



## Janet Ann Ferguson

July 26, 1940 - February 7, 2022

Janet Ann (Shannon) Ferguson, age 81 of Richland Center, passed away peacefully at her home on Monday, February 7, 2022. She was born on July 26, 1940 in Jefferson, Wisconsin, the daughter of Robert and Katherine (Noble) Shannon and the seventh of eight children. After graduating high school, she moved to Madison, WI. She worked at Manchesters Department Store where she met Marvin Ferguson. They were later married on July 16, 1960 and lived in Madison for almost two years before moving to Richland Center where they raised their five children.

Janet was a pharmacy tech at Rexall Drugstore and Center Pharmacy for 30 years. After she retired, she volunteered at the Richland Community Food Pantry and at the Richland Center Hospital. Her friendly personality, easy smile, and sincere laughter made her a joy to be around. She had a gift of putting people at ease and making strangers feel comfortable. She loved people!

Janet's favorite thing to do was spend time with her kids and grandkids. They were her greatest joy; she was proud of every one of them and knew what was going on with all of them most of the time! Janet also loved visiting with her relatives and friends and was always happy to hear from nieces and nephews as well.

Survivors include her husband of 61 years, Marvin Ferguson of Richland Center, 5 children, Brian (friend Cheryl Carufel) of Portage, IN, Debbie Ferguson of Madison, Daniel (Lynda) Ferguson of New Glarus, Todd (Susan) Ferguson of Woodstock, IL, and Tricia Ferguson of Oregon, WI; 9 grandchildren, Cody and Colton Ferguson of Kankakee, IL, Brianna (Blake) O'Brien of Madison, WI, Logan Ferguson of New Glarus, WI, Alex Ferguson (fiancé Mary Grace Mathison) of Iowa City, Iowa, Kathryn Ferguson of Boulder, CO, Ryne Ferguson, Bryson and Regyn Jelle of Belleville, WI; a sister, Sheila (Ron) Kostroski of Prairie Du Sac, WI; a sister-in-law, Betty Shannon of West Bend WI; many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Janet was preceded in death by her parents, Robert and Katherine Shannon, 5 brothers, Jerry, Tom, Keith, Jim and Bill Shannon, and a sister, Pat Leach.

A special thank you to Linda, Merri and Deb for your loving support and care. Thank you also to Agrace Hospice for all of your support through this difficult time.

Please join the family in a celebration of her life on February 26, 2022 at Clary Memorial Funeral Home in Richland Center. Visitation will be from 1-3 PM with food being served.

Janet's wishes were that in lieu of flowers, memorials be made in her name to a charity of one's choice. She loved any organization that helped children or animals.



# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

FEB **26**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Clary Memorial Funeral & Cremation Service, LLC

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# Tribute Wall

T.

“ I am T.A.Gopinath who used to work in Madras Airport in Chennai.Madam Janet Ferguson used to land in her Norman islanders and Trilanders.  
I used to fuel her planes.Very friendly person.  
She once carried a message for me.My ex boss in English Electric company in India who was in Scotland Lord Balfour Bruce (Late) RIP Her soul.A great Aviator.I still have her Visiting card.I was rummaging some papers and found the Card.Shall send photo of her card if could know her relatives E Mail.  
With profound sorrow  
Gopinath  
Bangalore India

T.A.Gopinath - February 16, 2023 at 01:42 AM



“ Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Janet Ann Ferguson.



February 24, 2022 at 09:54 PM

LS

“ Janet was a shining, smiling gal at the food pantry. We always enjoyed her "just baked" windmill cookies. She will certainly be missed. Hugs and love ❤️😊❤️😊😊😊😊😊😊

Lorraine Servais - February 24, 2022 at 10:34 AM



“ *Sentimental Dreams was purchased for the family of Janet Ann Ferguson.* ”



February 23, 2022 at 02:31 PM



“ *170 files added to the album LifeTributes* ”



**Clary Memorial Funeral Home** - February 21, 2022 at 03:15 PM



“ *Janet was a great friend, babysitter, and godparent.* ”



