, niece, Mary Baumeister (Kevin), sister, Debbie Prevost (Armand), and brothers, John Willis (Karen), Mark Willis (Marty), and Ted Willis (Sandy).

We could all learn from how JoAnn lived her life. She would want us to wake up early and watch the sunrise. Walk in the woods and feed the creatures God has gifted to us. Show His love and appreciation to everyone you meet. Soak up the wonder and innocence of children. Love God and your family with all your heart.

Her family would like to express their deep gratitude to all of her wonderful caregivers, including the staff at Zionsville Meadows, St. Vincent Hospital and Medical Group, and St. Vincent Hospice.

Visitation will be Friday, January 18, 2019 from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. and Saturday from 12 noon until the time of the service at 1:00 p.m. at Shirley

Brothers Fishers Castleton Chapel, 9900 Allisonville Rd.

Cemetery Details

Washington Park East

10612 E. Washington St.
Indianapolis, IN 46229

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 18. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel
9900 N. Allisonville Road
Fishers, IN 46038
(317) 841-7878
info@shirleybrothers.com
<https://www.shirleybrothers.com>

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JAN 19. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

JAN 19. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ JoAnn was a very very old friend, we grew up together on Bosart Ave. in Indianapolis. I'm so far away that I've lost track of her and so sorry to learn of her passing. Almost all the Bosart kids are gone now...and there was a bunch of us. RIP JoAnn.



Jayne Lewis (nee Moore) - January 19, 2019 at 03:42 PM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of JoAnn Graves.



January 18, 2019 at 09:33 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of JoAnn Graves.



January 17, 2019 at 05:30 PM

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“ So sorry for your family's loss. She was so sweet to us and especially Grandma. She always had such nice words for her and all of you. She will be greatly missed. We Love you, Aunt Nyla

Nyla Staples - January 16, 2019 at 12:23 PM

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“ *The one thing that I will always remember about sweet JoAnn is that she was always thanking everybody for everything all the time! Heaven is a sweeter place to be now!*

Toni Whitehead - January 15, 2019 at 08:34 PM