



Joan M. Suzio

February 22, 1950 - June 1, 2019

Joan M. Suzio, 69, of Libertyville, passed away on Saturday, June 1, 2019 at Advocate Condell Medical Center in Libertyville, IL. She was born February 22, 1950 in Detroit, MI and has been a Libertyville resident for the past 25 years. Joan received her Bachelors degree from DePaul University of Chicago and was a member of Trinity Community Church in Libertyville. She was an interior decorator in Lake County most of her life, owning "Decorating Den Interiors".

Surviving is her husband of 29 years, Bob Rettig; 2 step daughters, Trista (Erik) Wilde and Marnie (Luke) Lukenbill; 5 grandchildren, Kieren, Nathan & Nolan Wilde and Camryn & J.R. Lukenbill; siblings, Paul (Pat) Suzio, Mary (Jim) Fraser, Richard (Val) Suzio, Jim (Linda) Suzio, Patty Ridley, Bob (Kate) Suzio and Michael (Jessica) Suzio and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Tony & Dorothy Suzio and also by her sister, Ann Marley.

A visitation will begin at 6:00 p.m. followed by a service at 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, June 12, 2019 at Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, 120 W. Park Ave. (Rt. 176, one block west of Milwaukee Ave.) in Libertyville. Memorial contributions can be made to the Epilepsy Foundation of Greater Chicago. For info: 847-362-3009 or share a memory at www.burnettdane.com.

Events

JUN **Visitation** 06:00PM - 09:00PM

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Burnett-Dane Funeral Home

120 West Park Avenue, Libertyville, IL, US, 60048

JUN **Memorial Service** 08:00PM

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Comments



“ Joan was such a wonderful mentor and support when I started my Decorating Den Business in 1998. She was a beautiful person inside and out and a highly talented one indeed.

My husband Ed and I will fondly remember the trips we took with Joan, Bob and others on Decorating Den Grand Destination Vavations. Oh what delightful times indeed.

Rest in peace sweet. Joan and may the perpetual light of God shine upon you. Our sincere condolences to her husband Bob and the entire family.

Marya Taylor - 12 hours ago



“ Dear Husband and Family of Joan,
I am so saddened by her passing. We anticipated our 50th reunion from Rosary HS. Had a wonderful time which continued into an after party. We said our goodbyes when Bob picked her up with the promise of meeting this summer.

How shocked I was to hear of her passing. What a remarkable and talented woman she was. It was evident in the classes we shared.

Her beautiful face and smiles are found in many pages of our memory book.

My sincerest condolences are extended to you all.

Fondly,

Sue Wozniak



Sue Wozniak - 16 hours ago



“ Joan was a colleague of mine in our interior design businesses! I always enjoyed seeing Joan at conference and other events. She will be sadly missed. Hugs to you Bob and family. Carol Stearns

Carol Stearns - June 11 at 06:49 AM



“ Bright and Beautiful Spray was purchased for the family of Joan M. Suzio.



June 10 at 09:08 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Joan M. Suzio.



June 09 at 10:19 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Joan M. Suzio.



June 08 at 01:19 PM



“ Tim and Marianne Prokop purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Joan M. Suzio.



Tim and Marianne Prokop - June 08 at 09:10 AM



“ The Ball Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Joan M. Suzio.



The Ball Family - June 07 at 02:55 PM



“ I posted this on my page the day after Joan died. My friend Joan Susio went to be my Lord, yesterday. She was first my neighbor, next my friend, and then my sister in Christ. It all started with my dog Joanna playing with her dog Dillan. We chatted as we watched them play. We shared our lives. I loved her family and she loved mine. Our husbands became friends as well over snow blowing and yard work. Later Bob was and is a good friend and a brother, a dad to my son, James. Laina would have a chat with Joan when she needed a listening ear. Joan and Bob's home was a safe space for many of all ages. They truly have a gift of hospitality! I could not find a picture of her but I will keep looking. I will see you again my forever friend.

Janice Meuth - June 06 at 07:58 PM



“ I grew up with memories in and out of Joan and Bob's house being the crazy kids that Marnie and I and all of our friends were :-) this makes me so sad! I love you Marnie and the whole Rettig family! :-)

kristen (haines) scangarello - June 04 at 08:44 PM



“ It was a honor and gift to know Joan Suzio! My life would not have been complete without her kindness toward me! I mean I know she must have enjoyed my company because the year i came out to Chicago for summer vacation she invited me over---- and she cooked for me! Which was a shocked to all her family! This happened over 20 years---and it still makes me smile when i think about it! My deepest sympathies go out to all of Joan's family and friends!

MARC BOHLEN - June 04 at 08:37 PM



“ Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joan M. Suzio.



June 04 at 01:16 PM



“ Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Joan M. Suzio.



June 04 at 12:23 AM



“ My wife and I have known Joan and Bob through church for many years. The picture posted on the site is such a good choice because it captures Joan's intelligence and joy. When I think of Joan, I remember how much she loved Jesus, how much she wanted everyone to know him, and how she prayed faithfully for people who wanted someone to pray for them on Sundays after church. On a lighter note, I remember hearing how Joan and Bob's neighbor, Joe, would bark like a dog and start Joan and Bob's dogs barking. May God comfort Bob in the loss of his dearly loved wife.

John Stevenson - June 03 at 09:47 PM



“ It is true! Joan loved Joe anyway.

Janice - June 06 at 07:54 PM



“ Bob, May God comfort you and your family in this time of sorrow. Joan was always smiling and loved God, I will miss her.

Andrea Clark - June 07 at 12:25 PM