



Joan Catherine Gilliland

November 5, 1940 - August 6, 2022

Joan Catherine Dooley Gilliland, 81, of Bloomfield passed away Saturday, August 6th 2022 at the Owen Valley Heath Campus. Joan was the most sincere, compassionate wife, mother, grandmother, sister, and friend.

Born November 5th, 1940, to her parents Clarence Monroe and Catherine Dooley. In her teen years, she met the love of her life and married Jerome David Gilliland on February 13th, 1957. Together, Joan and her beloved husband Jerry had five children: Patrick Gilliland, Pamela (Danny) Todd, Bradley Gilliland, Brian (Kristi) Gilliland, and Robert Gilliland. Joan was the grandmother of fourteen grandchildren including Mitzi Moss, Lana Romanoff, Valery Todd, Cheryl Brennan, Dana McGowen, Jerad Gilliland, Bret Todd, Ashley Shonk, Kristin Campo, Abbey Gilliland, Taylor Sawyer, Alley Arford, Maizy Gilliland, and Brennan Gilliland; 24 great grandchildren; and 4 great great grandchildren. Her surviving siblings include her sister, Barbara Dooley and brother, Mike Dooley.

Joan loved spending time with her family and did whatever it took to help provide. She always went the extra mile for those she loved, especially her dear husband Jerry and her five children. Joan had a contagious smile and enjoyed making those around her laugh. Her sweet soul will be missed by so many.

Joan was preceded in death by her parents, Monroe and Catherine; her brothers, Gene, David, and Richard; and her grandson, Curt Davis.

Visitation will be held from 10 A.M. on Saturday August 13th, until the hour of service at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield.

Services will be held at 1:00 P.M. on Saturday at Jenkins Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers the family asks that donations be made to the Indiana Parkinson Foundation, 14350 Mundy Dr., suite 800 #181, Noblesville, Indiana 46060.

Cemetery Details

Walnut Grove Cemetery

Walnut Grove Road
1458 S. Walnut Grove Road
Bloomfield, IN 47424

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 13. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Lester Jenkins and Sons Funeral Home Inc. - Bloomfield
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Tribute Wall

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“ *Connie Uland lit a candle in memory of Joan Gilliland*



Connie Uland - January 23, 2023 at 02:53 PM

MR

“ *Growing up in Bloomfield, I have lots of memories of your entire family. Joan had such an infectious smile. Sorry for your loss! Thinking of you all during this difficult time. May your cherished memories live on in your hearts forever* ❤️



Marcia Ranard-Perry - August 11, 2022 at 08:38 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joan Catherine Gilliland.*



August 11, 2022 at 06:47 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joan Catherine Gilliland.*



August 10, 2022 at 11:30 AM



“ *It has been my good fortune to have many good memories of Aunt Joan. Playing cards and rocking Pam when she was a baby, knowing them during their dating days and observing Joan being so concerned as Jerry recovered from a TC football concussion, she and Uncle Jerry visiting me in Washington, DC (they said it was one of their favorite vacations - mine too). It is sad to say goodbye, but it was sweet sharing some life with her and hers. One of my greatest blessings is the large extended family I was born into.*



Dave Damin - August 09, 2022 at 06:50 PM



“ *I knew Joan as I grew up in Bloomfield. Enjoyed her and her family.*

Jonas Uland - August 09, 2022 at 02:51 PM



“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Joan Catherine Gilliland.*



August 09, 2022 at 01:07 PM

CJ

“ *Candis Jackson lit a candle in memory of Joan Catherine Gilliland*



Candis Jackson - August 09, 2022 at 12:42 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Joan Gilliland*



Lester Jenkins and Sons Funeral Home Inc. - August 09, 2022 at 10:11 AM

JH

A beautiful, hard working lady. Heaven gain a special angel.

Janet Johnson Hargrave - August 10, 2022 at 03:48 AM