



## Mrs. Joanne Gage Thudin

February 18, 1938 - December 29, 2019

Mrs. Joanne Gage Thudin, 81, a lifelong resident of LaFayette, passed away on December 29, 2019 at St. Joseph's Hospital, Syracuse, N.Y. Joanne was born February 18, 1938 and had been a LaFayette resident until July 2017 when she moved to Syracuse for her medical care.

A 1955 graduate of LaFayette High School, Joanne then went on to graduate with a Nursing Degree from Caledonia Hospital School of Nursing in Brooklyn, N.Y. Joanne was employed for many years in local hospitals and then went on to be employed for 25 years for Onondaga County's home care division and also for five years for VNA Homecare.

Joanne was a member of the Columbian Presbyterian Church in LaFayette since 1950, where she also served as a Deacon and Elder and a member of the Golden Circle. She was preceded in death by her husband; Robert in September 1999 as well as a sister; Ruth Cobb in May 2017

Survivors include her children; Mary (Brian) Schweitzer of Liverpool, Ralph (Donna) D'Agostino of LaFayette and Katrina Thudin (Kenneth Williams) of Syracuse, her three beloved grandchildren, Joseph D'Agostino, Nadine D'Agostino and Jeanette D'Agostino, a cousin; Raymond Bishop of Jamesville and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be conducted on Saturday March 28, 2020 at 11 a.m. in  
Columbian Presbyterian Church at Rte's 11 & 20, LaFayette, N.Y.

Arrangements are under the direction of Riccardi Funeral Home, Cortland, NY

Contributions in Joanne's memory may be made to Columbian Presbyterian  
Church Corner of Rte's 20 and 11, LaFayette, N.Y. Condolences may also be  
sent to the family by visiting [www.riccardifuneralhome.com](http://www.riccardifuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

GS

“ *Bob and Paul and family,  
I am so sorry for your loss. Joanne always had something pleasant to say whenever I talked with her. Recently, I was going through some of my mother's effects and in her treasured recipe file was a recipe of Joanne's for some type of casserole. I will gladly send it to any family member who wants it.*  
Greg Scammell (315.677.3696)

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**Greg Scammell** - July 25, 2020 at 01:00 PM

DB

“ *To Joanne's family,  
I met Joanne when I worked with Bob at Upstate Medical University. She was a friendly, warm ,gracious woman who never forgot us with Christmas cards, even after Bob's passing. I remember them both fondly.*  
Dan Bassano

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**Daniel Bassano** - July 20, 2020 at 10:11 AM

JM

“ *Katrina, I've been thinking about you since learning of your Mom's passing and also Mary and Ralph although I didn't know them as well as I know you. Sending condolences to you and all your family and hoping that you'll take comfort in memories of your Mom and also in knowing that your LaFayette friends remember and send caring, comforting thoughts to you.* Jean McCarthy

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**Jean McCarthy** - January 09, 2020 at 11:39 AM

JC

“ Sorry to hear of your loss. Find comfort in happy memories.  
Jolene Cook

Jolene Cook - January 06, 2020 at 05:50 PM

CC

“ To Katrina and Ken & all of Joanne's family and friends: My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this difficult time. My mother(Betty) and I first met Joanne and Katrina on a trip across country to California. We knew right away a friendship was born and would last threw out the years. May the Lord give you comfort, peace and strength. Sincerely,  
Christine Cummings



Chris Cummings - January 05, 2020 at 07:25 AM

RB

“ To Ralph & all of your Mom's family & friends. We pray that the many fond memories will help ease the pain in your hearts,  
Sincerely, Nancy & Ron Bush

Ron Bush - January 04, 2020 at 03:41 PM

BE

“ I have known Joanne all my life. We met at LaFayette Central and were also members of LaFayette Pres. Church. She always had that beautiful smile on her face which brightened up my day!!!! She was a dear friend of my Aunt...Bernice Emery also she and my cousin Joanne "Button" were very close friends all their lives. She was always a part of my life and will continue to be. Betsy J. Emery

Betsy J Emery - January 03, 2020 at 06:52 AM