



Jackie Lee Andersen

January 20, 1950 - January 20, 2022

Jackie L. (Jorgensen) Andersen, daughter of Harold and Dorothy Jorgensen, was born on January 20, 1950 in York, Nebraska. She attended Exeter High School and received her Bachelors Degree from University of Nebraska - Lincoln in 1972. Growing up, Jackie was involved in 4-H and helping on the family farm.

After graduating from college she began her career with Sears, working in Oklahoma, California, and Kansas from 1973 to 1977. In 1977, Jackie transferred to the Sears office in Lincoln, Nebraska where she worked through 2005. During this time, she worked as a sales associate and quickly moved into management roles, where she spent the last 25 years of her career with Sears. After retiring from managing sales departments in the retail space, Jackie began her second career working for Union Bank and Trust in their loan department, a position she held from 2005 to 2015. For a brief time, Jackie and her two sons, Chase and Wade, all worked for Union Bank and Trust; an inside joke that it was a “family business.”

After moving back to Nebraska in 1977, Jackie continued her passion for snow skiing in Colorado. At an organization meeting for an upcoming ski trip, she met her future husband Bob Andersen. Bob and Jackie were married on July 10, 1982 at Southwood Lutheran Church.

Shortly after, they began their family with two children, Chase and Wade. During this time, Bob and Jackie were busy working full time, raising their children, and managing the activity schedules of their sons. She remained active in DECA, acting as a state judge for high school students in the areas of fashion merchandising and presentation. Working in coordination with the University of Nebraska, she assisted in the development of an internship program for students in the area of fashion merchandising.

Jackie remained passionate about photography, taking numerous courses to improve her skills and enjoyed taking pictures of Nebraska statewide cooperative owned grain elevators and facilities (a multi-decade, surprise project which she presented to her husband upon his retirement from the Nebraska Coop Council) and pictures of her family. Additionally, Jackie remained active within Southwood Lutheran Church and was always willing to help her sons as they built their own homes. Always hardworking, she was never afraid to roll up her sleeves and help them decorate their homes, plant flowers around their houses, and even strip and re-stain a deck.

Jackie enjoyed spending time with her family. From attending Nebraska football games with Bob, to organizing family vacations, to baking with her granddaughter, she was the cornerstone of her family.

Jackie passed away on January 20, 2022, on her 72nd birthday. She was preceded in death by her parents Harold and Dorothy Jorgensen, parents-in-law Ed and Darlene Andersen, and brothers-in-law Joe Splichal and Jack Eberspacher. She is survived by husband Robert Andersen, sons Chase Andersen and fiancée Melissa Pitts, and Wade Andersen, sisters Jerrie Splichal and Jinger Eberspacher, in-laws Peggy and Kent Merryweather, Nancy and John Prestia, and Susan and Terry Gilfry, and granddaughter Eleanor Mueller.

The family would like to say “Thank You” for your support, prayers, and friendship.

Cemetery Details

Prospect Hill Cemetery of Elkhorn

21901 W. Maple Road
Omaha, NE 68022

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 25. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Roper and Sons Funeral Home
3950 Hohensee Dr,
Lincoln, NE 68516

Memorial Service

JAN 26. 11:00 AM (CT)

Southwood Lutheran Church
4301 Wilderness Hills Blvd
Lincoln, NE 68516

Graveside Service

JAN 26. 2:30 PM (CT)

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Omaha, NE 68022

Tribute Wall



“ Jackie Lee Andersen

December 10, 2022 at 09:12 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.



January 25, 2022 at 10:49 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.



January 24, 2022 at 08:52 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.



January 24, 2022 at 04:40 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



January 24, 2022 at 04:39 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



January 24, 2022 at 12:17 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



January 23, 2022 at 08:54 PM



“ *I am very sorry to learn of Jackie's passing. Please accept my condolences on your loss. I have remembered her birthday through the years so she had been on my mind when a classmate phoned this week. I will always remember her genuine interest in everyone and her generous spirit.*

*Sincerely,
Lyn Norman*

Lyn Norman - January 23, 2022 at 08:50 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



January 23, 2022 at 08:50 PM



“ *Jason Petricek and Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



Jason Petricek and Family - January 23, 2022 at 06:13 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



January 23, 2022 at 05:51 PM



“ *Bob, Chase and Wade, I was so sorry to see Jackie passed away. Such great memories of 73rd St. with our boys growing up there together for quite a few yrs. Jackie was always so sweet and nice to everyone! Thinking of you during such a sad time. Kathy Janssen Atkinson*

Kathy Atkinson - January 23, 2022 at 03:21 PM

PB

“ I am so sorry to hear of Jackie. She was always a classy lady. I enjoyed our many years at Sears I remember when she came into Lincoln sears as a transfer. So many years and laughs. My regrets for not being at funeral as I am in Florida for winter....my thoughts and prays are with you! Boys and families

paulette bard - January 23, 2022 at 12:27 PM

BW

I am so sorry to hear of Jackie's passing. We worked many years together at Sears. There were many discussions about our children that I so enjoyed. Rest in peace Jackie. My thoughts and prayers are with the entire Andersen family

Barbara White - January 23, 2022 at 08:53 PM

MR

My heartfelt sympathy to Bob and the boys. I am so sorry she passed so young! I enjoyed visiting with her many times when she came to the gallery for framing her art pieces.
I remember first meeting her with Bob and his parents as his Mother was a Denker and so was my Mother. Also met her sisters. She was a beautiful lady. My thoughts and prayers to all.
Mary Roncka

Mary Roncka - January 24, 2022 at 02:20 PM

JF

“ Jim and Nancy Splichal, family purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.



Jim and Nancy Splichal, family - January 23, 2022 at 11:12 AM

CS

“ *Bob, Chase and Wade,*

We are so sorry to hear of Jackie's passing. When the kids were growing up on S. 73rd, Jackie was a friendly mom and always had a ready smile. My your memories sustain you at this difficult time.

Sincerely,

Mike and Connie Stefkovich

Connie Stefkovich - January 23, 2022 at 06:51 AM



“ *Blessed Heart was purchased for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



January 22, 2022 at 04:05 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



January 22, 2022 at 12:59 PM

TF

“ *The Bakenhus Family purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



The Bakenhus Family - January 22, 2022 at 12:13 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



January 22, 2022 at 10:32 AM

DP

“ *Dan and Mary Petry purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



Dan and Mary Petry - January 21, 2022 at 09:28 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



January 21, 2022 at 03:54 PM

FA

“ *Farm Credit Services of America purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



Farm Credit Services of America - January 21, 2022 at 03:08 PM

ST

“ *I worked with Jackie for a few years, and she was the nicest and friendliest person to work with. Always so pleasant to be around and made me feel welcome when I first started working with her. So sad to hear about her passing. I am sending the warmest and most positive energy to her family and dearest friends.*

Steph - January 21, 2022 at 02:33 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



January 21, 2022 at 09:51 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



January 21, 2022 at 09:49 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Jackie Lee Andersen.*



January 20, 2022 at 05:00 PM