



Jean Vonnahme

August 9, 1951 - October 3, 2019

Jean Vonnahme, 68, of Carroll died Thursday evening, October 3, 2019 at her home in Carroll surrounded by family.

Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, October 8, 2019 at St. John Paul II Parish – Holy Spirit Church in Carroll. The Celebrant will be Fr. Kevin Richter. Mass Servers will be: Jack Badding, Brock Badding and Fletch Badding. Music will be by Jake Gute. Lector for the Funeral Mass will be Karyn Sapp. Gift Bearers will be: Samantha Baumeister, Cody Baumeister, Derrie Vonnahme, Taye Vonnahme, Braxton Vonnahme, Avah Vonnahme, Scarlett Vonnahme, Bria Moeller and Kash Moeller.

Eucharistic Ministers will be Joni Badding, Tamie Badding and Joan Kerwood. Casket Bearers will be: Kevin Forke, Brian Forke, Shawn Schaefer, Brad Vonnahme, Bruce Baumeister, and Ron Wittrock. Burial will be in Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Carroll.

Friends may call at the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll after 4 p.m. on Monday where there will be a Christian Wake Service at 7 p.m. The casket will be moved to Holy Spirit Church on Tuesday morning where additional visitation will be held from 9:30 – 10:15 a.m.

Funeral arrangements are under the guidance of the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll and online condolences may be left for Jean's family at www.sharpfuneral.com.

Born on August 9, 1951 in Carroll, IA, Jean was the daughter of Vernice and Lila (Ricke) Forke. She spent her childhood in the Maple Park neighborhood

in Carroll and graduated from Kuemper High School. On September 19, 1970, Jean married Robert Vonnahme at Holy Spirit Church in Carroll. Together they had three children, Shelby, Dana and Brandon. Jean worked from a young age, starting her career as a bookkeeper at Deluxe Cleaners and then with General Electric where she spent 22 years before their shutdown. Jean started working for Advantage One Credit Union which later was bought by Iowa Community Credit Union and then became Dupaco Community Credit Union where she later retired from.

Jean loved working on her Sudoku books, watching soaps and game shows, and most of all spending time with her grand and great grandchildren. She was an avid supporter of all her grandkids and rarely missed any event they participated in. Jeans favorite times were when one, or even two, would climb up on her lap and let her hold them. She was sure to let everyone know how much she loved them.

Jean is survived by her husband Robert Vonnahme of Carroll, her daughters Shelby Baumeister (Sean Drumheller) of Carroll, Dana (Matt) Collison of Carroll and a son, Brandon (Teresa) Vonnahme of Carroll; eleven grandchildren: Samantha Baumeister (Eddie Vogl), Cody Baumeister, Derrie Vonnahme, Taye, Braxton, Avah, Scarlett Vonnahme, Savannah, Spencer Sullivan and Seth Drumheller; two great grandchildren: Bria Moeller and Kash Moeller; her siblings: Veda (Norman) Stougard of Des Moines, Lynn (Sandy) Forke of Carroll, Joan (Bill) Anderson of Des Moines, Gary (Kath) Forke of Carroll, and Vern (Shannon) Forke of Onawa; her sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law: Peggy Forke of Carroll, Marcella Patton of Carroll, Randy (Darlene) Vonnahme of Wall Lake, Ron (Mary) Vonnahme of Carroll, Mary (Kevin) Hike of Lake City, Marilyn Miller of Fonda, Marge (Todd) Mumm of Westside, and Richard (Leslie) Vonnahme of Carroll.

Jean was preceded in death by her parents Vernice and Lila (Ricke) Forke, her parents-in-law Martin and Juanita (Kuker) Vonnahme, three brothers, Dale, Lyle and Glen and brother-in-law Floyd Patton.

Tribute Wall

DT

“ *Debbie Tegeler lit a candle in memory of Jean Vonnahme*



Debbie Tegeler - October 28, 2019 at 02:04 PM

MS

“ *Sending my deepest sympathy to Jean's family. I worked with her for many years at General Electric.*

Maxine Semmens - October 17, 2019 at 06:05 PM

DH

“ *Jean was a wonderful, kind and sweet person. I had the pleasure of working with her at the dry cleaners and GE. My sympathy to her entire family.*
Deb Hargens



Deb Hargens - October 11, 2019 at 11:46 AM

JJ

“ *Josh & Jess purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Jean Vonnahme.*



Josh & Jess - October 09, 2019 at 10:30 AM

SZ

“ *Sheryl A Zimmerman lit a candle in memory of Jean Vonnahme*



Sheryl A Zimmerman - October 08, 2019 at 04:12 PM

SZ

My deepest sympathy to the family. Wishing you peace to bring comfort, courage to face the days ahead and loving memories to forever hold in your hearts.

