



Jo Ann Kirby

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Edmore-Jo Ann Kirby, age 80, of Grant (formerly of Blanchard) passed away at her home on Friday, March 12, 2021. She was born in Lansing, Michigan on December 2, 1940 to Lee and Esther (Richardson) Tucker. Jo Ann was raised in the Blanchard area where she attended the Montabella Schools, graduating in 1960. She lived on the Kirby Lake farm for 65 years. Jo Ann married Archie Kirby June 12, 1960 in Mt. Pleasant. Jo Ann was a farmer most of her life. Later in life she took a job working for Wolverine Worldwide for 13 ½ years. She was a member of the VFW Auxillary. Jo Ann enjoyed Gardening, reading, and fishing.

Jo Ann will be missed by her 7 children Rodney (Shelly) Christle of Florida, Sherry Hayden of Grant, Darlene (Rod) Hoover of Six Lakes, Mark Kirby of Edmore, Katherine Kirby of Texas, Michelle Mulnix of Grant; 14 grandchildren; 35 great-grandchildren; sister, Mary Massey of Mt. Pleasant; brother, Allen Tucker of Mt. Pleasant.

Jo Ann was Preceded in death by her husband; son, Gary Christle and her parents.

Funeral services for Jo Ann will take place Monday, March 15, at 1:00pm at the Brigham Funeral Chapel in Edmore, MI. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. The interment will take place following the service at the Vinewood Cemetery in Edmore, Michigan.



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JF

John Fuller posted:

R.I.P. Joann you will be missed dearly!!! Joann was my neighbor for years she was a sweet lady always kind always smiling and laughing she was good neighbor she was good friends with my mom and my sister Denise hung with her kids when to school with her kids to so did I Deb and Chuck

March 14 at 8:00 PM

CG

Chad Gibson posted:

What a beautiful life she lived. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.

March 14 at 8:00 PM

CA

Carolyn posted:

I always enjoyed her visits she was such a hard working special lady. Thinking of you all. Carolyn Towne Hansen

March 13 at 8:00 PM

SH

Sherri Hayden posted:

WOW that was a long time ago. Thank you for your kind words...she will be greatly missed!

March 12 at 8:00 PM

SH

Sherri Hayden posted:

Thank you and yes she will be missed greatly!

March 12 at 8:00 PM

SH

Sherri Hayden posted:

Thank you so much for your kind words of remembering this wonderful lady.

March 12 at 8:00 PM



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BK

Barb Kenyon posted:

I work with Joanne at Wolverine world wide for the 13 and 1/2 years that she worked there she was a joy to work with

March 11 at 8:00 PM

AJ

Andersen Judy posted:

Joann was a good person she sure loved to laugh You will be missed dearly

March 11 at 8:00 PM

PW

Priscilla White posted:

She was an Awesome Woman. I used to work with her at Kelsey Hospital in Lakeview in the late 70's
Many Hugs and Prayers to her friends and family.

March 11 at 8:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Jo by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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