



Jane Ann Standley

July 15, 1946 - January 30, 2015

Jane Ann Standley passed away peacefully on Friday evening, January 30th, 2015. She was 68 years old.

Jane was born on July 15th, 1946 in Kansas City, MO to Paul and Arleta Shewmaker. She grew up in the Kansas City area graduating from Grandview High School in 1964. After high school Jane attended Southwest Baptist University where she graduated with a degree in music in 1968. At SBU is also where she met her future husband, Michael "Mick" Standley. After marrying in 1969, they moved to Parsons, KS where Jane began her career as an educator. After 16 years in Parsons, Jane and Mick, along with children Christopher and Tiffany, moved to Wichita, KS. In Wichita Jane continued her teaching career and enjoyed being a member of First Baptist Church and patronizing the many cultural and musical events in the Wichita area. In 1994, the family moved back to Bolivar, MO where Jane began her tenure with the Bolivar School District and earned her Master's Degree in Education. While teaching in Bolivar, Jane valued the wonderful relationships she developed with her fellow teachers and hundreds of students she taught. Jane especially loved her years teaching the multi-age class FROGS (Friends Relying on Group Success).

After retiring in 2011, Jane enjoyed working in the garden with Mick and became an active member in the Missouri Retired Teachers Association. While teaching was Jane's passion, she cherished the time with her husband, children and grandchildren. She loved making trips to Kansas City and Branson with the family as well as weekends spent with her granddaughters. In 2013 Jane was thrilled to see both of her children married.

Jane was preceded in death by her parents, Paul and Arleta Shewmaker and granddaughter, Lily Ann Standley.

Jane is survived by her husband of 45 years, Mick Standley, son Christopher and wife Erin Standley of Kansas City, MO, daughter Tiffany and husband John Matthews of Buffalo, MO and granddaughters Shelby Doke and Bailey Matthews.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Care to Learn in honor of Jane. The address is: Care to Learn Bolivar – 524 W Madison – Bolivar, MO 65613. The visitation will be held on Tuesday, February 3rd from 5pm to 7pm and the memorial service will be held on Wednesday, February 4th at 10am. Both will be held at Butler Funeral Home in Bolivar, MO.

Friends and family may sign the guestbook or leave private condolences at :www.butlerfuneralhome.com

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Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 3. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Butler Funeral Home - Bolivar
407 E. Broadway
Bolivar, MO 65613
(417) 326-5233
<https://butlerfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Service

FEB 4. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Jane Ann Standley*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ *Jane Ann Standley*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *I'm very sorry for your loss. I have known Jane since I was little. She taught a class I was in. I will never forget her.*

Tiffany Quennoz - February 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Jane was a great person and teacher. I will always remember sitting by her and watching the soccer games. We would meet up while shopping at Walmart and always talk. God bless your family.*

Royce Slagle - February 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Jane had such a profound impact on the person I have become today. I was blessed enough to spend two of my most formative years under her care and guidance. She will always be a part of me, and every student privileged enough to learn and grow with her. As one of the original FROGs, I can say that I am truly blessed to have known this amazing woman. I will miss her.*

Richard (Ricky) Nebel - February 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LN

“ I enjoyed growing up with Jane in the Bolivar teaching realm. She was always kind and warm to me and made me feel loved. She will be missed by the community and her memory will be held by all of the students' lives she impacted.

Lydia Nebel - February 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LL

“ Tiffany and Chris,

Please know you are thought of. Your mom's sweet sweet spirit blessed so many people. She was a dear. I am so very sorry you hurt...know that God is with you. Collapse into Him.

With Love,

Lindsey

Lindsey (Wommack) Laird - February 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ Mick, we are so sorry to hear of your great loss. Please know you are in our prayers. Don and Joan Woods

Joan Woods - February 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ Jane had a passion for teaching and for her students. I worked with her my first year here in Bolivar. I loved to hear her tell the students stories. She had each and every one of them at the edge of their seats. She will be missed.

Angela Gries - February 02, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ So sorry to hear this. Prayers for Peace beyond understanding for you and the kids. Many fond memories of Jane.

Deanna Hucke Hollingsworth - February 02, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LL

“ Jane was such an inspiration to so many people!!! She truly had a passion for teaching and truly loved children. Although my own children were never fortunate enough to have Jane as a teacher, they enjoyed getting to know her on the playground and in the halls.

I also know Jane had an enormous love for her family and that she will be missed greatly. Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Lisa Lehman - February 01, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ Mick, so saddened for your loss. May the Lord be with you as are the prayers of your friends, in the coming days and months

Debra L Britt - February 01, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ Beloved FROGS teacher that taught all three of our children. She was always happy to see former students at different places around town. Will miss her smile and loved her like family. Prayers for family during this time.

Steven and LaDonna Moore - January 31, 2015 at 12:00 AM