**Wayne & Kathy Sharp** - February 21, 2022 at 11:16 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Janet Ann Ferguson.*



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February 21, 2022 at 11:01 AM



“ *I enjoyed working with her at the Food Pantry. So sorry for your loss.*



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**Fuzz & Nancy McCauley** - February 18, 2022 at 03:56 PM



“ *Stella Moser lit a candle in memory of Janet Ann Ferguson*



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**Stella Moser** - February 16, 2022 at 03:10 PM

SM

*Marv & Family;*

*Just read of Janet's passing. I'm so Sorry. I have been so out of touch with so many Richland Center people for so long. I didn't know about her illness.*

*I know your children will not remember me unless they went to Doudna School. I believe Trishia was the one I sewed up her jeans. I retired in the late 1990's. Have been on Denver area now for 10 years. Gaylord passed in 2017 .*

*Thinking of you Marv and your family at this time in your lives.*

*Stella Moser  
Denver, Co  
S.g.moser@hotmail.com*

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**Stella Moser** - February 16, 2022 at 03:41 PM

FS

“ *Our thoughts and prayers to the family,  
We go back a few years, when you were at  
Empire, and then some  
Always a smile and greeting*

*Our best to Fergie and family*



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**Fritzi, Stan** - February 16, 2022 at 01:47 PM

VH

“ *Sorry for your loss. I volunteered sometimes with Janet at Second Harvest and she was always so kind..*

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**V. Habel** - February 16, 2022 at 12:46 PM

LK

“ So sorry for your loss. She always had a smile and a friendly hello. She was so helpful when she worked at Empire Pharmacy. She will be missed. I am sure you have many good memories that will get you through this difficult time.

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**Linda Kleppe** - February 15, 2022 at 08:24 PM



“ My condolences to the Ferguson Family, I have many memories of being with your family  
Know the memories will live in all of our hearts forever  
Thoughts and Prayers from the Charles Cupp Family

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**Charlie Cupp** - February 15, 2022 at 08:12 PM

SL

“ She was always so nice to everyone that met her. Blessings to the whole family.

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**Sandy Ieffler** - February 15, 2022 at 08:05 PM

DP

“ She had the most welcoming smile & was always so kind!! Our thoughts & prayers are with her family & all who loved her - we are so very sorry for your loss. Dawn & Dan Pliner

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**Dawn Pliner** - February 15, 2022 at 03:11 PM

JD

“ I enjoyed working with Jan at the food pantry. I am saddened at her passing. Jean DeLaMater

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**Jean DeLaMater** - February 15, 2022 at 01:49 PM

LD

“ So sorry to hear this. Jan was a great volunteer with her happy smile and loving personality and was a friend to all. RIP Jan, we will miss you.

*Dick and Lorraine Dalberg*

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**lorraine dalberg** - February 15, 2022 at 01:33 PM

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“ Our sincerest condolences and prayers for the entire Ferguson family. We are so sorry for your loss. -Penny & Peggy

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**Peggy & Penny (Wallace)** - February 15, 2022 at 01:33 PM

JH

“ So sorry for your loss. Sending thoughts and prayers to the Ferguson family.

*Jayne Huth*

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**Jayne Huth** - February 15, 2022 at 01:23 PM

DS

*So sorry for your loss. I enjoyed working with her many times at the Volunteer Desk at the hospital. Sincere sympathy to the family !*

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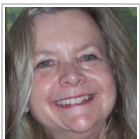
**Doris Schmidt** - February 15, 2022 at 01:38 PM

KW

“ So sorry to hear the news. My thoughts are with the entire family.

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**Kraig Walter** - February 15, 2022 at 12:36 PM



“ sincere condolences to the entire family from Ann Ulrich

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**Ann Walker** - February 15, 2022 at 11:59 AM

SW

“ *Such a wonderful lady!!! She was always a sweet heart. This town, this world, is going to really miss you girl!! Sympathy to the family and her precious friends. May God Bless her! The world will never be the same. May God Bless her and her family! So very sad!*

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**Sandy Welte** - February 15, 2022 at 11:50 AM