



## JoAnn Wilson Findell

March 19, 1933 - January 6, 2023

Jo Ann Findell died peacefully Friday, January 6, 2023 at the age of 89. She was born Jo Ann Wilson on March 19, 1933, the daughter of the late Lewis and Eugenia Wilson. Jo is survived by her husband of 68 years, Roger Charles Findell; her two children, Gary Charles Findell (daughter Eleanor, son Peter), Nan Findell Bertelson (husband Paul, son Drew & wife Rachel); her little brother, Jack Wilson (Marylou); and numerous nieces, nephews, and dear friends scattered throughout the U.S. Lost far too early in her life were her beloved daughter, Sue and grandson, Brett Bertelson.

Jo's life revolved around her husband, children and grandchildren to whom she was absolutely devoted. She and Roger were a great team that designed and decorated custom built homes. Relationships meant the world to her. She lived to love and serve others. (And sew!) She was very involved at her beloved Colonial Church of Edina (now Meetinghouse Church) since being married there in 1954.

Many thanks to the incredible staff at Minnesota Masonic Home for the love, care and devotion they showed Jo over the last 2 years. A celebration of Jo's life will be held in late spring/early summer with details posted later. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to Beyond Limits College ([beyondlimitscollege.org](http://beyondlimitscollege.org)); 6820 Auto Club Rd Suite P, Bloomington, MN 55438.



# Tribute Wall

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“ Jo was Not just my sister-in-law but a best friend also. She was Always there for me when I went to the hospital to have another baby she would take care of the ones that were left at home. And then when I would get home, she had that beautiful hot dish waiting for me! She will be missed by all. She was one of a kind.!How wonderful it must be to be with Brett and Sue again!

Dorothy Vizenor - January 23, 2023 at 07:04 PM

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“ What I remember of childhood gatherings at Auntie Jo's house... always love, always good food and always order!! She could sew or cook anything! As an adult, I will remember her as the sweetest woman alive.

barbara Finn Evans - January 23, 2023 at 06:20 PM

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“ Jo was always such a joyful, uplifting and positive presence during our 19 years at Colonial, 15 of those while I led music in staff. Heidi and I enjoyed her so much. She is greatly missed, and her legacy of faith and service lives on! Rest well, Jo. 🙏❤️

Tim Sawyer - January 23, 2023 at 11:30 AM

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“ Jo was a very sweet and generous person who made you feel like family. I'll always remember her bringing rice pudding for me on 4th of July and it felt nice that she thought of me specifically. I will miss her and am thinking of her family and friends and regretting their loss.

Paul Keiski - January 23, 2023 at 09:23 AM