



Janet L. Edwards

June 29, 1950 - August 5, 2015

Mattoon, IL – Janet L. Edwards, age 65, of Mattoon, IL, passed away at 10:00 p.m., August 5, 2015, at her residence.

The funeral service in her honor will begin at 10:00 a.m., Monday, August 10th, 2015, at Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home, 1200 Wabash Avenue, Mattoon, IL, 61938. Reverend Dennis Strawn will officiate. Interment will follow in Zoar Cemetery, rural Mattoon, IL. Visitation will be held at the funeral home Sunday afternoon, from 2:00 – 5:00 p.m.

The daughter of the Harold E., Sr. and Thelma Evelyn (Janes) Jones, Janet was born June 29th, 1950, in Mattoon, IL. She is survived by two daughters: Kelly Rieck and husband Mike of Mattoon, IL, and Cindy Seiler and husband Mike of Effingham, IL; one brother, Harold E. Jones, Jr., and wife Darcey of Dyersburg, TN; two sisters: Linda Wilhelm and husband Dennis, Sr. of Decatur, IL, and Carol Mack of Bloomington, IL; and four grandchildren: A.J. and Blake Roley of Mattoon, IL, and Timothy and Bradley Seiler of Effingham, IL. She was preceded in death by her parents.

Mrs. Edwards was retired from General Electric and currently employed by Walgreen's in Mattoon. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Mattoon, IL. Other memberships included Women of the Moose, Eagles Lodge, Order of the Eastern Star, and ABWA Pegtown Chapter. Janet enjoyed

many hobbies including flower and vegetable gardening, making arts and crafts, attending arts and crafts festivals, and playing BINGO; nevertheless her greatest joy came from spending time with her children and grandchildren.

Memorials in her honor may be made to the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation at www.jdrf.org, or to the family for the grandchildren's education fund.

Please visit www.mitchell-jerdan.com to light a virtual candle in her honor or share a memory with her family.

Cemetery Details

Zoar Cemetery

Previous Events

Service

AUG **10**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home Ltd.
1200 Wabash Ave
Mattoon, IL 61938
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Tribute Wall



“ *Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Janet L. Edwards*



Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home - August 06, 2015 at 06:24 PM



“ *Janet L. Edwards*

October 08, 2023 at 07:40 PM



“ *Bob & Vicky Atchley*



Vicky Atchley - August 10, 2015 at 10:14 AM



“ *Linda Wilhelm Family. Brian, Elizabeth & Matthew purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Janet L. Edwards.*



Linda Wilhelm Family. Brian, Elizabeth & Matthew - August 08, 2015 at 08:29 AM

JR

“ My deepest sympathy to Janet's family, Janet was a happy and cheerful employee at GE and she always made my day when seeing her smiling face at Walgreen's - I will miss seeing her smile.
Prayers and Deepest Sympathy,
Joann Reinhart-Curtis



Joann Reinhart-Curtis - August 07, 2015 at 09:55 PM

KR

Thank you very much. We pray that everyone will carry her smile and her laughter in their hearts. Thank you for being her friend.

Kelly Rieck - August 19, 2015 at 10:47 PM

AD

“ Ann Dowd lit a candle in memory of Janet L. Edwards



Ann Dowd - August 07, 2015 at 09:09 PM

AD

Prayers to the family of Janet Edwards for the loss of their love one. She will be greatly miss by all who knew her at G.E. and Walgreens. I will always remember her beautiful smile on her face.

Ann Dowd - August 07, 2015 at 09:12 PM

KR

Thank you. We pray that everyone will carry her smile and her laughter in their hearts. Mom touched everyone she met and always found good in everyone. Thank you for being her friend

Kelly Rieck - August 19, 2015 at 10:43 PM

JD

“ *Condolences to the family of Janet
She was a delight to have as an employee, she knew so many
customers and Janet greeted each one like an old friend
She will truly be missed
Joe Dosien, Walgreens*

joe Dosien - August 07, 2015 at 02:43 PM

KR

*Thank you. Mom loved her Walgreens. She thought of Walgreens as
more than just a place to work, but a place to see, make and be friends
with everyone. Thank you to all of you there for making her feel like she
was home.*

Kelly Rieck - August 19, 2015 at 10:45 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of
Janet L. Edwards.*



August 07, 2015 at 01:17 PM

VS

“ *Vicki Spriggs lit a candle in memory of Janet
L. Edwards*



Vicki spriggs - August 07, 2015 at 10:59 AM

CO

“ *Crystal O. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Janet L. Edwards.*



Crystal O. - August 06, 2015 at 05:48 PM

CH

“ *Kelly - we are extremely saddened to hear about the passing of your mother. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*
~Love, Wally and Christy



Christy - August 06, 2015 at 04:52 PM

KR

Thank you so much. Love you too.

Kelly Rieck - August 19, 2015 at 10:46 PM

CO

“ *Rest in Peace Aunt Janet. With Love Crystal, Asia, Christian & Bella O'Connor*

crystal oconnor - August 06, 2015 at 04:50 PM