



Jeanne Williams

July 23, 1964 - May 5, 2024

Jeanne Marie (Sanders) Williams, age 59 years, a resident of rural Vienna, passed away Sunday afternoon, May 5, 2024, at 2 P.M. at her home.

Jeanne was born July 23, 1964 in Cape Girardeau, Missouri. She was the daughter of Charles Raymond Sanders and Marilyn Jean (Lasley) Sanders.

On June 28, 1992, Jeanne was united in marriage to Boyd Lee Williams at Pere Marquette State Park.

In addition to her husband, Jeanne is survived by: her sons – Charles Andrew (his wife, Rebecca) Williams of Henderson, Kentucky and Matthew Boyd (his wife, Abigail) Williams of Affton, Missouri; 4 grandchildren – Bryleigh Williams, Finn Williams, Parker Williams and Samuel Williams; a brother – Steve (his wife, Michelle) Sanders of Vienna; and a nephew – Aiden Sanders of Vienna.

In addition to her parents, Jeanne was preceded in death by: her maternal grandparents – Frank and Mary Helen Lasley and her paternal grandparents – Raymond and Marie Sanders.

Jeanne was a 1982 graduate of Vienna High School. She earned a Masters Degree in Education with an emphasis on mathematics and science from Southern Illinois University in Carbondale. Jeanne was an elementary school

teacher. She was employed for 34 years by the Vienna Grade School until her retirement in 2020.

Jeanne enjoyed a number of activities and past times, including cooking, gardening and traveling. She cherished her family and loved them dearly. Jeanne was a member of the Ozark Baptist Church.

A service honoring the life of Jeanne Williams will be conducted Thursday morning, May 9, 2024, at 11 A.M. at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna. Pastor David Michael Webb will officiate.

Burial will be in the Vienna Fraternal Cemetery.

Visitation will be held Wednesday, May 8, 2024, from 4 P.M. – 8 P.M. at the funeral home. There will also be an additional time of visitation Thursday morning, May 9, 2024, from 10 A.M. – 11 A.M. prior to the funeral service. Memorials may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, Tn 38105-1905 or to the Heather Harper Treat Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 98, Vienna, IL 62995.

Cemetery Details

Vienna Fraternal Cemetery

N. 6th Street
Vienna, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 8. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Bailey Funeral Home
705 North First Street
PO Box 695
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Tribute Wall



“ *Bailey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Bailey Funeral Home - May 08, 2024 at 05:08 PM

PA

Beautiful. Such a beautiful tribute for a beautiful woman. You are so dearly missed precious cousin. Rest easy now.

Patti - May 09, 2024 at 02:19 AM

EM

I will miss you so much you were the best

Emilt - July 12, 2024 at 08:14 PM

SW

“ *Shelly Whatley lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Shelly Whatley - June 23, 2024 at 10:55 AM

RS

“ *Rev. Richard & Vickey Swiney lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Rev. Richard & Vickey Swiney - May 09, 2024 at 08:31 PM

RS

Words can not express the sorrow I Feel. Jeanne has been an inspiration to many people and touched many lives. I am thankful to have been able to know her and her family. I came to know Jeanne when I was the D.A.R.E. Officer for her 5th grade class She was a great supporter of the program. . She was truly a Women of God . Who loved God and her family. My thoughts and prayers go out to the family during this time. Pastor; Richard Swiney

Richard H. Swiney - May 09, 2024 at 08:45 PM

TI

“ *Jeanne was such an amazing godly woman with a beautiful heart. She was never one to ask for much help but was always the first to be there to help others in their time of need. She had a tremendous love for the Lord and trusted him fully even in the unknown. Jeanne has been an inspiration to many people and touched many lives. I am thankful to have been able to know her and reminisce on all the wonderful memories with her. My thoughts and prayers go out to the family during this time.*



Tiffany - May 09, 2024 at 12:23 PM

SW

“ *Jeanne was a great friend, coworker, and a wonderful teacher. I cherish the memories we shared as fifth grade teachers at V.G.S. My prayers are with Boyd, Andrew, Matthew, and their families as they cope without her.* ”



Sherry Ward - May 09, 2024 at 10:31 AM

CR

“ *So very sorry to hear of Jeannie passing. She was a truly lovely person and will be sadly missed by all those who knew and loved her.* ”

Chesley Rodgers - May 08, 2024 at 10:40 PM

BD

“ *Baskett Fire Department planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jeanne Williams.* ”

Baskett Fire Department - May 08, 2024 at 08:57 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jeanne Williams.* ”



May 08, 2024 at 08:57 PM

CF

“ Prayers are with the family at this time. I remember when Jeanne lived behind my mother and dad. Was a great neighbor and always with a smile. I know she will be missed by many,



Richard and Joan Faulkner-Owen

c Joan Faulkner - May 08, 2024 at 05:59 PM

TC

“ Teri C. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jeanne Williams.

Teri C. - May 08, 2024 at 03:55 PM

JT

“ Jane Treece lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams



Jane Treece - May 08, 2024 at 02:34 PM

JT

I was blessed to work with Jeanne for several years. She will be missed by her family and community. Peace to her family!

Jane Treece - May 08, 2024 at 02:42 PM



“ *Carol Bryant lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Carol Bryant - May 08, 2024 at 12:43 PM



Our Condolences & Prayers to the Williams family. She was an Amazing soul to know.

Carol Bryant - May 08, 2024 at 12:45 PM

AG

“ *Aunt Glenda lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Aunt Glenda - May 08, 2024 at 12:12 PM

AG

I have known and loved Jeanne since the day she was born. She was my very special niece, and we became very close during the loss of my husband. She was a blessing to all who knew her. I cherish my times with her and her family. She made the world a better place.

