



Jean Marie Eich

July 6, 1959 - August 17, 2017

Jean Marie Eich, 58, of Ackley, passed away Thursday, August 17, 2017 at Allen Hospital in Waterloo. Funeral mass will be held at 11:00 am Monday, August 21, 2017 at the St. Mary's Catholic Church in Ackley. Burial will be at the St. Mary's Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5-7 pm on Sunday, August 20 at the church. Woodley Funeral Home, LLC of Iowa Falls is caring for Jean and her family.

Jean Marie Eich was born on July 6, 1959 to Otmar John and Marie Rita (Wieland) Eich. She attended Ackley schools and DMACC in Ankeny where she studied culinary arts. Jean worked in the food service and health care industry for most of her life.

Her love, compassion, and commitment to the people of Ackley were beyond extraordinary. Jean had the kindest heart and went out of her way to make everyone feel comfortable. She loved to entertain her friends with food. She enjoyed taking pictures and collecting religious memorabilia. Family was foremost to Jean. Having her nieces and nephews around was one of her biggest joys in life as well as her dogs.

Jean Marie Eich is survived by her mother, Marie Eich of Cedar Falls, Iowa; her brothers, Bob (Jean) Eich of Cedar Falls, Iowa and Roger Eich of Waterloo, Iowa; sisters, Mary Voy of Waterloo, Iowa, Carol (Rich) Smith of

Altoona, Iowa and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her father and two infant brothers, David and Edward Joseph.

Cemetery Details

St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery

611 Sherman Avenue
Ackley, IA 50601

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **20**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Ackley, IA

Church Service

AUG **21**. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Ackley, IA

Burial

AUG **21** (CT)

St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery
611 Sherman Avenue
Ackley, IA 50601

Tribute Wall

MW

“ *Very sorry to hear of Jean's passing. Growing up in Ackley our families were great family friends. Jean had a great laugh and smile. She was very kind, sweet and always stopped to say Hi and ask how the family was doing when we saw each other. Thoughts and prayers to the Eich family.*

Mary Ann (Kramer) Wood

Mary Ann (Kramer) Wood - August 21, 2017 at 10:12 AM

VS

“ *Deepest condolences to all of Jean's famiy. I will always remember her smile, always happy and upbeat. I just saw her a week or so ago with a friend buying groceries. She really knew what she needed!*

Vickie Swart

Vickie Swart - August 19, 2017 at 09:59 PM

MB

“ *I worked with Jean at hyvee in Iowa Falls she always came into work with a smile on her face. Jean always greeted me with hi matt how are you. She was so friendly to me her laugh was contagious. Thoughts and prayers to her family. Matt Bahr*

Matthew Bahr - August 18, 2017 at 09:57 PM



We are so sorry for your loss. Prayers of comfort and support. Deepest sympathy, Kenny Mary smith

Mary C Smith - August 20, 2017 at 05:50 PM

DK

“ Jean was a classmate and a friend. She always had a smile and a contagious laugh! Many memories of Jean. Thoughts and prayers to her family.

Deb Kuhfus - August 18, 2017 at 03:29 PM

DS

Jean was a classmate and I always considered her a friend. She was one of the nicest people I know. RIP Jean! Prayers to her family.

Deb Shugar - August 19, 2017 at 01:02 PM

MS

“ Jean was one of the sweetest people I have known, a longtime friend and came to many of our families gatherings through the years. She'd always greet me with a hug when we'd meet and was so upbeat, loved her smile and her laugh. So glad she came to our family Easter this year, will cherish those memories and have so many wonderful pictures from that day!



Mickie Shumaker - August 18, 2017 at 03:10 PM

JC

“ Jean was kind and always smiling. She would help you out in a second if you asked. My sympathy to the family. May you find comfort in each other at this time of sorrow and may you find comfort in knowing others share your loss.

Judy Crawford

Class of 1977

Judy Crawford - August 18, 2017 at 12:37 PM

JU

“ Jean was my classmate and we attended the same church. She always had a smile on her face! She was such a kind, sweet, lovely person. We missed seeing her at our recent class reunion. My sincere sympathy to Jean's family during this difficult time. Julie Ubben

Julie Ubben - August 18, 2017 at 11:43 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Jean Marie Eich.

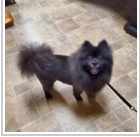


August 18, 2017 at 10:01 AM

VI

“ Jean was one of the kindest, most thoughtful person I have had the privilege in know the two or threes she lived by me. She had no mean in her body. She truly cared about others. She was taken to soon, but at the same time earned her angels wings. Miss you so much, Jean! Love you always. Till we meet again. Vicky

Vicky - August 18, 2017 at 07:46 AM



“ Jean was a kind and wonderful person, absorbing and trying to find the deeper meaning hidden in the little things that made her life more special; and taking the time to share her epiphanies with others in the hope of enlightening their path. I will never forget her sense of awe and wonder on her first visit to the Midnight Gallery with her good friends Connie and Sandy. Let me share a photo of Jean in a happy moment, sitting under the gallery stars, feeling happy, inspired, and fulfilled...what a sweet soul. Rest in Peace Jean, Well Done.



Todd Ruszkowski - August 18, 2017 at 03:00 AM

PB

“ Got to know Jean when she was working at the HyVee deli in Iowa Falls. She was always so helpful and always had a smile. When we would meet up in other places she always made it a point to come over to say hi and to chat. Never saw her without her smile. Sure will miss her. Rest peacefully Jean. Pam Bandow

Pamela Bandow - August 18, 2017 at 12:17 AM

CS

“ Jean was a true friend of mine for 17 years.we have been through good and bad times.i will miss her dearly.

Connie schipper - August 17, 2017 at 03:44 PM

PA

“ *She had a heart of gold. I never heard Jeanie say a bad word about anyone. My deepest condolences to the family.*
Penny Anderson



Penny Anderson - August 17, 2017 at 02:56 PM