



Joann Closs

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Joann Closs, age 62, of East China Twp. passed away on September 18, 2013. She was born to the late Emery and Florence Stager on February 13, 1951 in St. Clair. She married Ronald Closs on August 4, 1973 in St. Clair. She was a life long member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, St.Clair. She was very active in the church, teaching catechism and helping with funeral luncheons. She enjoyed reading, bookstores, and most of all spending time with her grandchildren.

She is survived by her husband; Ronald Closs, children; Thomas (Danielle) Closs, Timothy (Danielle) Closs, Brian (Lorraine) Closs, grandchildren; Laurianna, Rylan, Jordyn, and Inara. She is also survived by her brothers; George Stager and Gerald (Debbie) Stager, brother-in-law; Clarence Baker and many nieces, nephews, and friends. She is preceded in death by her sister; Jean Baker.

Funeral services will begin Saturday September 21 at 9:15 a.m. at Young Funeral Home, China Twp. followed by a funeral mass at 10:00 a.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church, St. Clair. Interment will be in St. Mary's Cemetery, St.Clair. Visiting hours will be Friday from 2:00 to 9:00 p.m. with a rosary at 7:00 p.m. Memorials may be made to the wishes of the family. To leave a message of comfort visit www.youngcolonial.com



Events

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Visitation

Friday, September 20, 2013

2:00 PM - 9:00 PM ET

Young Colonial Chapel Funeral Home, Inc.
4061 Saint Clair Hwy, East China MI 48054



Service

Saturday, September 21, 2013

9:15 AM ET

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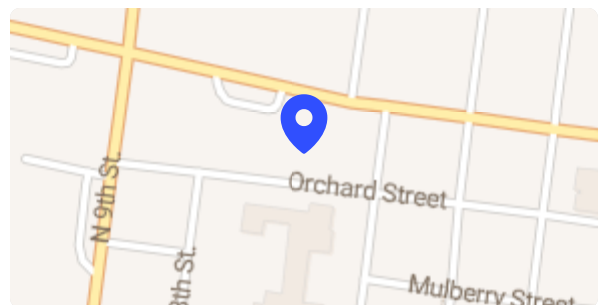


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Saturday, September 21, 2013

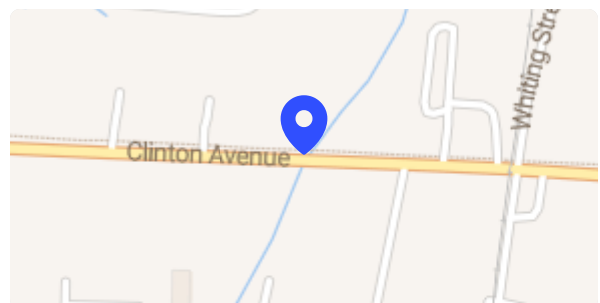
10:00 AM ET

St. Mary's Catholic Church
415 N Sixth, St.Clair MI



Cemetery Details

St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery
Clinton Ave., St. Clair MI





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Mary Paquette posted:

Not only did we live on the same street Joann and I talked frequently on the phone. She would help in recent years to make phone calls gathering volunteers to help at funeral luncheons that were held in the church basement at St. Marys. she was always eager and positive to reach out and talk with others in our community. She will be missed.

September 21 at 1:08 AM



Danielle Closs September 21 at 5:41 PM

Thank you for your memories, I know she was fond of her times helping with the luncheons. We appreciate your help in remembering her, thank you!



Darlene Peyer posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you, Ron. I haven't had much chance to talk but it was always nice seeing you two at St. Mary's fish fries during Lent. Good wishes to you and your family. Darlene Cieslinski Peyer (former classmate)

September 19 at 10:58 AM



Danielle Closs September 20 at 7:21 PM

Thank you for the kind words, we appreciate them!



Cathryn Apley lit a candle in honor of Joann.



September 19 at 6:17 AM



Danielle Closs September 20 at 7:22 PM

Thank you for your thoughts and prayers, they are much appreciated!



Cathryn Apley September 19 at 6:20 AM

Ron & Family, I am so sorry for your loss. I pray God's comfort for you all, now and in the days to come as you mourn the loss of Joann. Blessings, Cathryn & Shawna Apley



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Nancy sent a virtual gift in honor of Joann.



September 19 at 6:17 AM



Danielle Closs September 20 at 7:16 PM

Thank you both for the kind words, we appreciate them :)



Nancy September 19 at 6:19 AM

Danielle & Tom, Very sorry to hear of the passing of Tom's Mother. Please accept our deepest condolences. Gary & Nancy Kowalski



Darcel posted:

Ron, Tim, Tom and Brian: Joann is now at rest and as Rylan says, Grandma can walk and run now, as Jesus has healed her legs... So sorry for your loss and know she has just retained her greatest reward, a place in heaven... Darcel and Paul

September 19 at 3:34 AM



Danielle Closs September 20 at 7:28 PM

I agree with what Rylan said, I think that is exactly what she is doing, running and laughing, joyful as ever. We will miss her, but the joy she gave us will still remain with us, a gift for us to keep forever, in her memory. Thank you for the kind words and support.



Anonymous sent an Amazing Grace 44" Sonnet to the Closs family.



September 19 at 3:28 AM



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Sharon Fritz posted:

Will always remember that beautiful smile and wonderful laugh!!! To a great lady, she will be deeply missed. Sharon Fritz

September 19 at 3:08 AM



Danielle Closs September 20 at 7:31 PM

Thank you Mom, she will be deeply missed; I am grateful to have had two wonderful moms, and also to have photos to remind me of her beautiful smile :)



Leeann Abraham lit a candle in honor of Joann.



September 18 at 4:52 PM



Danielle Closs September 20 at 7:32 PM

Thank you for your thoughts, we appreciate them!



Janice Cowper Johnston lit a candle in honor of Joann.

My lifelong friend. I lived across the street from her since I was born. We spent our entire childhood together and continued our friendship and were able to share our experiences as grandparents. Love, thoughts, and prayers to Ron, Tom, Tim, Brian and their families.



September 18 at 4:01 PM



Danielle Closs September 20 at 7:34 PM

Thank you for your memories, it is comforting to know she had wonderful friends like you, to help her through the tough parts of her life, and share and laugh with.



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Nate & Frances Walker lit a candle in honor of Joann.



September 18 at 12:49 PM



Danielle Closs September 20 at 7:35 PM

Thank you for your support in this trying time, it is appreciated!



Jamie Columbo shared an album called **New Album Name**.



September 18 at 12:32 PM



Danielle Closs September 20 at 7:37 PM

Thank you so much for the beautiful photo, it is much appreciated! As is your support during this time. The photo will be cherished as we move forward.



Jamie Columbo shared a photo to the **New Album Name** album.

September 18 at 12:32 PM



Pic. taken 1/29/2011. So happy she was able to share in our special day. All our love, Sam & Jamie



Memories only last if you share them

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



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