



Joyce Carol Sands

November 1, 1956 - July 18, 2021

Joyce Carol Sands was born November 1, 1956 in Baltimore, Maryland to James and Regina Sands. Joyce peacefully passed away from a brief illness on July 18 with her two sisters, Jayne and Jean by her side.

Joyce retired after 30 years from the State of Maryland and moved to Smyrna, Delaware in 2019. Joyce was a lifelong resident of Riviera Beach where she enjoyed swimming, crabbing, listening to the Baltimore Orioles and enjoyed her time twirling a baton with the Beach Bells.

Joyce was preceded in death by her parents James and Regina Sands, grandmother Regina C Duffy and nephew Paul C Fisher. Joyce is survived by sisters JoAnn Barsda, Jayne McGunigale, Jean Fisher (Will), three nieces Christine, Mary-Catherine, Jocelyn, one great niece and two great nephews and her longtime companion Ron Davies.

The family would like to thank Hospice of Chesapeake and Father Erik Arnold of St. John's The Evangelist Roman Catholic Church. As for Joyce's wishes there will be no funeral. Instead, you can make a donation in her name to the Alpha1 Foundation at alpha1.org and/ or Hospice of Chesapeake in Pasadena.

Tribute Wall

MC

“Joyce, was a great employee and a great friend. She was always able to brighten my day. She could always make me laugh.

Milton Chaffee - July 23, 2021 at 06:16 PM

LM

“Joyce was a wonderful co-worker who knew her job well and was always willing to share her knowledge with her co-workers. She had a great personality. I enjoyed getting together for lunch with her. She will be missed. Rest in peace dear friend.

Linda Mohr - July 22, 2021 at 09:09 AM

KG

“Joyce was a pleasure to work with. She was a fun loving friend. I enjoyed our many lunch dates before and after retirement. Will miss you my friend.

Katherine Grokas - July 21, 2021 at 11:37 AM

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“She asked for so little, but gave so very much.

Earvin Doughty - July 21, 2021 at 08:26 AM

LC

“Our Beautiful Joyce always wearing a smile and with a laugh that was so infectious it took you to the moon. No one will ever replace her.💔

Linda Croghan - July 20, 2021 at 06:06 PM