



Joan-Marie Henninger

January 22, 1930 - December 13, 2017

Joan-Marie Henninger left us peacefully, surrounded with family, on December 13, 2017. It is time for her next adventure with Charles who has been waiting for her.

Joan was born on January 22, 1930 in Queens, NY to Anthony and Augusta Steinhauser. She was truly blessed with a happy life. Her family spent many summers living in an awesome old army tent while together they built their summer bungalow near Wildwood State Park, picked vegetables on the local farms and played on the rocky beaches of Long Island Sound. She married Charles, the love of her life, in 1953. They had a truly happy marriage and 4 rotten kids. Together they lived in Queens, NY, Ossining, NY, Purchase, NY then moved to Norwalk, CT when Charles took a job with the Town of Greenwich. Joan also had a job for the Town of Greenwich as a Director for the Senior Center. Joan was an integral part of shepherding the senior center from a small gathering in a church basement to taking over the town hall. She made all of the seniors feel welcome and included. After retiring they moved to Fort Collins to be with their Colorado family. They traveled and worked for Catholic Charities making friends and happily settling into Colorado life.

Joan loved her family, she loved her husband, she loved her children and she loved her job. It really doesn't get much better. She was always gentle and

kind. We will miss her.

Joan is survived by her son Richard, daughter Carolyn Myers (husband Don and grandson Matthew and his wife Kaitlin), son Thomas (wife Heidi grandsons Zach and Nate).

There will not be a formal celebration of her life, we ask you to hold her in your heart often and think of her and her contented manner. At her request, we will spread her ashes in the same location as Charles'. She will "catch up with him from there".

Tribute Wall



“ *Joan-Marie Henninger*

October 25, 2022 at 06:14 PM



“ *I was blessed to know the Henninger family when they moved to Marvin Beach in Norwalk, CT. Mrs. Henninger was so kind to me and being a very heavy teen, at one point, I had only two dresses to wear and there were no catalogs back then. In just a part of a day, she whipped me up a pretty yellow and white checked dress and you can't know what that meant to a sad, lonely teen of 14 with next to nothing to wear. She was an angel who knew exactly what was needed and by whom. I will never forget her generous, gentle ways and how she gave of herself with quiet joy. You're in my prayers, Mrs. Henninger. I love you. CB (Linda) Bracken.*

Linda Bracken - December 18, 2017 at 05:26 AM

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“ *It is with a heavy heart I send my condolences to Joan's family whom she left with memories of a life well lived. We came to know Joan and Charlie during their time at Rigden Farms, living down the hall from my mother.*

The trio, Joan, Sally, and my mother were a force to be reckoned with on the second floor. The countless puzzles and tales while around the table outside their doors kept them close through their years there. Joan's friendship meant a lot to my mother and for that our family is forever grateful.

Rest In Peace Joan, you are now eternally at peace with your beloved Charlie.

Pam and Mike Orzell

Pam Orzell - December 17, 2017 at 01:06 PM

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“ *I will always remember what a light Joan was and how welcomed she made me feel. We were blessed to share a bit of the journey with her and you all.*

Deb & Michael Arloski

Deborah Arloski - December 13, 2017 at 07:06 PM



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Goes Funeral Care & Crematory - December 13, 2017 at 05:15 PM