



Janice G. Dittmer

June 27, 1946 - June 1, 2024

Janice Gayle Dittmer was born on June 27, 1946 at Fairbury, Nebraska to Dayle E. & Emma G. (Korensky) Dittmer. She died on June 1, 2024 at Roseland, Nebraska at the age of 77 years, 11 months, and 5 days. She was one of 2 children born in the family.

Janice was baptized and confirmed at Grace Lutheran Church, rural Ohiowa. She was raised on a farm north of Ohiowa, and she attended country school District #39 north of Ohiowa from kindergarten to 7th grade. She moved to Ohiowa Public School in the 8th grade and graduated with the class of 1964. Janice remained on the farm with her parents until 1984, when she moved into Ohiowa. Throughout the years, Janice wore many hats and was never afraid of work. She helped her parents with all the necessary farm chores, mowed for a few families in Ohiowa, cleaned houses, and babysat, all while caring for her aging parents. Janice also volunteered at Grace Lutheran Church, teaching Sunday School and Bible School for several years. After Janice's father passed away in 1998, Janice and her mother moved to Shelton to be closer to family. While in Shelton, Janice took work at Morris Press before settling into a steady job at Baldwin Filters. In 2008, she decided it was time to retire from Baldwin. In retirement, Janice had a garden and enjoyed canning and raising her produce. She continued to care for her mother and also found time to clean for a few families and businesses in Shelton.

In 2009, Janice was surprised with a gift from her mother in the form of a shih-tzu puppy named Peanut Butter. Peanut Butter was a loyal friend and companion to Janice and gave her much joy. An annual tradition was Peanut Butter's picture with Santa Claus each December. Peanut Butter lived a good life and passed away in 2022.

Janice also cherished her relationships with family. She especially enjoyed a cruise with Richard's family, and as her health declined, she relied on her family and was grateful for their help with doctor appointments and other tasks that allowed her independence.

Janice was preceded in death by her parents, Dayle & Emma; brother, Richard Dittmer; and beloved dog, Peanut Butter.

She is survived by her sister-in-law, Sylvia Dittmer of Hastings, Nebraska; niece, Linda Hansen & husband Jeff of Roseland, Nebraska; nephew, Allen Dittmer of Kearney, Nebraska. great niece and nephew, Kimberly Branum & husband Sam of Bradshaw, Nebraska and Matthew Hansen of Bozeman, Montana.

A Funeral Service for Janice was held on Monday, June 10, 2024 at Faith Lutheran Church in Hastings, Nebraska. Pastor Josh Davis presided over the Funeral Services. The recorded selections "Waltz Of The Angels," "Ivory Palaces," "Here I Am Lord," and "In The Garden" were played during the Funeral Service.

Pallbearers included Todd Kalkwarf, Mark Kalkwarf, Tom Svehla, Dean Korensky, Glen Schrage and Larry Koncel.

A Graveside Service was held at 2:30 p.m. on Monday, June 10, 2024 at

Grace Lutheran Cemetery, rural Ohiowa, Nebraska. The recorded selections "Silver Lake Waltz" and "Peanuts Polka" were played during the Graveside Service.

Farmer and Son Funeral Home was in care of arrangements and online condolences can be left at www.farmerandsonfuneralhome.com

Memorials are suggested to the family.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 9. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Farmer & Son Funeral Home
242 N 10th Street
Geneva, NE 68361
(402) 759-3617
<https://farmerandsonfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

JUN 10. 10:30 AM (CT)

Faith Lutheran Church
837 Chestnut Avenue
Hastings, NE 68901
<https://afamilyoffaith.com>

Graveside Service

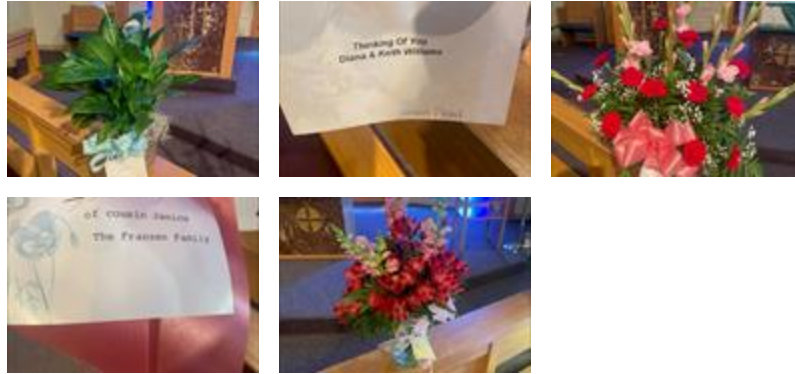
JUN 10. 2:30 PM (CT)

Grace Lutheran Cemetery
Road W & Road 20
Ohiowa, NE 68416

Tribute Wall



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“ My condolences to the family. Janice did so many kind and helpful things for my mother when she lived in Ohio. My mother lived across the street from the Dittmer residence. Her Christmas letter and a card always came early. The letters were long and in handwriting, most of the time covering a year of activity. I will miss those letters. I usually send cards just before Christmas, but for all these years, I never missed including a letter. My letters were shorter, but I let her know I cherished her friendship.

My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time of sorrow.

Dayle Williamson

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