



Joann B Nelson

August 12, 1933 - November 2, 2014

Nelson, Joann B. , Tinley Park resident of the Parkside neighborhood since 1954, passed away Nov. 2, 2014. Loving Ma of Steve (Kathy) Nelson of Grayslake; Grandma of Jessica (Nick) Schultz of Vancouver, WA, Kelsey Nelson of Grayslake; Dear Aunt of Sandra (Larry) Dirker of Tinley Park; Great-aunt of Amy and Adam Dirker of Tinley Park. Dear friend and neighbor of Mike and Eloise Heatherly. Joann was preceded in death by her husband of 54 years, Norman Nelson in 2010, and her cherished sister Jeanne (late David) McKalip. Born in Sauk City, WI to the late Pliny and late Irma Brunsell, Joann lived in Delaware and Maryland, before moving to the Chicago area. She worked as a bookkeeper in an electronic services business before enjoying gaming, cards, decorative painting, crafts and puzzles in her retirement. She volunteered for PAWS and was a member of the American Women's Auxiliary. Visitation will be held on Tues., Nov., 11, from 11:00 a.m. until the time of Funeral Service at 1:00 p.m. at Heartland Memorial Center, 7151 183rd St., Tinley Park, IL. In Joann's memory memorials may be directed to PAWS, 8301 191st St, Tinley Park, IL 60487. To sign guestbook or for info visit heartlandmemorial.com or call 708-444-2266.

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Nelson Family,

I am so sorry to hear of the loss of Joann. I went to school with Joann at St. Cyril Catholic Elementary and Loretto High School in Woodlawn. After she got married, we lost touch with each other and I had moved to Miami, Fl. We reunited when she was on the Alumni committee for the Loretto High School reunion. After that, over the years when I was visiting in Chicago, we met up for lunch. We had fun talking about our days when we were young and catching each other up with our families. I have been trying to call her for several months and only get a recording (No voice mail to leave message). My daughter is visiting me right now and I asked her to get on the internet to see if I had right number, only to find that she has passed. If you would like to contact me you can reach me at my email: momee32@aol.com.

Again, I am sorry for your loss and my prayers are with the whole family. She was a great friend and I will miss her.

Maureen Mee-Peterson

Maureen Mee-Peterson - March 21, 2015 at 01:08 PM

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“ Dear Steve and Family,
I am so verry sorry to read of the loss of your wonderful Mom, Joann. You probably do not know that your Mom was my Confirmation Sponsor at St. George way back in the 60's. And I am sure you remember my brother, Ed. All of the time you two spend together playing baseball! Our Parents were good friend for many, many years. I loved your Mom. Just after my Dad passed away, I took a chance and stopped by to see her at her house. Remember... you showed up but did not recognize me! It was a great reunion.
She will always be a very favorite people in my life... Only the great memories! Your Dad was an awesome man, too. I'd see him when he was shopping in Jewel. Well, now all 4 of our parents are back together again. That gives me peace. Steve, when my Mother passed away in 2000, my Dad had been gone since 1966, but one really important thing to remember is the fact in knowing that OUR PARENTS are back together again and always will be. God bless and keep you, Joann! I will miss you always. God bless you Steve and your wife and family.
Love Always,
Patty Murphy-Beale
rrbeale@aol.com



PATTY MURPHY-BEALE - November 09, 2014 at 11:29 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Joann B Nelson.



November 06, 2014 at 11:07 AM

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“ *Sending our sincere condolences for your loss.*
The Bartemios - Lake Zurich, IL

Amy Bartemio - November 06, 2014 at 08:29 AM