



Nancy Jean Johnson

October 1, 1944 - August 25, 2023

Nancy (Potter) Johnson passed away August 25, 2023 in her home in Riverview Florida surrounded by her family. Nancy was 78 years old.

Nancy was born in Minneapolis, Minnesota on October 1, 1944. She graduated from Minnetonka High School 1962. She met Randy during high school and was married March 23, 1963. Nancy graduated from an Art Technical School in Shreveport, LA and worked in the art department at the Shreveport Times. Nancy became the Art Director for a few years until we moved to Florida in 1987. Nancy was an amazing artist and focused a lot on watercolor. She worked many art fairs around the Tampa Bay area selling her art. She also did custom watercolor portraits of peoples pets. Nancy's craft lives on in many homes. In addition, Nancy was an accomplished landscaper for her homes and thoroughly enjoyed cooking. Nancy was everything art. And always wanting to get her Family together.

Nancy is survived by her 5 kids and their significant others; Mark (Kelly), Paul (Cyndi), Chris (Jan), Greg (Barb), Mitch (Cynthia), Brother Larry Potter (Wisconsin,) her sister, Jill Conson (Florida.) Nancy also leaves behind 13 grand kids and 6 great grandchildren. She is also survived by her beloved pets; Teddy, her puppy and Skipper, her bird for over 32 years.

Nancy is preceded in death by her husband of over 40 years, Randy Johnson,

her granddaughter, Emily, her sister, Judy, her parents, Harold and Lorraine Potter and her grandparents Florence and Newt Potter of Owatonna, MN. Florence and Julius Olson of Minneapolis, her in-laws Marjorie and Ronald Johnson and all the family members we enjoyed our times with throughout the years.

Our mom worked hard for our family working to keep us 5 kids fed, healthy and happy. She was married to our dad (Randy Johnson) for over 40 years. There was nothing they could not work through together and were a role model to us all. Our mother will be dearly missed.

Nancy's celebration of life is being held at St. Olaf's Catholic Church -

215 South 8th St Minneapolis, MN 55402

Details:

9:00am viewing starts.

10:00am Mass

11:15 gathering

12:15pm Procession to Lakewood Cemetery

Address: 3600 Hennepin Ave - Minneapolis, MN

In Lieu of flowers we suggest a donation to an animal or bird sanctuary

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **15.** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Olaf Catholic Church
215 South 8th Street
Minneapolis, MN 55402

Church Service

SEP **15.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Graveside Service

SEP **15.** 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Lakewood Cemetery (Minneapolis)
3600 Hennepin Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN 55408

Tribute Wall



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Nancy Jean Johnson.*



September 13, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *May God bless all of the Johnson family. Mom & Dad are in heaven together proud of all of you. Loved your Mom as if she was my own...she was my second Mom...God Bless*

Joe

Joseph Snyder - September 12, 2023 at 04:26 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Nancy Jean Johnson.*



September 12, 2023 at 04:22 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Nancy Jean Johnson.*

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



September 11, 2023 at 08:31 PM



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“ *Condolences to all the family. I am glad she went peacefully. I enjoyed many dog walking sessions with Nancy while living near her on Blue Heron in Ruskin. She truly was an artistic person and had the most beautiful lawn and landscaping. She will be missed. Grateful I ran into her a few months back*

Michelle Clark - September 11, 2023 at 12:21 PM



My heart and prayers go out to each of her 5 adult kids. They came together as one to manage through her final days. I know her mommy heart would be pleased. Nancy will be missed by all who knew her!!

Lori Chapman - September 11, 2023 at 04:56 PM