Joan E. Somers

August 28, 1944 - February 11, 2022

Joan E. Somers, 77, of Hillsborough, NJ passed away peacefully in her home on February 11, 2022 after battling a year long illness.

Born to Veronica and John Klueber in Union, NJ she was raised in Hillside, NJ and was a 1962 graduate of Hillside High School. She shared many fond memories of those years spent with her parents, siblings, grandparents, aunts, uncles and cousins. During this time Joan also enjoyed visiting Point Pleasant during the summer and continued to do so throughout her lifetime.

Joan began her professional career in 1963 at Schering Pharmaceuticals. During that time she married Francis Somers, they had one child, Scott and then later divorced. In 1976 her career continued at Sanofi Aventis and while employed earned a Marketing degree from Raritan Valley Community College. She retired after 32 years in 2008 as an Executive Administrative Assistant. Her co-workers will surely remember her witty sense of humor and ease of making the day go by. Upon the arrival of her granddaughter Sadie, Joan began her new and most cherished career as “Nanny”.

Joan enjoyed her many days with Sadie and both especially loved going to the pool followed by tea party luncheons. She was an avid reader, loved music and was a fan of Law & Order.

Joan is survived by her son Scott Somers (Sandra), granddaughter Sadie and brothers Jack and James Klueber. She is predeceased by her parents Veronica and John Klueber, brother Kenneth Klueber and her beloved cat Misty.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Ketusky Funeral Home, Manville, NJ. Services will be private. Condolences may be extended to the family at Ketusky.com

Tribute Wall

TG

Very sorry to hear. We worked together for many years. She was a wonderful person.

Tim Gau - August 04, 2023 at 06:05 AM

CH

It took me time to process the news. I'll miss our talks about Hillside, about the same places we knew. I'll miss our talks about our animals we loved and lost. I'll miss the advice you gave me which was always easy for you. I always ❤️ loved you picked me. You always told me you picked me. You picked me to be your co worker you picked me to be your friend. I will be forever grateful God put you in my life. No one has shown me how is easy kindness could be. Forever in my heart and prayers as we always ended our calls with I love you.

Christine - February 27, 2022 at 05:43 PM

SN

I worked with Joan at Hoechst for years we always have good time at work and after work we would go out with a group of friends and hang out. Such a lovely person.....

Sandy Nowak - February 22, 2022 at 09:31 AM

JC

I remember how Joan would always make us laugh at work. She made work less stressful.with her great sense of humor

Jo Ann Cousin - February 21, 2022 at 03:14 PM