



Joann Lynn Copeland

June 21, 1957 - January 30, 2024

Joann Lynn Copeland, of Midtown, TN, passed away unexpectedly on Monday, January 29, 2024, at Centennial Hospital in Nashville, TN. She was 66.

Jonie, as she was known by her friends and family, is preceded in death by her parents, Joseph F. Wagner Sr. and Lillian Gawrych Wagner of Chicago, Ill.

She is survived by her husband of 48 years, Jim Copeland, her son, Jason Copeland and wife, Robin, daughter Jennifer Copeland, son Jeffrey Copeland, as well as her beloved four grandchildren: Kimberly Copeland Reynolds and husband Jake, Kaylee Copeland, Kaden Copeland, and Raylan Copeland Branham. As well as her brother, Joseph F. Wagner Jr, and sister-in-law, Donna Wagner. Her first great grandson, Kenneth Wyatt Reynolds, is expected to be born within the next few days.

Jonie was a loving and dedicated wife, mother, grandmother, and friend. A gifted homemaker, she welcomed many into her home over the years, always making them feel loved and cared for. Jonie was an incredible decorator and worked hard to make everything around her beautiful.

She fiercely loved her family and was the heart and soul of the Copeland home.

Those who knew her best gave her the nickname, “Hummingbird”, due to the quick, efficient, and graceful manner she embodied while serving those around her. Whether she was with her children and grandchildren, sending cards to loved ones, or hosting a get-together, she could always be found helping and encouraging those she loved. She will be deeply missed by all.

The Copeland family will receive family and friends from 5-7 p.m., Tuesday, February 6th, at Kyker Funeral Home in Kingston, TN. Burial service will be the following day Wednesday, February 7th at 1 pm. The funeral procession will depart Kyker’s for the Cemetery at 1:30 pm to Roane Memorial Gardens, Rockwood TN and graveside service will be held at 2 pm.

Kyker Funeral Home of Kingston is serving the Copeland Family: located at 350 W Race Street, Kingston, TN 37763.

Previous Events

Vistiation

FEB 6. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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PO Box 69, 350 W Race St
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Funeral Service

FEB 6. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Burial

FEB 7. 2:00 PM (ET)

Roane Memorial Gardens
1400 N Gateway Ave
Rockwood, TN 37854

Tribute Wall



“ *Kyker Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Joann Lynn Copeland*



Kyker Funeral Home - February 06, 2024 at 01:32 PM

KK

“ *I haven't seen Joni since I retired but I remember her as a kind and sweet person. I'm very sorry for your loss. 🙏✅*

kim Henley Kennedy - February 10, 2024 at 01:30 PM

LR

“ *I am so sorry to read about Jonie's passing. She used to come in the flower shop and it was always so good to see her and talk to her. Her sweetness and kindness just made you feel good to be around her. Thank you for your friendship and beautiful smile. Memories are so precious.
Linda Adkisson Rittenhouse
Adkisson's Flowers*

Linda Rittenhouse - February 06, 2024 at 03:14 PM



“ 38 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Kyker Funeral Home - February 06, 2024 at 01:30 PM



“ Jimmy & Annabell planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joann Lynn Copeland.

Jimmy & Annabell - February 05, 2024 at 08:26 PM



“ Jimmy & Annabell purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Joann Lynn Copeland.



Jimmy & Annabell - February 05, 2024 at 08:26 PM

CC

“ *Claudette, Hal & Jamie, Maggie & Cheech purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Joann Lynn Copeland.*



Claudette, Hal & Jamie, Maggie & Cheech - February 05, 2024
at 03:02 PM

LC

“ *Love, your cousins purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Joann Lynn Copeland.*



Love, your cousins - February 04, 2024 at 09:41 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joann Lynn Copeland.*



February 04, 2024 at 02:52 PM

DC

“ Even though Jonie was 5 years older than me, which is a huge difference when you are a kid, she was never upset about having to entertain her younger cousin while our parents played penny poker on Saturday nights. We would listen to our parents laugh and carry on, while we talked and I learned to put on makeup. I tried so hard to be older than I actually was.



Then life happens and our paths diverged. She left to follow her heart to Tennessee while I stayed in Chicago. We were both married and raising our families. For a brief moment of time in my early married life, she returned to Bolingbrook and I was so excited. We visited often and I hosted many Home Interior shows. But Tennessee called her away.

She was always so quiet, so soft spoken. I was not. She was patient, very kind. I never heard her say an unkind word about anyone. And if she did, she probably apologized immediately. She never complained about any thing. Her family meant everything to her, she was fierce and very protective. But yet, she was a very private person. So this is a shock because I didn't even know that she was sick. It's a shock but really it shouldn't be because Jonie always wanted to know how you were.

My sweet cousin, I will miss you,
Debbie

Debbie Cope - February 04, 2024 at 11:21 AM

RL

“ Jeff and family. You know better than anyone what a wonderful woman Jonie was. I know your heart is breaking. You will be in my prayers.

Ranell Lane - February 04, 2024 at 07:50 AM

DE

“ *Dee and Emily purchased the Simply Elegant Sp
athiphyllum for the family of Joann Lynn
Copeland.*



Dee and Emily - February 03, 2024 at 05:07 PM

JF

“ *John, Carolyn & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joann Lynn
Copeland.*

John, Carolyn & Family - February 03, 2024 at 02:09 PM

JF

“ *John, Carolyn & Family purchased the Sweet Tra
nquility Basket for the family of Joann Lynn
Copeland.*



John, Carolyn & Family - February 03, 2024 at 02:09 PM

DF

“ *Dwight and Debbie and family purchased the Fair
est of All for the family of Joann Lynn Copeland.*



Dwight and Debbie and family - February 02, 2024 at 09:39
PM

DG

“ Jim and family, Jonie was such a a sweet person. I have such good memories of her. May God be with you all and give you strength. Diane Collier Grant



Diane Grant - February 02, 2024 at 08:08 PM

HU

“ Hunter purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Joann Lynn Copeland.



Hunter - February 02, 2024 at 07:34 PM

RD

“ Jonie was such a beautiful soul, very welcoming lady and gave her most undivided attention to you when she was speaking to you.. our hearts go out to you Jimmy and kids . So sorry 🥹🙏❤️ May The Lord give you strength and comfort during the days ahead. We love you all Jimmy .

Ricky Davis - February 02, 2024 at 03:07 PM

DW

“ Jonie was one of the most devoted mothers I have ever known. Her children and grandchildren were very dear to her heart and she loved them all dearly. her family was everything to her.

donna wagner - February 02, 2024 at 02:29 PM

Jl

“ 13 files added to the album Jonie



Jim - February 02, 2024 at 02:28 PM