



Joan Halbur

December 23, 1952 - February 13, 2024

Joan Halbur, age 71 of rural Carroll passed away at her home on Tuesday February 13, 2024.

A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, February 20, 2024 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Willey. The Celebrant will be Fr. Patrick Behm. Music will be by Jane Heithoff and the St. Mary's Choir. Lectors will be Katelyn Halbur and Mary "Micker" Snyder. Gift Bearers will be Joan's grandchildren. Eucharistic Minister will be John Grossman. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery in Willey.

Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m. on Monday at the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll with a Christian Wake Service at 7 p.m. Additional visitation will be from 9:30-10:15 a.m. on Tuesday in St. Mary's Parish Hall prior to the Funeral Mass.

Memorials may be left at the funeral home or the church for Caring Hearts in Carroll or American Heart Association. Funeral arrangements are under the direction of the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll and online condolences may be left for Joan's family at www.sharpfuneral.com.

Joan M. Halbur was born on December 23, 1952, the daughter of Louis and Marian (Klocke) Grossman. Joan grew up in Carroll, Iowa and following high school began work at General Electric. Joan made many lifelong friends at GE and remained employed until their closing. She then worked many years with individuals with disabilities. Joan had a passion to help anyone in need; she is remembered to have always made sure her clients had a gift to open for

Christmas.

Joan was united in marriage to Roger A. Halbur on November 12, 1982.

Roger and Joan operated the family farm while raising their three children.

Joan prided herself on being a hard-working mother; no one could return dirty and oily farm shirts to their original white overnight like Joan could!

In her younger years Joan was vivacious and always on the go. She enjoyed shopping, playing cards, baking and decorating her amazing cakes and spending time with her many friends and loved ones. Joan was especially fond of her grandchildren and loved spending time with them whenever possible.

Left to cherish the memories of Joan's beautiful soul are her husband Roger Halbur; son Ben (Kristen) Halbur of Carroll; son John (Stephanie) Halbur of Rockwell, IA; daughter Leann (Leighton) Lansink of Odebolt, IA; 8 grandchildren: Carter Lucas, Katelyn Halbur, Hunter Lucas, Adrian Halbur, Bristol Halbur, Louis Lansink, Evelyn Halbur and Magdalene Halbur; four sisters: Lou Ann Mowrey (Ronnie) of Carroll, Mary "Micker" Snyder (Barry) of Glidden, Joyce "Fred" Wittrock (Jim) of Carroll and Betty Appleby (Mark) of North Fort Meyers, FL; five brothers: Gary Grossman (Shirley) of Wheaton, IL, Mark Grossman (Lynne) of Waukee, John Grossman (Joan) of Castle Rock, CO, Joe Grossman (Sue) of Albert Lea, MN, Mike (Barb) of Des Moines; sister-in laws: Teri Halbur and Ann Halbur; brother- in-laws: Jim Bayliss (Linda) and Neil Halbur; also aunts, uncles, many nieces, nephews and loved ones.

Joan was preceded in death by her parents Louis and Marian Grossman, her sisters: Donna Bayliss and Lori Christofferson, a nephew Aaron Appleby; and her in-laws: Adrian and Dorothy Halbur.

Tribute Wall

JH

“ John H. planted a grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joan Halbur.

John H. - February 25, 2024 at 12:13 PM

JB

“ I am so sorry to hear of the loss of Joan. She was a delight in my life with her friendliness and smile, never missing a chance to say "hello" when she saw me. Unfortunately I did not stay in Carroll all these years but was always happy to see her or any of her family when I was there.
May she rest in peace!
Joan Schumacher Bloom

Joan Schumacher Bloom - February 19, 2024 at 04:57 PM

JR

“ To all your families 🙏 prayers as you all suffer the loss. May she rest in peace. God Bless

jerry rupiper - February 19, 2024 at 01:40 PM

SM

“ Smiley purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Joan Halbur.



Smiley - February 19, 2024 at 07:43 AM

SM

“ Smiley planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joan Halbur.

Smiley - February 19, 2024 at 07:43 AM



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



February 18, 2024 at 01:42 PM

LB

“ Dear Grossmans and Halburs: I was so sorry to read of Joans death. Because of living some distance away, I haven't seen Joanie in years. But I remember her as a sweet child all those years I worked with her parents, Marian and Louis. I know you siblings have lost 2 others, Donna and Lori and hope somehow dealing with their loss will help you with Joan's death. You all had a wonderful family with your parents, whom we miss as well.
Lorraine Schumacher Baumhover

Lorraine Schumacher Baumhover - February 18, 2024 at 09:26 AM

CS

“ So sad to see this. Worked with Joan at GE. Such a sweet gal. My condolences to the Halbur and Grossman families. May she Rest in Peace.

Cindy Sporrer - February 17, 2024 at 03:23 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Joan Halbur.*



February 16, 2024 at 05:59 PM



“ *The Mowrey's planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joan Halbur.*

The Mowrey's - February 16, 2024 at 05:59 PM



“ *My Deepest Sympathy to Joan's family. I was another GE person, there were many of us that worked with her. May she rest in Peace!*
Carleen (Nieland) Schwieso



Carleen Schwieso - February 16, 2024 at 04:26 PM



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



February 16, 2024 at 02:25 PM

JN

“ Jake and Deb Nickell planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joan Halbur.

Jake and Deb Nickell - February 16, 2024 at 02:25 PM

KJ

“ To all of Joan's Family.....My sincere sympathy on the loss of Joan..... I worked @ G.E. As well.....Keep the memories of her close to your heart.....She will always be with you.....She was a nice gal.....R.I.P.Joan....



Kristi Schuler Jorgensen - February 16, 2024 at 11:49 AM

A.

“ Arnie&aggie . planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joan Halbur.

Arnie&aggie . - February 16, 2024 at 09:37 AM

VD

“ Vickie Duff lit a candle in memory of Joan Halbur



Vickie Duff - February 15, 2024 at 09:11 PM



“ *When I think of Joanie, I will always remember how vivacious she was! Energetic, cheerful, and so caring. She had quite the knack for making me feel warm and welcome, no matter how long it had been since my last visit. She was a blessing to the Halbur family and will be missed.*

Betsy Robbins - February 15, 2024 at 08:28 PM

HB

“ *I remember a year when my mom and dad couldn't afford to spend money on a Christmas tree. So they set up my dad's old train set and got some sprigs of fur tree from our grove and placed them in decorated cans around the train. It looked really good but when Aunt Joanie heard that, there was no way she was going to let us have a Christmas without a tree. She got one and brought it to our house and left it out side for us. For years Brandy and I thought that Santa brought it, but found out many years later that it was Joanie. I also remember how special it was to be pregnant with my first baby (Brent) and Joan was pregnant with Leann and Aunt Lori was pregnant with Rachel. They both helped me feel at ease about having my first baby. I will miss you so much Joan. I always loved our chats. Love you, Heidi*

Heidi J. Ball - February 15, 2024 at 01:37 PM