



Joan Marie Hoffman

July 12, 1924 - August 6, 2022

Joan Marie Hoffman, age 98, of Jasper, Indiana, passed away peacefully in her sleep on Saturday, August 6, 2022.

Joan was born on July 12, 1924, to William and Margaret (Grenough) Dudine. She married Bernard "Bernie" Hoffman on June 12, 1947. He preceded her in death in December 1979.

Joan spent her formative years in Indianapolis. She attended St. Joan of Arc Elementary and St. Agnes High School before returning to Jasper High School. Following graduation, Joan was a legal secretary for her father, Judge William F. Dudine.

Joan and her husband owned and operated Hoosier Business Machines and later Hoffman Office Supply. Throughout her life, she could be seen walking daily in her neighborhood. She was a dedicated volunteer at Precious Blood Catholic Church and school in Jasper in a variety of capacities.

Joan leaves a legacy of community involvement, devotion to her family, and her faith and love of life.

She was a member Precious Blood Catholic Church.

Joan is survived by her children; Don (Sandy) Hoffman, Arlington Heights, IL,

Howard (Mary Anne) Hoffman, Indianapolis, IN, Mike (Cheryl) Hoffman, Jasper, IN, and Jan (Roger) Hurlbut, Carmel, IN, 12 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren, and sister; Mary Elise Schaaf, Michigan City, IN.

Preceding her in death are her parents, husband, and siblings; Agnes Keene, Marilyn Woodruff, William F. Dudine Jr, infant brother David Dudine, and a granddaughter, Sally Hurlbut.

A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated for Joan Marie Hoffman at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, August 12, 2022, in Precious Blood Catholic Church in Jasper, Indiana. A burial will follow in Fairview cemetery in Jasper.

A visitation will be held from 9:30 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. service time on Friday, August 12, 2022, at Precious Blood Catholic Church.

In lieu of flowers, those wishing to make a memorial donation in Joan's honor can do so to their favorite charity or to the Precious Blood Catholic Church Endowment.

The family wishes to extend their sincerest appreciation to the management and staff of St. Charles Health Care Center for the care she received in their hands the past six years.

Online condolences may be made at www.becherkluesner.com.

Cemetery Details

Fairview Cemetery

1020 Kundek Street
Jasper, IN 47546

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 12. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Precious Blood Catholic Church
1385 W 6th St
Jasper, IN

Mass of Christian Burial

AUG 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Joan Marie Hoffman*

January 01, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of your mom's passing. Please accept our sympathy.*

Jerry and Gail Gramelspacher

Jerry & Gail Gramelspacher - August 12, 2022 at 09:48 AM



Thanks so much for thinking of us.

Howard Hoffman - August 21, 2022 at 07:48 AM



“ *Doug and I are saddened to hear of your mom's passing. In my mind's eye, I can see Joan walking along 9th Street, morning, noon and evening, to and from home and work! She was a special lady.*

Jane Braun - August 11, 2022 at 12:46 PM



She could walk faster than I could, and she was 30+ years older than I am! Thanks for your kind thoughts!

Jan Hoffman Hurlbut - August 23, 2022 at 11:08 AM

JD

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Jane Dudine - August 10, 2022 at 05:11 PM

JD

I just came across this picture and i cried!!

Jane Dudine - August 10, 2022 at 05:12 PM

JH

*Wow. I remember that trip. Thanks for sharing!
Jan*

Jan Hoffman Hurlbut - August 11, 2022 at 04:20 PM

JH

“ *Jan,
So very sorry to hear about the loss of your dear Mom. Prayers out
to you and your family.*

Jane Buechler Harrahill - August 09, 2022 at 06:22 PM

JH

Jane - thanks so much!

Jan Hoffman Hurlbut - August 23, 2022 at 11:06 AM

MW

“ *Howard, Jan, Mike and Don, I always admired your beautiful
mother. So sorry for your loss.
Margaret Dudine Wentz*

Margaret Wentz - August 09, 2022 at 08:03 AM

HH

Thanks for your kind thoughts, Margaret.

Howard Hoffman - August 21, 2022 at 07:38 AM

CH

“ *My sympathy and prayers to the entire Hoffman family. Joan was an amazing woman. We appreciate all her help and devotion to Precious Blood School and Church. May Joan enjoy eternal rest with her beloved husband.*



Chris Bohnert Hinkle - August 09, 2022 at 07:57 AM

JH

Chris - thanks for your comments. PBS was very special to her!

Jan Hoffman Hurlbut - August 23, 2022 at 11:07 AM

MK

“ *I have such fond memories of our summer trips to Jasper all those years ago. The best part of the week was staying at your home. Your mother always made room for all of us cousins and made us feel welcomed. I remember “helping” her make chocolate chip cookies; which have never been surpassed!
I am so sorry for your loss...
Margaret Schaaf Kallassy*

Margaret Kallassy - August 08, 2022 at 10:04 PM

JS

*Don, Howard, Mike and Jan,
The world is a better place because of Aunt Joan
So many happy summer memories include the Hoffman gang, with your mother "at the helm". May sweet memories comfort you at this time of loss...
Jeanne Schaaf Strickland*

Jeanne Schaaf Strickland - August 12, 2022 at 07:33 PM

HH

Can never forget eagerly awaiting the arrival of your family's packed station wagon when you'd come to Jasper for a visit. A lot of "togetherness" but what fun! Both our moms were exceptional "helmswomen". Thanks for your note, Jeanne.

Howard Hoffman - August 21, 2022 at 07:47 AM

HH

Thanks to you, too, Margaret.

FYI: The Dudine cousins were well-represented at mother's funeral by Melle and Jim Keene. We really appreciate them traveling for the event. So good to see them; just not enough time to get caught up about ALL the cousins. Best regards to you all.

Howard Hoffman - August 21, 2022 at 07:59 AM

JD

“ Don, Sandy, Howard, Mary Anne, Mike, Cheryl and Jan So sorry for your loss. I have wonderful Memories of Aunt Joan, she taught me a lot! My thoughts and prayers are with you.



Jane Dudine - August 08, 2022 at 05:28 PM