



## Joanne Hall-Hellen

February 9, 1945 - October 9, 2022

Joanne Hall Hellen, affectionately known as Meme, passed away peacefully on Sunday, October 9, 2022 at the age of 77. Joanne was born on February 9, 1945 in Lowell, Massachusetts, the daughter to the late Paul and Thelma Hall and survived by her sister, Christine Hall.

Joanne moved south in 1972 with her 3 children, Donald, Donna and Peggy, to pursue her passion in healthcare earning a Bachelor in nursing from Florida State University in 1978. Following graduation, she relocated to Birmingham, AL to start a career as a surgical intensive care nurse while concurrently obtaining a master's degree in nursing from UAB.

Following a rewarding Nursing career, she moved to Atlanta, expanding her expertise into the field of Occupational Therapy, and spending time growing her treasured garden.

Joanne was an avid reader and loved to research travel destinations, which she explored in her silver years with her group of dear friends from Alpharetta Senior Center visiting historical destinations across the states as well as recent trips to Italy and Alaska.

Her three loving children survive Joanne: son, Donald Hellen, of Nashville, TN; daughters, Donna Kirkley, of Winter Garden FL, Margaret Mary Hellen (Peggy), of Roswell, Georgia; 5 grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren and many friends.

A lifetime caregiver and a lover of animals, she supported Marietta Good Mews Animal Foundation and St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

As a loyal member of St Peter's Chanel Catholic Church, she took pride in preparing the altar linens. On Thursday October 13, 2022 at 10:30 AM a Funeral Mass to honor Joanne held in the Church located at 11330 Woodstock Road, Roswell GA.

Please visit [www.northsidechapel.com](http://www.northsidechapel.com) to share memories and leave condolences to the family.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Mass

OCT **13**. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Peter Chanel Catholic Church  
11330 Woodstock Road  
Roswell, GA

# Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry to hear of your loss. I have such fond memories and had many great times with Joanne. She will be missed.

*Kris Sondgeroth*



Kris Sondgeroth - October 13, 2022 at 04:11 PM

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“ Joanne and I were on the senior's trip to Alaska. We teamed up to go on the helicopter ride, small boat to see eagles fly and ate dinner together every night. She was a real trouper. Since the trip we met for lunch at a wonderful Mexican restaurant. I will miss not being able to lunch and laugh with her.

Jill MacFadyen - October 13, 2022 at 12:28 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Joanne Hall-Hellen.



October 12, 2022 at 09:36 AM

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“ *Joanne was my next door neighbor for 12 years. She took so much pride in her house and garden. Always working outside making sure her house look perfect. She worked very hard on the ACC of our HOA for many years making sure that the whole neighborhood looked good. She took a lot of complaints from homeowners in stride and fixing the problems. She was a tireless worker and a woman to be admired.*

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**Dolores Fato** - October 11, 2022 at 09:28 PM



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October 11, 2022 at 03:05 PM