Sheryl A Zimmerman - October 08, 2019 at 04:13 PM

JW

“ *My parents (Ron and Elaine Wittrock) lived near Jean and Bob on Troy Dr, and I remember visiting them on many summer evenings. Jean was always so kind. My thoughts are with Bob, Shelby, Dana and Brandon during this difficult time.*

Jill Wittrock - October 07, 2019 at 08:00 PM

RE

“ *Jean was a wonderful lady. I always enjoyed our conversations through out the years she could always make me smile. My heart goes out to her family!!!*

Rick Eighmy - October 07, 2019 at 04:17 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jean Vonnahme.*



October 07, 2019 at 06:33 AM



“ *I always enjoyed visiting Jean at the credit union. She had a crush on my brother, Gary. He and her oldest brother were friends. That was a long time ago! We laughed about that a lot! Sympathy to all who loved her!*

connie bock - October 06, 2019 at 10:44 PM



“ *I worked with Jean many years at GE... She was a very good friend of mine I will miss her.... I was very surprised of her death... I did not know she was sick... God Bless the family*

Mary Jo Broich - October 06, 2019 at 08:57 PM



“ *Bev Kollasch lit a candle in memory of Jean Vonnahme*



Bev Kollasch - October 06, 2019 at 07:45 PM

CK

“ Jean was such a wonderful person. I will remember her always.
Cindy Klocke

Cindy Klocke - October 06, 2019 at 03:19 PM

SP

“ Sharon Promes lit a candle in memory of
Jean Vonnahme



Sharon Promes - October 05, 2019 at 10:21 PM

MM

“ Mary Ann Moore lit a candle in memory of
Jean Vonnahme



Mary Ann Moore - October 05, 2019 at 03:42 PM



“ Garden Accent - "Someone you love..." was
purchased for the family of Jean Vonnahme.



October 05, 2019 at 07:40 AM

KJ

“ *Kristi Jorgensen lit a candle in memory of Jean Vonnahme*



Kristi Jorgensen - October 04, 2019 at 10:41 PM

PP

“ *My deepest sympathy to Bob and his family. Jean was the sweetest person inside and out always there for others. She will be truly missed by all. 🙏 Gods Blessings Phyllis Poggensee and family*

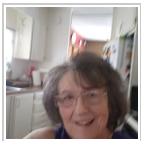
Phyllis Poggensee - October 04, 2019 at 10:28 PM

TS

“ *Tracy Sturm lit a candle in memory of Jean Vonnahme*



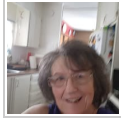
Tracy Sturm - October 04, 2019 at 09:29 PM



“ *Linda Fischer O'Tool Beidler lit a candle in memory of Jean Vonnahme*



Linda Fischer O'Tool Beidler - October 04, 2019 at 06:15 PM



Bob and family, this special lady has earned her reward in heaven, but has been taken from us to soon. Her smile brings back many memories of laughter we shared. Thinking of you all, sending hugs. Sorry I can't be there in person, but with you in thoughts.

Linda Fischer O'Tool Beidler - October 04, 2019 at 06:20 PM



Jean was a very close friend of mine... We worked at GE for many years together... She is a very kind and wonderful person... Yes I'm sure her family will miss her

Mary Jo Broich - October 05, 2019 at 07:43 PM

CO

“ *Cathy Olson lit a candle in memory of Jean Vonnahme*



Cathy Olson - October 04, 2019 at 04:44 PM

CS

“ *My Sympathy to Jean's family from a fellow former General Electric Employee.
Carleen (Nieland) Schwieso*



Carleen Schwieso - October 04, 2019 at 04:28 PM

MW

“ *Jean was Example of a True Friend may God wrap his loving arms around her and all of you God bless you Mary and Russell Wulf*

Mary and Russ Wulf - October 04, 2019 at 01:03 PM