



Joan Alice Golden

February 25, 1935 - August 22, 2019

Joan A. Golden, 84, of Conyers, Georgia, passed away August 22, 2019 after a brief illness with her family by her side. She was born to Robert and Margaret Ferguson, February 25, 1935 in Scranton, Pennsylvania. Joan graduated from South Catholic High School, Scranton, PA, in 1953. She was married to the late Richard. F. Golden, Sr. in 1961 and they lived near Philadelphia for several years before relocating to Laurel, Maryland in 1966. In 1976, they moved to Conyers, Georgia making it their home for 43 years. While Joan held various jobs in her life, she will best be remembered as a homemaker. Joan was a member of St. Pius X Catholic Church in Conyers, GA. Joan is survived by her four children, son, Chris Golden & Becky Anderson of Oxford, Georgia, son, Tom & Sharon Golden of Bishop, Georgia, son, Richie & Dana Golden of Conyers, Georgia, daughter Maggie & Russel Folmar of Cedarburg, Wisconsin. She is also survived by grandchildren; Jennifer Golden, Katie Golden, Christal & Andy Eade, Lauren & Bryan Ashmore, Abigail Golden, Riley Folmar, Sean Folmar, Charleston Folmar, Ashlee & Chase Bagwell, and Aubree Anderson, and great grandchildren; Conner Eade, Hayden Eade, Andee Bagwell, and Avere Bagwell; and sister, Theresa Hartman. Joan was predeceased by her loving husband, Richard Golden in 1994. Joan was a devoted wife and mother. She was immensely proud of her children and their families and took an active role in the lives of her grandchildren. Joan's quick wit and fiery spirit will be remembered by all who were lucky enough to share a laugh with her. Joan was also very

opinionated and quick to point out where others were 'wrong'! But she also possessed an innate sense of honesty that everyone appreciated. It was dangerous to ask her what she was thinking but one always got the unvarnished and uncensored truth! At the same time, Joan was very kind and loving. She welcomed our friends into her home and treated them as if they were her own children and they loved her as well. Joan always had a couple of gallons of milk on hand, a fresh baked cake, Oreo cookies, or her famous ham and cheese sandwiches! No one ever left hungry! She always put the needs of others above her own and made significant sacrifices throughout her entire life to make our lives better. Joan will be missed by many. Funeral Mass will be held Monday, August 26, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. at St. Pius X Catholic Church; interment will follow at Green Meadow Memorial Gardens. Family will receive friends Sunday, August 25, 2019 from 5 until 7 p.m. at the funeral home. Condolences may be submitted on-line at www.scotward.com. Scot Ward Funeral Services, 699 American Legion Rd., Conyers, GA, 770-483-7216.

Cemetery Details

Green Meadow Memorial Gardens

677 American Legion Rd NE
Conyers, GA 30012

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **25**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Scot Ward Funeral Services at Green Meadow Memorial Gardens
699 American Legion Road
Conyers, GA 30012

Service

AUG **26**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Pius X Catholic Church
2621 Hwy 20 SE
Conyers, GA 30013

Tribute Wall



“ *Vivid Recollections* was purchased for the family of Joan Alice Golden.



August 25, 2019 at 12:39 PM

WP

“ Saw death announcement in today's Scranton Times while visiting Scranton.

So sorry to read of Joan's passing!

In 1958 I was a school crossing guard for Whittier Elementary School at the intersection in front of Golden's Pharmacy. Used to enjoy cherry Coke's at fountain for 5 cents!

By 1970, after high school, college and then in the Army, I rented an apartment at Oxford Green Apartments in Laurel, Maryland, and Joan was the rental manager. When Joan learned that I was from Scranton, it was if I had met a family member; it was like a homecoming of sorts.

Joan was very warm and genuine. It is amazing the first impressions which some people make. Whenever I recall an experience or neighbor from my time living at Oxford Green, it is impossible not to think fondly of Joan Golden!

Sorry to learn that Joan has left us, but knowing her even with our few interactions, made my life better, and I have thought of her often during the many years since!

My condolences to the family.

*Wayne Price
Naples, Florida*

Wayne Price - August 25, 2019 at 09:46 AM

JJ

“ On behalf of Jack & Lou Ann Jones (Rita McLaughlin Jones) we wish to extend our sympathy to the family. Remember going to the house as a kid with my mother to visit.

Jack Jones - August 25, 2019 at 08:22 AM

ER

“ Ed Golden and Carmen Rios purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Joan Alice Golden.



Ed Golden and Carmen Rios - August 24, 2019 at 08:38 PM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Joan Alice Golden.



August 24, 2019 at 07:43 PM

LW

“ Love Bryant , Leslie , Bishop and Collin Weaver purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Joan Alice Golden.



Love Bryant , Leslie , Bishop and Collin Weaver - August 24, 2019 at 04:07 PM

BA

“ *Golden Family,
Our deepest sympathies on your loss, she was an awesome woman
and will be missed by family and friends. Please know all are in our
thoughts and prayers.
Love, Marile & Bill Astary*

Bill Astary - August 24, 2019 at 12:58 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for
the family of Joan Alice Golden.*



August 24, 2019 at 12:48 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of
Joan Alice Golden.*



August 24, 2019 at 11:22 AM

LL

“ *Leslie, Linda, Susan, COL Ed & Liz purchased
the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Joan
Alice Golden.*



Leslie, Linda, Susan, COL Ed & Liz - August 24, 2019 at 11:13 AM



“ 45 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Scot Ward Funeral Services - August 24, 2019 at 09:58 AM



“ *Chris, Tom, Richie and Maggie: Your mom is a special lady. I have very fond memories of your family when you lived in Laurel, MD. My sympathy and prayers are with you and your families. Love to all. Corrine Vrabel Mohnasky.*



c - August 24, 2019 at 12:03 AM



“ *All our love, Ken, Briana, and Emmie Folmar purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Joan Alice Golden.*



All our love, Ken, Briana, and Emmie Folmar - August 23, 2019 at 10:19 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joan Alice Golden.



August 23, 2019 at 07:02 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Joan Alice Golden.



August 23, 2019 at 05:06 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Joan Alice Golden.



August 23, 2019 at 04:36 PM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Joan Alice Golden.



August 23, 2019 at 04:34 PM

RS

“ Robert & DeeDee Bishop, Matt, Mary, Brad & Steven purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Joan Alice Golden.



Robert & DeeDee Bishop, Matt, Mary, Brad & Steven - August 23, 2019 at 04:31 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joan Alice Golden.



August 23, 2019 at 04:30 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joan Alice Golden.



August 23, 2019 at 04:19 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Joan Alice Golden.



August 23, 2019 at 03:05 PM