



Janice Carol Edwards

August 23, 1943 - November 26, 2021

Dateline: Alton, IL

Janice Carol Edwards, 78, died at 8:26 a.m. on Friday, November 26, 2021 at St. Joseph's Health Center in St. Charles, MO. She was born August 23, 1943 in Alton the daughter of the late Leslie Howard and Glova (Halford) Fletcher. She was a member of Brown Street Baptist Church and was a self-employed beautician for many years. On October 18, 1965 in Alton, she married Melvin Edwards and he preceded her in death July 12, 2020. Surviving are two daughters, Marie Wesolowski (Gary) of St. Louis, MO and Lee Anne Edwards of Alton, one son, Timothy Edwards (Stacey) of Edwardsville, six grandchildren, Elizabeth Meals (Jordon), Wesley Edwards (Megan), Steven Davis (Cailin), Lauren Wesolowski, Logan Wesolowski, Dreya Colley, six great grandchildren, Sadie Meals, Maximus Meals, Arya Meals, Ethan Edwards, Dylan Edwards and Owen Davis, and one sister, Leslie Craig (Carl) of Manchester, TN. She was preceded in death by her stepfather, Nelvin Williams and one brother, Blair Williams. Visitation will be from 9:00 a.m. until time of funeral service at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, December 4, 2021 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. Reverend Eric Lloyd will officiate. Burial will be at Upper Alton Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Brown Street Baptist Church, 3125 Brown St., Alton, IL 62002. (618)465-8588. Additional information and online guest book may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 4. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home & Cremation Services
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Funeral

DEC 4. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Janice Carol Edwards*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Janice Carol Edwards*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *My dear cousin, Janice, will be greatly missed. It makes me very sad, but I'm so happy we were able to communicate with one another these past few years. We laughed, shared stories and enjoyed our conversations with each other just like when we were kids and later adults.*

My mother and her dad were brother and sister. I send peace and love to all of the family. Please know that she loved and cared for all of you very much. When you can, think of those special memories and smile. She would like that.

Nancy Holloway Henry

Nancy Holloway Henry - December 03, 2021 at 02:29 AM

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“ It is with great sadness that I head of the passing of my dear friend, Janice. Our family has been friends with Janice for almost 60 years. We had good times together and kept in touch through the years even though we were not in the same location. Janice and Mel named their daughter after my sister and myself - Marie Joanne. She struggled with health issues for the past years and now we know that she is free of those physical problems. I will not forget you Janice but am sad knowing that you are no longer here on earth. You are in a better place. Love, Joanne Hamilton Jones

Joanne Hamilton Jones - December 02, 2021 at 08:01 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Janice Carol Edwards.



December 02, 2021 at 02:53 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Janice Carol Edwards.



December 02, 2021 at 02:34 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Janice Carol Edwards.*



December 02, 2021 at 10:07 AM



“ *The only comfort comes from the love of Jesus and knowing that Jannie is with her Heavenly Father. Her suffering and pain are eternally healed and her joyful spirit can soar again. My prayers and love are with all of the family during this time.*
Cousin, Denyse Colliatie

Denyse Colliatie - December 01, 2021 at 08:38 PM



“ *Loving Grace was purchased for the family of Janice Carol Edwards.*



December 01, 2021 at 01:14 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Janice Carol Edwards.*



December 01, 2021 at 11:33 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Janice Carol Edwards.*



November 29, 2021 at 05:11 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Janice Carol Edwards.*



November 29, 2021 at 03:34 PM