



Joan E. Chesney

February 14, 1959 - December 13, 2021

Joan E. Chesney, age 62, of New Haven, passed away on December 13, 2021. She was born on February 14, 1959, in Detroit, to the late Stanley and Eleanor Zielinsky. She married Terry Chesney, he preceded her in death June 22, 2012.

She is survived by her daughter, Jennifer Arnold and grandson, Eli Zurakowski, along with several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her brothers; Art Zielinsky and Stan Zielinsky. A Celebration of Life will be held on Wednesday, December 29, 2021 in the Jowett Funeral Home 57737 Gratiot, New Haven, from 2:00pm - 5:00pm. Memorial contributions can be made to the wishes of the family.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

DEC **29**. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *In Memory - Angel Figurine, 8.25 in was purchased for the family of Joan E. Chesney.*



December 29, 2021 at 02:46 PM



“ *I met Joan when my family and I were new to the neighborhood. She stood out among all the people we met that night, welcoming us into her home and even giving me a hug. Over time we became acquainted more and her giving, loving nature was revealed. I would take her grocery shopping and she was always surprise me by giving little nice things to the kids and I. She was remarkably thoughtful and respectful of my likes and beliefs. She was definitely a gem, tucked away in a common neighborhood but I am so glad to have discovered her.*

Julie Sears - December 29, 2021 at 10:53 AM



“ *"I Have You In My Heart" Cremation Pendant & Infinity Scarf Gift Set was purchased for the family of Joan E. Chesney.*



December 28, 2021 at 01:52 PM



“ *Meadows of Memories was purchased for the family of Joan E. Chesney.*



December 28, 2021 at 01:36 PM



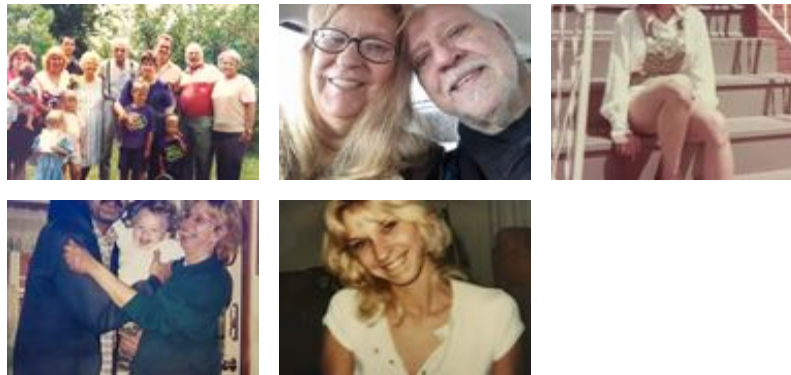
“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Joan E. Chesney.*



December 27, 2021 at 03:39 PM



“ *26 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Jowett Funeral Home and Cremation Service - December 23, 2021 at 01:30 PM



Goodbye, Dear Joanie.

Katherine Chesney - December 29, 2021 at 01:00 PM

Mary Oleksyn

“ Joan and my daughter Eva worked together at transfiguration school. They were good friends Joan was very helpful when I came to teach preschool for a period of time . I have wonderful memories of Joan.

Mary Oleksyn - December 18, 2021 at 09:44 AM

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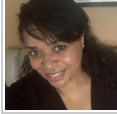
“ Joanie & I burned our bras in the cemetery behind our houses. It was a thing to do in the early 70's. Her dad caught us smoking in the shed in the backyard. I'll never forget that. We would sneak out at night to meet boys. So many coming of age memories. She was my best friend growing up. I'll never forget her. She's with the angels now. RIP Joanie

Janet Starr (Stasinski) - December 17, 2021 at 09:05 PM

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Joan and I work together at Transfiguration in Pre-School we had became best friends we did a lot together with our Pre-School kids we went on field trips together I remember the day Joanie got married to Terry he was the sweetest person Joan was like a sister to me we had some good times together every time we lost contact with each other we always managed to find one another the last time I talked with Joan was last year on Facebook at that time I didn't know she was as sick as she was she was a beautiful friend when she got married and left me at Transfiguration it truly broke my heart but we always kept in touch. My heart and Prayers go out to her daughter and grandson. Praying for healing and strengthen for the family. Love and Prayers Donna Jones (Mrs.Donna) That was my Pre- School name cause when they call me Mrs.Jones Joan would answer and when they call Ms. Joan I would answer 😭🙏😭 so everyone called me Mrs. Donna. Too my beautiful friend rest in heaven no more pain no more suffering SING WITH THE ANGELS 🙏🌹🙏🌹🙏🌹🙏🌹

Donna Jones - December 18, 2021 at 06:21 AM



Joan you are amazing and any one who knew you was blessed! I knew from the moment I met you, you were a person full of Joy ! That happy smile and awesome laugh was the brightest part of many of my days! Thank You for always being so kind and teaching others to be the same way. You were the sweetest Preschool teacher and when I lost my mother you were there to comfort and show my siblings love. This is a year of losing the good ones and you definitely one of the good ones. Give Lisa a hug for me and we will laugh together again. Until then I Love You Joanie!

Carol Williams-Cruz - December 29, 2021 at 02:29 PM