



Jeanette Jane Chaloupka

July 23, 1942 - December 23, 2021

Jeanette. J. Chaloupka

With gratitude for her loving presence in our lives, we announce that our dear mom, Jeanette Chaloupka, age 79, peacefully left this world on December 23, 2021.

Jeanette enjoyed the simple pleasures in life: a cup of boiling tea served with gingersnaps; long walks with her dogs; lilacs and peonies; Mozart, Bach, Enya, Roger Whittaker; Butterfinger Blizzards; crisp air; a hot bath; silence. Her greatest joy was being a proud and supportive mother -- a role in which she succeeded beyond measure. Oftentimes she remarked that her happiest days were spent with a baby in her arms.

In heaven, she reunites with her parents, Charles and Margaret Mallarkey, and beloved pets. On Earth, her loving spirit continues to surround her children, Christine Larrabee (Bardsson), Jillian Van Hefty (Steve), Amy Chaloupka-Cabrera (Eduardo), Michael Chaloupka (Anna), and Eric Chaloupka; grandchildren, Madeline, Jackson, Alex, Charlie, Noah, and Andrew; and countless devoted friends.

She was classy, independent, hilarious, hard-working, sublime, and lovely in every way -- a stubborn Scottish lassie until the very end. Alzheimer's Disease was no match for her!

An afternoon tea celebrating her life will be held in Spring. Because of Jeanette's devotion to all creatures great and small, memorials are

appreciated in her honor to the Marathon County Humane Society, 7001 Packer Drive, Wausau, WI 54401. "Heaven is where you get to see all the dogs you ever loved."

Tribute Wall

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“ *My condolences to Jeanette’s kids and grandkids. Your mom / grandma was one of the nicest, funniest, kindest people I have ever had the privilege of knowing and working with. We could always count on a good laugh when Jeanette was around. She loved sharing stories about you kids and grandkids. Thoughts and prayers go out to you all. - Paula Overend*

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