



Carolyn E. Johns

May 10, 1943 - December 5, 2020

Carolyn E. Johns age 77 of Amboy IL died Saturday Dec 5, 2020 at Liberty Court Assisted Living. She was born May 10, 1943 in Chicago, IL the daughter of Henry and Caroline (Manning) Gerdes. Carolyn was a Human Resources Director at the LaSalle Veterans Home prior to her retirement. She was on the board of directors at the Pankhurst Memorial Library, and a member of the Amboy Womans Club, Amboy Community Organisation, Depot Days Car Show Committee and the United First Church of Amboy. She enjoyed watching old television shows like Mash, and the Game Show Network. She also loved her "Grand-dogs" and was always ready to go to lunch. Carolyn is preceded in death by her parents and sister Joan Haas. She is survived by her sons Timothy Johns of Dixon IL, Daniel (Kristine) Johns of Dixon IL, brother Henry (Cynthia) Gerdes of Amboy IL, sister Juanita Foley of Cincinnati OH, and 3 grandchildren Jaedin, Jaesen, and Jessalin Johns. A visitation will be Wed Dec. 9 2020 from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM at the Mihm-Jones Funeral Home in Amboy. Services will be at 1:00 PM following the visitation at the Mihm-Jones Funeral Home in Amboy IL with Pastor Mark Glenn officiating. Burial will follow at Woodside Cemetery in Lee Center IL. A memorial in Carolyn's memory can be made to the Granny Rose Animal Shelter in Dixon IL. Arrangements made by the Mihm-Jones Funeral Home in Amboy, IL.

Cemetery Details

Woodside Cemetery

Lee Center, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 9. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Mihm-Jones Funeral Home, Amboy
303 East Main Street
Amboy, IL 61310
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Tribute Wall



“ Carolyn E. Johns

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ Carolyn E. Johns

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ Carolyn (aka Gert) was one of my best friends and classmates! I am sorry that I couldn't be there for the funeral as I am in Texas. Prayers for all of the family!

Carolyn Masters Olson

Carolyn Olson - December 10, 2020 at 11:44 AM



“ Tim and Dan, she was one of a kind, a great lady. Although Eunice and I can't be there in person we will be with all of you in spirit. She was my sounding board at the Home. Prayers to your families.

jim arrington - December 10, 2020 at 10:55 AM



“ Jim Arrington sent a virtual gift in memory of Carolyn E. Johns



jim arrington - December 10, 2020 at 10:47 AM

CD

“ I’ll never forget working with Carolyn at the Illinois Veterans Home at Lasalle. One of the best people ever.

Cheryl Damron - December 09, 2020 at 03:17 PM

JM

“ I am so sorry to hear of Carolyn’s passing. I didn’t keep close contact with Carolyn over the years, but it sounds like she was a true volunteer in the community. What I remember about her was the fact that in Highschool she did the same. If you needed something done you could always count on Carolyn Gerdes. She was one of our “brains”! And the other thing that made Carolyn stand out was her beautiful red hair!

I know she will be missed and I TrueType hope you have beautiful memories of her.

In sympathy, Janet Kessel Metheny, Redington Shores, Florida



Jan Metheny - December 09, 2020 at 12:03 PM

GS

“ Gary Sylvia Schultz lit a candle in memory of Carolyn E. Johns



Gary Sylvia Schultz - December 09, 2020 at 09:12 AM

TJ

“ 2 files added to the album Memories Album



Tim Johns - December 09, 2020 at 07:32 AM

TJ

“ You were the best mother a son could ever have. I love you with all my heart. Love your son, Tim

Tim Johns - December 09, 2020 at 07:29 AM