



Jean Irene Stribel

October 22, 1940 - July 2, 2024

Jean was born in Waterloo, Iowa to Richard and Myrtle Ray. She was the third daughter in a family of eight girls and her adored baby brother, Tom. The Ray family made the move to Backus MN, where Jean would grow up and attend school. She loved to recount that while other girls were reading Vogue, she was reading National Geographic. She took that wish to travel to heart and saved the money to move from the frigid Northern States to Honolulu, Hawaii.

In Hawaii, she would meet the love of her life Alvin Leo Stribel, Jr. They married on February 5, 1962. Following his Navy Career, they moved back to the family farm in Hennessey where they would build their lives together. They welcomed four children together. Ray (Teresa) Stribel of Hennessey, Paula Copas of Hennessey, Joe (Gina) Stribel of Hennessey, and Leah Kostiuk of Guthrie.

She took her love of travel into her later years and would share it with her grandchildren as well. Enjoying many adventures with them as they each graduated. She enjoyed spending her free time volunteering. Whether with the 4-H, Farmarette's, Catholic Church, St. Mary's, and many other local organizations. She also loved being outdoors and was a proud member of the Master Gardeners.

Jean is survived by her siblings Jonelle Calvert, Dixie Voels, Mary (Virgil)

Gustafson, Jonica (Bill) Barrett, Tom (Linda) Ray, her four children, 13 Grandchildren, and 12 Great Grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her loving husband Alvin, parents, sisters Frances Middlestedt, Janet Mundus, Judith Corneleus, and granddaughter Mary Grace Stribel.

Jean's Rosary is scheduled for Sunday, July 7th at 7:00 p.m. at St Joseph's Parrish Hall in Hennessey, OK. And her service is scheduled for 10:00 a.m. Monday, July 8th at St Joseph's Catholic Church in Bison, OK with a graveside service to follow in Calvery Cemetery in Hennessey.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery, Hennessey

Hennessey, OK

Previous Events

Rosary

JUL 7. 7:00 PM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
211 N. Cherokee St.
Hennessey, OK 73742
(405) 853-4425

Mass of Christian Burial

JUL 8. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
Bison, OK

Tribute Wall

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“ *Dannelle and Family purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Jean Irene Stribel.* ”



Dannelle and Family - July 07, 2024 at 10:52 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jean Irene Stribel.* ”



July 07, 2024 at 09:19 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Jean Irene Stribel.* ”



July 06, 2024 at 04:10 PM

RJ

“ I worked at St. Mary’s with Jean when she was a volunteer many years ago. There was a group of us from different departments that met every day in the cafeteria for lunch. Jean was part of this group. Jean was funny, kind & quick witted. I was sad to hear of her passing. Her light will be missed.
Rita Janousek

Rita Janousek - July 06, 2024 at 10:04 AM