



Joan M. Wrobel

July 5, 1951 - May 15, 2022

Joan Wrobel, 70 of Kearney, died Sunday, May 15, 2022 at her home surrounded by family. Memorial mass will be held 10:00 a.m. Friday, May 27, 2022 at St. James Catholic Church in Kearney with Father Joe Hannappel officiating. Inurnment will be held at St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery in Humphrey, Nebraska. Family will receive friends 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Thursday, May 26, 2022 at O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home in Kearney.

Memorials are suggested to the family. Condolences may be shared online at www.osrfh.com. Services are entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home in Kearney.

Joan was born July 5, 1951 in Columbus, Nebraska to Luke and Theresa (Zach) Wieser. She grew up in Columbus and graduated from Columbus Scotus High School. After high school, Joan attended St. Mary's College. She was united in marriage to Scott Wrobel on September 28, 1991 in Columbus. In 1994 the couple moved to Kearney. Joan worked as an administrative assistant in medical records at CHI Good Samaritan Hospital from 1995-2017. After she retired, she worked part-time at Mirror Image.

She enjoyed gardening, yardwork, reading, and her dogs. She was a member of the St. James Catholic Church and Choir. She was also active in Interfaith

Caregivers, Meals on Wheels and various other volunteer organizations.

Left to cherish her memory are her husband, Scott Wrobel of Kearney; daughter, Michelle Shingle of Kearney; son, Paul Wrobel of Kearney; grandchildren, Ben Nicholas, Dylan Shingle, Wyatt Shingle, and Alex Hubbard, all of Kearney; brothers, Ted (Theresa) Wieser of Lincoln, NE, Paul (Stacy) Wieser of St. Louis, MO, Andy (Paulette) Wieser of Columbus, NE, Bill (Sandy) Wieser of Harlan, IA, Bob (Cindy) Wieser of Columbus, NE, Joe (Sonya) Wieser of Columbus, NE; sisters, Diane (Don) Vanecek of Blair, NE, Rose (Bill) Held of Rapid City, SD, Sandy (Joe) Disomma of Plattsmouth, NE, Jayne (Ed) Martin of Lee Summit, MO; father-in-law, Joseph Wrobel of St. Louis, MO; brothers-in-law, Doug Hayden of Gladstone, MO, George Menke of Columbus, NE, David (Beverly) Wrobel of St. Louis, MO; sister-in-law, MaryJo (Robert) Freeman of St. Louis, MO.

She was preceded in death by her parents; sisters, Nora Wieser, Judy Menke, and Genee Hayden; mother-in-law, Lorraine Wrobel; nephews, Ben Held and Ryan Wieser.

Previous Events

Family receiving friends

MAY **26**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Homes and Cremations
4115 Ave N
Kearney, NE 68847
(308) 234-3500
info@osrfh.com
<https://www.osrfh.com>

Funeral Mass

MAY **27**. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. James Catholic Church
3801 Avenue A
Kearney, NE 68847

Tribute Wall



“ *Joan was a wonderful singer, Had a beautiful voice for singing at mass. I shall miss her. She was full of the Holy Spirit and loved Jesus.*

Janey Dubas - March 09, 2024 at 04:34 PM



“ *Joan M. Wrobel*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *Joan was a classmate of mine in elementary and high school. I greatly admired her her intelligence, beautiful voice and the wonderful smile she inherited from her mom. Though I was very shy in high school, I always enjoyed talking with her at class reunions. My deepest sympathies to you Scott, Michelle, Paul and to the Wieser family on the loss of Joan. It is sad that she died this way but also a relief as she doesn't have to suffer in this life anymore. You have a powerful advocate in heaven for you all in her. Remember her frequently in your daily lives. My prayers are with all of you.*

*Mike Krzycki
Columbus*

Mike Krzycki - May 25, 2022 at 09:18 AM



Thank you Mike. We appreciate it. Michelle.

Michelle Shingle - May 25, 2022 at 02:14 PM



“ *Peaceful Reflections Cross "Memories" was purchased for the family of Joan M. Wrobel.*



May 24, 2022 at 07:32 PM



“ *Joanie and I were great friends throughout the 80's and she was highly respected by all who met her. Joanie had a quick laugh, great smile and was a friend to everyone. My prayers go out for her, her family, and her many friends....*

Jim Schwartz - May 22, 2022 at 10:57 AM



“ *Aunt Joan was such a kind, warm, loving person. I will miss her hugs and laugh. All my love to you Uncle Scott, Paul, and Michelle.*

Rachel - May 21, 2022 at 02:26 PM



Thank you cousin.

Michelle Shingle - May 25, 2022 at 02:16 PM



“ *Joan was a classmate of mine through grade school and high school. Warm, friendly, charismatic, beautiful voice just a lovely person. My deep and sincere sympathy to the family.*
Kathy Kudron, Omaha, Ne

Kathy Kudron - May 20, 2022 at 09:33 PM

SG

“*Joan and I went to High School together...sharing a love of music and participating in ALL the concerts put on by the choir and chorus...we also were members of the Nebraska All-State Choir our Senior year. She was a good friend, fun person and always seemed to have a smile. I know Gods Choir sounds better since she has joined. Rest in Peace, Joan.*

Suzanne Gilsdorf - May 20, 2022 at 08:53 PM

CF

“*I am so sorry to learn of Joan's passing. We were fellow transcriptionists at Good Samaritan hospital. Joan was always so helpful. She was professional as well as personable and friendly. My sympathy to her family on this great loss.*

Connie Fie - May 19, 2022 at 01:14 PM

SG

“*I have such fond memories of Joan from our high school days at Scotus. She was smart, articulate and just fun to be with. I will always remember Joan as a very caring person with a great smile and a determination to be her best. I was blessed to have known her. May she rest in God's Peace.*

sue gonka - May 19, 2022 at 08:14 AM

AZ

“Joan was one of the most positive and generous people I’ve ever been blessed to know. She treated me like I was one of her own children, and she ALWAYS had a smile and big hug ready for me whenever I came through her door. My deepest sympathies to you all as you grieve her passing. May we all be mindful to pause and thank God for Joan’s life, rejoice that she is now free of Earthly pain, and stay joyful in the hope that we’ll see her again in Eternity! With all my love, Angela Zoucha

Angela Zoucha - May 18, 2022 at 07:19 PM

PS

“Joan was a fellow medical transcriptionist and was very dedicated to her work. Joan was a willing mentor to fellow transcriptionists, a very caring professional. I will miss you my friend.

Pat Snyder - May 18, 2022 at 01:16 PM

MS

Thank you Chickie.

Michelle Shingle - May 25, 2022 at 02:17 PM

CA

“For many years Joan and I were in church choir as well as part of a group providing music for monthly meetings of Magnificat, a Catholic women's praise group. Her loving example helped me to be a better person! I'm so sorry for your loss.

Cynthia Archwamety - May 17, 2022 at 12:05 AM