



Jo Lyn Nye

October 2, 1946 - December 10, 2024

Jo Lyn Nye, 78, of Napoleon, Ohio passed way suddenly after a brief illness on December 10, 2024. She was born in Toledo, Ohio on October 2, 1946, to the late Bryce and Esther (Engelman) Armbruster.

Jo Lyn was a member of the St. John United Church of Christ in Holgate, and Trinity Lutheran Church in Malinta. She served as the Postmaster for Malinta for over 30 years and then worked alongside of her daughter in the flower shop for 20 more years. Jo Lyn was a great homemaker who enjoyed having her family close. She enjoyed painting, crocheting, knitting and many other creative outlets. Jo Lyn also enjoyed traveling, especially taking bus trips.

She is survived by her children, Jim (Missy) Graper, Charissa (Keith) Hines, and Kori Ratliff; grandchildren, Jadon, Holly (Tony), Madison, Quinton (Elissa), Janay, and Bob; and 5 great grandchildren. Jo Lyn was preceded in death by her parents.

Funeral services will be held at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made in her honor to a charity of your choice. Online condolences and messages may be shared with the family at rodenbergergray.com.

Arrangements entrusted to Rodenberger-Gray Funeral Home, Napoleon.

Tribute Wall

HH

“ My dear friend Jo, my heart is missing your smile, laugh and wise advise. We shared many hours just talking, helping each other heal. Our many trips together. You dear Jo have been a true friend. I miss you dearly and always will. You will be an awesome angel. Until we meet again...I love You.

H Chris hunsberger - December 17, 2024 at 10:04 PM

JG

“ Kori and family, I was so very sorry To hear the news about mom. Jo was a very special lady with a huge heart! Any thing she did was with her love an beautiful creative talent! I'm thankful to still have a couple of her lovely scarves. I always wear for a little holiday glitter! I will continue to wear as a reminder of her wonderful friendship we shared . May the angels lead you Jo to paradise where we will meet again someday. Please know if there is anything I can do let me know! Gods blessings



Jerrie Gray - December 15, 2024 at 08:09 PM

BC

“ Kori. I am so sorry for your loss. What wonderful times we had together. I am so glad the two of you got to go on a bus trip together. JoLyn was so patient with me when I worked at Custar post office. Sending love and prayers to you and all of you family. Beth Cook

Beth Cook - December 15, 2024 at 06:17 PM

JR

“ So sorry for your lose. Your Mother was a very sweet lady. God Bless you all !!

Judy Rose - December 15, 2024 at 10:11 AM

RW

“ Kori, I was so sorry to read about your mother's passing. It's such a lovely photograph you chose. The world is so very different without our moms; but God has promised that we will see our loved ones again. In friendship and sympathy, Robin.

Robin Weirauch - December 14, 2024 at 08:05 AM

RC

“ A very personable postmaster, good organizer, with a keen sense of artistic talent in every task she tackled. She always tried to put a positive spin on both good and bad events in life. Spirituality was another major life dimension she always appreciated. Ret. Rev. David Coffin, West Union, Iowa

Ret. Rev. David Coffin - December 12, 2024 at 11:02 AM

VD

“ So very sorry to hear of the passing of Jo Lyn! She was a neighbor of my Mom's and oh so fun & creative! Thoughts and prayers for all the family! 🙏💔

Vicky Delventhal - December 12, 2024 at 10:26 AM

CR

“ Jo was a beautiful and talented woman. Sending love and prayers to her family.

Cindi Ratliff - December 11, 2024 at 06:27 PM