



Janice C. Rippinger

November 5, 1941 - July 1, 2025

Janice Carol Rippinger (nee Deist) passed away peacefully surrounded by her loved ones on July 1, 2025, in North Aurora Illinois. She was born on November 5, 1941 to Robert E Ankeny and Bette J Mitchell.

Jan graduated from East Aurora High School in June 1960, and worked at Provena Mercy Medical Center for over 20 years. She enjoyed being involved with her children and grandchildren; she was troop leader for Girls Scouts and Brownies as well as pack leader for Cub Scouts when her children attended St. Rita of Cascia School. Her grandchildren fondly remember the many trips to Missouri to the farm and cabin in the Northwood's. You could usually find her with a puzzle book or crocheting a blanket during her spare time.

Jan is survived by her five children Jon (Michelle) Rippinger, Phillip Jr (Karen) Rippinger, Elizabeth (Jamie) Rusch, Tricia (Joseph) Waterson, Jennifer Thompson (Tom) and her brothers Kip (Joanie) Deist, Roger (Martha) Ankeny and Bruce (Linda) Ankeny, her great Niece Kimberly McNish (Bernie) Frieders. Jan is also survived by many grandchildren and great grandchildren, nieces and nephews, Her Best Friend Mary and her beloved Skeeter.

Jan was preceded in death by her husband Philip, beloved mother, Bette Deist, and her father, Milzor "Bill" Deist.

Jan will be fondly remembered and deeply missed by her family and friends.

Janice's presence brought light and joy to those around her, and her memory will continue to live on in the hearts of all who were fortunate enough to know her. May she rest in eternal peace.

Visitation will be held Monday, July 7th at The Daleiden Mortuary (220 N. Lake St. Aurora, IL 60506) from 4-7 pm.

Funeral services will be held at Annunciation Church on Tuesday, July 8th 2025 at 10am. Interment will follow at Marywood Cemetery.

The family would like to give special thanks to the many people that touched Jan's life, including Maria with Seniors helping Seniors, The Bickford of St. Charles and Lighthouse Hospice Services.

Cemetery Details

Marywood Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 7. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Daleiden Mortuary
220 N. Lake Street
Aurora, IL 60506
(630) 631-5500
daleidenmortuary@gmail.com
<https://www.daleidenmortuary.com>

Funeral Mass

JUL 8. 10:00 AM (CT)

Annunciation Church
1820 Church Road
Aurora, IL 60505

Burial

JUL 8. 11:00 AM (AKT)

Marywood Cemetery

Tribute Wall



“ Daleiden Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Janice C. Rippinger



Daleiden Mortuary - July 07, 2025 at 12:23 PM

TW

“ Having grown up in North Aurora, Jan and Phil were influential in any kids life that they were associated with. Whether scouting or just being in the neighborhood, they both were guiding lights. Their kids were so lucky to have parents who cared for them and others. My heart goes out to the family with condolences and precious memories of days gone by.

Tom And Suse Whitt, Hayward, WI

Thomas J Whitt - August 01, 2025 at 08:22 PM

BT

“ Bickford of St Charles Team purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Janice C. Rippinger.



Bickford of St Charles Team - July 07, 2025 at 12:47 PM

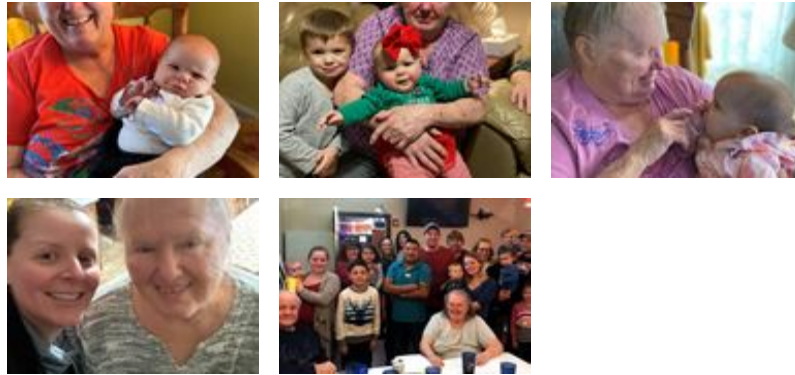
BT

“ Bickford of St Charles Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Janice C. Rippinger.