Aunt Glenda - May 08, 2024 at 12:17 PM

CG

“ *Prayers for the family and friends of Jeanne. Her mother was my grade school music teacher at Mounds Thistlewood School.*



Carol (Miller) George - May 08, 2024 at 11:56 AM

BB

“ *Billy&Nancy Belford lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Billy&Nancy Belford - May 08, 2024 at 11:51 AM

DP

“ *Davis And Pat Prewitt lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Davis and Pat Prewitt - May 08, 2024 at 03:58 AM

CL

“ *Jeanne Williams has been one of my dearest friends since our early years in grade school. Our parents were both teachers at Vienna Grade and we formed a life long friendship as we passed the time together waiting for our parents to finish work after school. Later in life we shared the same profession as we both fell in love with teaching. I owe her and Boyd for introducing me to the love of my life in 1986. Jeanne possessed every characteristic of a Godly woman as she trusted her Lord implicitly to guide her and her family through life. As I mourn the passing of my dear friend I smile when I think of all if our wonderful times together and I rejoice in knowing that she is happy and free of all pain as she is welcomed home by her heavenly father! Well done Jeanne. With Love from Charlotte.*

Charlotte Leal - May 07, 2024 at 10:14 PM

VT

“ I am so sorry to hear this! I went to high school with her and she was such a sweet person. Haven't seen her in years but by the sounds of it she has t changed! Prayers going up for the family!

Violet (Taylor) Treat - May 07, 2024 at 06:36 PM



“ Jeannie McCall lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams



Jeannie McCall - May 07, 2024 at 06:16 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jeanne Williams.



May 07, 2024 at 03:58 PM

IY

“ IDOT Vienna Yard purchased the Summer's Light Bouquet for the family of Jeanne Williams.



IDOT Vienna Yard - May 07, 2024 at 01:06 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jeanne Williams.*



May 07, 2024 at 09:45 AM



“ *Please accept our deepest condolences on the loss of this wonderful lady.*
Larry and Dianna Choate

Larry Choate - May 07, 2024 at 09:01 AM



“ *Justin & Tricia Hartline lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Justin & Tricia Hartline - May 07, 2024 at 07:52 AM



“ *Teresa Richerson lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Teresa Richerson - May 07, 2024 at 07:47 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Jeanne Williams.*



May 07, 2024 at 01:17 AM



“ *It was such a joy to get to know her. The most kind soul. May she rest in peace. My thoughts and prayers to her husband and family.*

Kathy Stemmler - May 06, 2024 at 08:43 PM



“ *Frederick And Betty Heaton lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Frederick and Betty Heaton - May 06, 2024 at 08:07 PM



“ *Much Love, The Townsends purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Jeanne Williams.*



Much Love, The Townsends - May 06, 2024 at 08:05 PM

BW

“ *Bill And Barb Warmack lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Bill and Barb Warmack - May 06, 2024 at 07:59 PM

SB

“ *So sorry for your loss. You are in our prayers.*

Steve and Marilyn Berry - May 06, 2024 at 06:58 PM

JS

“ *John Slack lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



John Slack - May 06, 2024 at 05:29 PM

SH

“ *So very sorry for your loss. May she fly high with the angels and dance on streets of gold. Sending all those who knew and loved her peace and prayers.*



Shawn - May 06, 2024 at 05:18 PM

JW

“ *J. P. Watkins lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



J. P. Watkins - May 06, 2024 at 04:41 PM

NW

“ *Neal & Carol Watkins lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Neal & Carol Watkins - May 06, 2024 at 03:50 PM

AB

“ *Anita L Bullock lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Anita L Bullock - May 06, 2024 at 03:24 PM

AW

“ *Aleatha Wright lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Aleatha Wright - May 06, 2024 at 03:23 PM

KC

“ *Kathy Craig lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Kathy Craig - May 06, 2024 at 03:12 PM

CH

“ *Cheryl Harris lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Cheryl Harris - May 06, 2024 at 02:39 PM

PB

“ *Patsy Blankenship lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Patsy Blankenship - May 06, 2024 at 02:23 PM

MH

“ *Mary Lou Hynes lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Mary Lou Hynes - May 06, 2024 at 01:53 PM

AT

“ *Amanda Thorne lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Amanda Thorne - May 06, 2024 at 01:40 PM

BC

“ *So sorry! A sweet lady.*



Bob and Kim Collins - May 06, 2024 at 11:48 AM

JT

“ *Jane Treece lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Jane Treece - May 06, 2024 at 11:32 AM

LK

“ *Linda Koehler lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Linda Koehler - May 06, 2024 at 11:17 AM

BJ

“ *Barbara Jeffress lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Barbara jeffress - May 06, 2024 at 10:57 AM

KS

“ *I worked with Jeannie for two years at VGS. I am so sorry to hear of her passing.*



Kelley Sullivan

Kelley Sullivan - May 06, 2024 at 10:30 AM

KP

“ *Kevin & Alice Parkhurst lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Kevin & Alice Parkhurst - May 06, 2024 at 10:28 AM

LM

“ *Larry And Carolyn McGill lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Larry and Carolyn McGill - May 06, 2024 at 10:02 AM

LC

“ *Linda Craig lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Linda Craig - May 06, 2024 at 09:54 AM

KB

“ *Karen Brumley lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Williams*



Karen Brumley - May 06, 2024 at 09:29 AM