



Joan Kay Patterson

February 18, 1940 - February 17, 2022

Joan Kay Patterson, (maiden name, Joan Kay Gilbert), died peacefully in the presence of her beloved family in Anderson, IN on February 17, 2022.

Born in Anderson on February 18, 1940, Joan is survived by her loving husband, Dick Patterson, her son, Rick Patterson (daughter-in-law, April Patterson, granddaughter, Ripley and grandson, Dylan), daughter Rebecca Patterson (son-in-law Seth Kramer), step-son, Mike Patterson, brother, David Gilbert (sister-in-law Kay), sister, Marjory Spaulding, niece, Amy, and her church family.

Valiantly battling Motor Neuron Disease in her latter days Joan remained until her last day, kind-hearted, strong in faith, and razor-sharp in her mind. Class valedictorian of Anderson High School in 1958, Joan would go on to repeat this feat in 2011 as a 71-year-old curve-wrecking college student at Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana.

Joan served as an executive secretary in the intervening years at Delco Remy, Magnequench, and the Anderson Church of God Board of Missions. She cherished her church family at Calvary Baptist Church where she served as pianist and in various leadership and educational roles. Joan read voraciously, engaged in card and board games competitively, and was at her happiest in the presence of her family. She is loved and missed by many, and

as the last line in Psalm 23 she has gone to "dwell in the house of the Lord."

Service will be on Wednesday, February 23, at 1:00 P.M. at Loose Funeral Home & Crematory, 200 W. 53rd Street, Anderson, with Pastor James Proctor officiating. Visitation will be on Wednesday from 11:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M. at the funeral home. Burial will be in Anderson Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, Joan believed in supporting the mission of Doctors Without Borders (doctorswithoutborders.org).

Online condolences may be shared at www.loosecares.com

Cemetery Details

Anderson Memorial Park

6805 Doctor M.L.K. Jr. Blvd.
Anderson, IN 46013

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 23. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Loose Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Joan Kay Patterson*



Loose Funeral Home - February 21, 2022 at 03:29 PM

JK

*Dick- we are so sorry to see that you have lost Joan! We were in Florida last month so were unable to make it to her service. We have such fond memories of our Christmas parties, boating together, and just hanging out & laughing! John would love to talk. Please call him 765.610.0283! Send our love & prayers
John & Connie K*

John Kanable - March 06, 2022 at 06:38 PM



“ *Dear Patterson family,
I was Joan's Spanish professor at Ivy Tech. She was such a lovely person and a joy to teach. She was always well-prepared for class, highly engaged in the Spanish conversations, and an excellent student. About a month ago, her former Ivy Tech advisor and I talked about what a great student she was and that she'd won the outstanding student of the year award. A great model for students one third her age, she was absent for only one class session out of all the classes she took at Ivy Tech. That has to be an attendance record.
I am sorry I was unable to attend her funeral. May God give you His peace and love as you mourn your loss. My deepest condolences.
Elise Sumner*

David Sumner - February 26, 2022 at 07:42 PM

LG

“ *I was Joan's academic advisor all the time she was studying at Ivy Tech Anderson, and I nominated her for outstanding student of the year for the East Central Region the year that she graduated. She won that honor, and I was so proud of her for her accomplishments. She was a model student in the truest sense of the phrase.*

Larry Gilbert

Larry Gilbert - February 23, 2022 at 09:36 PM

BI

“ *Rebecca,*

Our deepest condolences for you and your family. Wishing you peace and comfort during this difficult time.

*With caring thoughts,
Your BCI family*

Bat Conservation International - February 23, 2022 at 11:59 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joan Kay Patterson.*



February 22, 2022 at 09:59 PM

SC

“ *Dick and family,*

Krista and I are so grateful to God that we were able to have Joan in our lives for so many years. Our hearts are heavy and ache for you all at this time; but hope you are comforted as we are with the knowledge that she is healed and with her Savior and we will all be together again someday for all eternity. We will miss that infectious laugh and smile, her kindness, compassion and encouragement and her incredible faithfulness and hunger to know more about God's Word. We will continue to keep you in our prayers and her memories in our hearts.

Scott and Krista Camp

scott camp - February 22, 2022 at 07:03 PM

BB

“ Dear Mike and family. Julie and I send our warmest wishes and condolences.

Bruce Buchanan - February 22, 2022 at 01:37 PM

RH

“ Rodger and Nancy Harrison purchased the County Basket Blooms for the family of Joan Kay Patterson.



Rodger and Nancy Harrison - February 21, 2022 at 04:45 PM



“ 123 files added to the album LifeTributes



Loose Funeral Home - February 21, 2022 at 03:17 PM

CH

“ Chris, Sue, Aaron and Andy Hebert purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Joan Kay Patterson.



Chris, Sue, Aaron and Andy Hebert - February 21, 2022 at 10:50 AM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Joan Kay Patterson.*



February 21, 2022 at 08:48 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Joan Kay Patterson.*



February 20, 2022 at 08:28 PM



“ *Joan was a devoted wife & mother who loved her family very much. I will miss her smile, her sense of humor, and her sharp wit...*

Rest in the peace of our lord,..

Scott P.

Scott Patterson - February 19, 2022 at 10:49 AM



“ *Dick and family....so sorry to learn of JOANIE's passing. May she RIP..God bless you all. Jim and Judy Atherton.*

judy - February 19, 2022 at 09:10 AM



“ *Touching Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Joan Kay Patterson.* ”



February 18, 2022 at 08:12 PM