



JoAnn J Wadley

October 27, 1933 - January 28, 2021

JoAnn J. Wadley, age 87, of Bourbonnais, passed away on Thursday, January 28, 2021 at her home. She was born on October 27, 1933 in Kankakee, the daughter of Joseph Butters and Adela Rogacz Butters Paulauskis. JoAnn married Philip E. Wadley on October 14, 1951 at St. Rose of Lima Church, Kankakee.

JoAnn was a homemaker. She was a parishioner of St. John Paul II, Kankakee.

JoAnn loved her family especially her three grandchildren, Corey (Julie) Mills, Benjamin Preston, Brittani Overacker; three great-grandchildren, Abigail and Kaitlyn Mills, Ayden Alayoubi; and her cat, Rio Suite.

Surviving are two daughters and three sons-in-law, Andrea (Jeffrey) Preston of Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin, Kimberly (Donald) Rapier of Bradley, and John Abbott of Apollo Beach, Florida.

JoAnn is preceded in death by her husband; her daughter, Kristine Abbott; her parents; one brother, Vince Paulauskis; stepfather, William Paulauskis Sr.; and stepbrother, William Paulauskis Jr.

Private family services will be held.

Private Inurnment will be held at Mt. Calvary Cemetery, Kankakee.

Memorials may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, Memphis, Tennessee or New Beginnings for Cats, 7701 E 3500 North Road, Bourbonnais.

Arrangements are being handled by Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home,

Bourbonnais.

Cemetery Details

Mount Calvary Cemetery

2000 E. Court St.
Kankakee, IL 60901

Tribute Wall



“ From our entire family, our deepest sympathies. My grandparents Joe and Rita Morris lived next door and I know became great friends with your parents. Many prayers for love and support 🙏 - Jim and Maggie Kuckie and family

Maggie Kuckie - February 14, 2021 at 02:01 PM

BI

“ Please except my deepest Condolences at the loss of your mom. I have such fond memories of your folks, They were so good to my parents. May your memories keep her close and you carry her in your heart. Continued prayers

Beth Wadley Irps - February 05, 2021 at 08:12 AM

HS

“ My deepest condolences to the Wadley family. Andrea and I were good friends in highschool and I remember spending lots of time at their house on 6th avenue. Mrs. Wadley was always so kind. Years later, I would "run into" Mrs. Wadley at Jewel Osco. It was always good to visit with her. Thoughts and prayers to the family.
Helen (Sublette) Spriggs

Helen Spriggs - January 31, 2021 at 10:48 AM

TW

My deepest sympathy goes out to the Wadley family. Andrea and I were friends and classmates my prayers for you all.

Tom Wasser - February 03, 2021 at 04:32 PM

MB

So sorry to hear .JoAnn has passed I was in grade &high school with her Also in her wedding party

Mary (Cryer) Bertrand - November 14, 2022 at 01:09 AM

PH

“ I knew JoAnn as “Ann’s mom”! I met them in the ‘70’s. What a sweet family! Bill and I send our love and condolences.

Paulette Hartley - January 29, 2021 at 09:43 PM