



## Joan Skiermanski

March 19, 1940 - January 22, 2021

Joan (Joanna) Skiermanski was born March 19, 1940 in Chicago. Preceded by her parents Eugenia and Romuald Szadkowski and her late husband Thadeus (Ted) Skiermanski. Surviving are beloved children, Kathleen (James) Mars of Texas, Michael Scott (Michelle) Skiermanski of Prairie Grove, IL, Jean (Dr. Joseph) Matustik of Bartlett, IL, and Susan Skiermanski of Richmond; grandchildren Michael (Jessica) Mars of Texas, Christopher (Bailey) Mars of Kansas, Jacob, Ryan and Kendal Skiermanski of Prairie Grove, Zachary and Nicole Matustik of Bartlett, great grandson Ryder Mars and Walker Mars of Kansas, loving sister Barbara (Frank) Lueth of Arizona, many nieces and nephews.

Joan graduated from Palatine High School, worked as a secretary for the Charles Bruning Company in Mt. Prospect, where she met Ted and married in 1960, living in Arlington Heights, IL. She worked for the Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge as a secretary prior to moving to Richmond in 1981. In 1990, she started working for the Jewel Food Store in McHenry, IL

Joan was a registered volunteer for 25 years with Girl Scouts of America in Elk Grove Village, serving as Unit Director, Troop Leader and Special Events Camping Co-ordinator. She was a Troop Leader for five years with Sybaquay Council of Richmond.

She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, active in various ministries and committees, was the Silent Altar Cloth Laundress, active member of Altar and Rosary Society, serving as President for 10 years. She taught Religious Education in Arlington Heights at Our Lady of The Wayside Church for three years and taught two years of Confirmation classes at St. Joseph Church. Joan was honored in 2007 as Woman of Inspiration from St. Joseph Church.

She loved the great outdoors and always considered herself truly blessed with family and many Friendship throughout her years.

Visitation will be from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Tuesday Jan. 26, 2021 at Ehorn-Adams Funeral Home 10011 Main St, Richmond with a Mass of Resurrection at 11:00 a.m. Tuesday at St. Joseph Church 10519 Main St, Richmond. Interment will be in St. Joseph Cemetery in Richmond.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be directed to Masses to be said at St. Joseph Church in Richmond, Altar & Rosary Society % St. Joseph Church, Paralyzed Veterans of America, P.O. Box 921, Wilton, NH 03086-0921 or Sacred Heart Monastery P.O. Box 900, Hales Corners, WI 53120-0900.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Joseph Cemetery of Richmond

11100 Burlington Road  
Richmond, IL 60071

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **26**. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Ehorn-Adams Funeral Home (Richmond)  
10011 Main Street  
PO Box 375  
Richmond, IL 60071  
(815) 678-7311  
bruce@ehornadams.com  
<http://www.ehornadams.com>

## Mass of Resurrection

JAN **26**. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church (Richmond)  
10519 N. Main St  
Richmond, IL 60071  
(815) 678-7421  
saintjosephchurch@gmail.com  
<http://stjosephrichmondil.weconnect.com/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Joan Skiermanski*

January 29, 2023 at 06:51 AM

WB

“ *Mrs. Skiermanski wasn't Girl Scout leader in the 80's. I had so much fun when she was my leader. She was also my next door neighbor when I was in high school. She was a wonderful lady!*

**Wendi Brooks** - September 21, 2021 at 11:19 PM

TW

“ *I heard of Mrs Skiermanski's passing and I was so sad . I have treasured and will always have it in my heart, the time that I was just 9yrs old and asked her to dance with me at one of the many church events. With her beautiful smile, she said yes. It was the Polka and we danced and laugh the entire dance. Each event that we attended, it was our thing to have a dance with each other.*

*I will miss my friend Mrs Skiermanski*

*Trevor Whatmore*

**Trevor Whatmore** - January 31, 2021 at 02:04 PM

DW

“ *We heard of our friend Joan's passing, and we were sadden of the news. Joan was so full of life and had a positive spirit and glow all the time. She loved her faith and always shared words of spirituality to myself and my kids and we will missed that. Although our family moved away, we kept in touch via phone, email and though cards. She will truly be missed but never forgotten. Our deepest Condolences to Sue and Family.*

*Love,  
Dolores & Howard Whatmore*

**Dolores Whatmore** - January 31, 2021 at 01:56 PM



DS

“ I was truly sadden to hear of the passing of Joan. She was a grand lady of style and grace. Her smile was illuminating along with her energy of giving. I met her a couple of times during my visit with my sister Dolores. Joan and I stayed in touch over the many years. I will miss receiving her Christmas cards and words of encouragement. My condolences and prayers to the Skiermanski family.



Dianna L. Stukes - January 29, 2021 at 06:49 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joan Skiermanski.



January 25, 2021 at 02:20 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Joan Skiermanski.



January 24, 2021 at 03:33 PM

CB

“ Thoughts and prayers to Joan's family. I was blessed to call her my friend. A true Christian woman, loving, thoughtful and kind. I will surely miss her and the laughs we had. May Joan be in the arms of the Lord.

colette buckles - January 23, 2021 at 05:39 PM

RS

“ Ray & Bonnie Stolarczyk purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Joan Skiermanski.



Ray & Bonnie Stolarczyk - January 22, 2021 at 10:11 PM

BL

“ *Barabra L. purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Joan Skiermanski.*



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**Barabra L.** - January 22, 2021 at 07:13 PM

BT

“ *Barb & Tub purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Joan Skiermanski.*



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**Barb & Tub** - January 22, 2021 at 07:13 PM