



Judy Lynn Hansen

April 11, 1947 - April 22, 2023

Judy Lynn Hansen, 76, passed away peacefully on April 22, 2023, at Prairie Meadows, a memory care facility in Omaha, NE. She was lovingly known as sister, wife, mom, Aunt, Nana, friend and is remembered for her nurturing, loving, life of the party spirit.

Judy was born on April 11, 1947, to Kenneth and Wanda (Williams) Tuttle in Portland, OR. She is the second born of five - one older brother David and three younger siblings Jeanne, Susan and Robert. Her growing up years were spent between Portland and the Winner, SD area. Spending much of her youth as a farm girl, Judy loved helping her brother with chores on the farm, milking the cow and feeding the orphaned lambs. She had a soft spot in her heart for all animals. Judy finished her high school years at Winner High School in 1965. Shortly after, she met Jerry and they were married July 8, 1966. After spending a brief time in Spearfish, SD and Wichita, KS, they settled on the family farm near Carter, SD where they raised their three children Darcy, Della and Jason. In 1990 they

moved

to Omaha, NE where Judy started her role as Nana. She loved spending time with

her grandchildren and modeling her way of turning everything into a party.

Judy

maintained an open-door policy to all who knew her.

At an early age, Judy put her faith and trust in Jesus. This decision grounded her

and gave her a source for strength, resilience and perseverance through her health issues which began in 1996 when she was diagnosed with leukemia.

The

treatment of her disease ultimately led to her dementia. In November of 2018, she was moved to Prairie Meadows.

Judy's family is forever grateful for the special care provided by Prairie Meadows

for the last four and a half years, as well as the care provided by Endless Journey

Hospice. During this time, she continued to demonstrate her genuine love and concern for others. Judy's caregivers often commented on how much they enjoyed and loved her and referred to her as a favorite.

Judy is preceded in death by her parents: Kenneth and Wanda Tuttle. She is survived by her husband; Jerry Hansen, children; Darcy (Joel) Aakre, Della (Brice)

Thomas, and Jason (Amy) Hansen, grandchildren; Hanna White, Myca Vanderveen, Isaac Aakre, Grace Spafford, Josiah Aakre, Tyler Hansen, Sarah Hansen, Julia Thomas, great grandchildren; Martin White, Nadia White, Ayla White, Carter Aakre, Audrey Aakre, Levi Aakre, Avery Aakre, brothers; David Tuttle and Robert Tuttle, sisters; Jeanne Stenson and Susan Hauff.

Judy's family would like to honor her with a Celebration of Life gathering on Sunday, April 30, 2023, 2:00 p.m. at the Reichmuth Funeral Home - Elkhorn,

NE.

Come as you are to share memories around a table of good food and favorite desserts with family and friends. This reflects what Judy has done a million times over for others.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

APR **30**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Reichmuth Funeral Home - Omaha / Elkhorn
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Tribute Wall



“ *Your Medical Solutions Family purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Judy Lynn Hansen.*



Your Medical Solutions Family - April 28, 2023 at 02:25 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Judy Lynn Hansen.*



April 27, 2023 at 06:52 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Judy Lynn Hansen.*



April 26, 2023 at 10:41 AM



“ *Terry and Debra Pederson purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Judy Lynn Hansen.*



Terry and Debra Pederson - April 26, 2023 at 08:34 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Judy Lynn Hansen.*



April 25, 2023 at 10:01 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Judy Lynn Hansen.*



April 25, 2023 at 09:23 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Judy Lynn Hansen.*



April 24, 2023 at 11:44 AM

PB

“ Jerry and family our prayers are with you. What a bittersweet time. A glorious day for Judy but the good byes are so hard. How wonderful to know Judy is in the presence of God. We have so many fun memories of Judy. How she loved life but she loved Jesus even more. Hope to see you all next Sunday.

*In His Love,
Patty and Roy*

Patty Becker - April 22, 2023 at 10:11 PM

DT

Thank you so much. Yes, see you soon.

della thomas - April 25, 2023 at 03:32 PM

KC

To the family of Judy Hansen. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this time. I am so sorry that you all have to go through this hard time but just know that Judy is at peace now. Take care! Karla Cupery

karla cupery - April 25, 2023 at 03:33 PM

SS

“ To Jerry & the Family,
Judy was the best cousin I had, we were 1 year apart & shared the same birth date. We had many good times together & I loved her & being with her.
Our deepest condolences, you're in our thoughts & prayers at this time as you struggle with Judy's passing.
It's comforting to know that Judy is now in Heaven with Jesus, whom she loved so much & with our many family members who have gone before & no longer struggling. But the loss & grief for those left behind is still painful.
We grieve with you,
Dennis & Sharron (Salem) Salwei

Sharron L Salwei - April 22, 2023 at 09:22 PM

MW

“ I have so many fun memories of Judy. She was full of life and had a hardy laugh.
One memory that I recall of her was when Jason was around 3 years old and we were traveling back to Winner after visiting Jean. She needed Jason to take a nap and she started making up a story which settled Jason down and he fell asleep. I was so impressed with the fact that she was making up the story and it was good too. I always enjoyed spending time with Judy whenever we came to South Dakota to visit.
She will be missed by so many of us.

Marla Winn - April 22, 2023 at 05:42 PM

DE

Marla - thank you so much for sharing this. Just what we needed today!
- Love Jerry, Darcy, Della, Jason

Della - April 22, 2023 at 07:12 PM

GG

Hello family! Natalie and I have been sitting at my dinning room table (with Carol and Gene on speaker sharing stories of ALL THE CHILDREN that heard the loving redeeming love of OUR LORD JESUS! She opened her heart and home to hundreds over the years! She heard" WELL DKNE GOOD AND FAITHFUL SERVANT" OH how we love you and holding your family before THE THRONE! PS: I still wear # 415 Rose Quartz Cover Girl lipstick cuz she told me to!!!!💕

gracia goodhope - April 25, 2023 at 12:30 PM

DT

gracia - thank you so much! yes, we collecting things to be shared by the pastors

Della Thomas - April 25, 2023 at 01:13 PM