Bickford of St Charles Team - July 07, 2025 at 12:47 PM



“ 27 files added to the album Life Tributes



Daleiden Mortuary - July 07, 2025 at 12:12 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Janice C. Rippinger.



July 07, 2025 at 07:59 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Janice C. Rippinger.

July 07, 2025 at 07:59 AM

FB

“ From Maria B. purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Janice C. Rippinger.



From Maria B. - July 06, 2025 at 01:44 PM

FB

“ From Maria B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Janice C. Rippinger.

From Maria B. - July 06, 2025 at 01:44 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Janice C. Rippinger.



July 06, 2025 at 11:34 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Janice C. Rippinger.

July 06, 2025 at 11:34 AM

LM

“ Lee M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Janice C. Rippinger.

Lee M. - July 06, 2025 at 11:13 AM

WF

“ With Love from your Squirrel Lake Family purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Janice C. Rippinger.



With Love from your Squirrel Lake Family - July 06, 2025 at 10:41 AM

WF

“ With Love from your Squirrel Lake Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Janice C. Rippinger.

With Love from your Squirrel Lake Family - July 06, 2025 at 10:41 AM

PJ

“ Pat/Rich Traver-Susan/Jeff, Jen/DJ purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Janice C. Rippinger.



Pat/Rich Traver-Susan/Jeff, Jen/DJ - July 05, 2025 at 02:07 PM

MB

“ Maria B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Janice C. Rippinger.

Maria B. - July 03, 2025 at 04:55 PM

MB

“ I visited Jan from Seniors Helping Seniors and I am so fortunate to got to know her. She became one of my favorite people and my friend. Jan was funny with a big pure heart. She loved flowers, her backyard animals (she did feed her squirrels with cookies) she loved her family and her cat Skeeter. Jan loved to work on the jigsaw puzzles and on the sunny days we were sitting on the front porch and on her backyard swing, her telling me stories. She was such a storyteller. There is a quote “Many friends come into our lives but only a few leave footprints in our hearts “Jan you were one of them. You gone but never forgotten. You will be missed by all who knew and loved you. Rest in peace in Heaven beautiful soul! My deepest condolences to her family and thank you for letting me be part of Jan’s life. Maria.



Maria Bakk - July 03, 2025 at 04:44 PM

MR

“ She was the best Mother in-law an 18 yr old girl could ask for. I was accepted into the family as one of her own. With our kids living 2 doors down that was the first place I looked they were always with her. 💔

Michelle Rippinger - July 03, 2025 at 01:02 AM

EL

“ *She was my favorite aunt.
So charismatic and a pure heart and growing
up only two houses away from ours I was
there frequently as a child.
My fondest memory (I have so many) was
going with her on a crisp fall day to pick up firewood.
One of my memories of her was she'd play her records really loud in
her garage if she was outside doing stuff which was often.
I could hear the Partridge Family playing from my house.
And one more - loved it when she wore a her favored scarf when it
rained.
I love you Aunt Jan and my deepest condolences to the family: Jon,
Andy, Beth, Tricia and Kenny.*



Elizabeth - July 02, 2025 at 10:19 PM

EL

The red scarf!

Elizabeth - July 02, 2025 at 10:21 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for
the family of Janice C. Rippinger.*



July 02, 2025 at 09:25 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Janice C. Rippinger.*

July 02, 2025 at 09:25 PM

MB

“ Oh my - Jan (Mrs. Rippinger when I had her children and grandchildren at St. Rita School.) brings back such fond memories. Love this lady! My condolences to her family (mostly my former students!).

MaryEllen Bender - July 02, 2025 at 07:18 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Janice C. Rippinger.



July 02, 2025 at 05:35 PM