



Janet Ellen Halder

October 20, 1934 - December 19, 2018

Halder, Janet Ellen "Jan". Age 84. December 19, 2018.

Beloved wife of the late Richard John Halder (d. 1998). Loving mother of Elizabeth (Chris) Hoolehan. Proud grandmother of Katherine (David) Manger, Alexandra (Mark) Warfield, Margaret Hoolehan and Jacqueline Hoolehan. Great grandmother of Evelyn and Caroline Manger. Sister of the late Bruce (Nancy, still living) Cattanach.

Jan was born on October 20, 1934 in Buffalo, NY to John Jr. and Margaret Cattanach. She earned her bachelor's degree from William Smith College, Geneva, NY in 1956. After graduation she went to work for Eastman Kodak in Rochester, NY. In September of 1957 she married Richard Halder at St. Thomas' Episcopal Church, also in Rochester, NY. In addition to being a homemaker, Jan was an office manager at Budman Construction and belonged to many philanthropic organizations, including P.E.O. and the Birmingham Women's Club.

A longtime member of St. John's Episcopal Church in Royal Oak, MI, Jan was very involved in activities and leadership roles along with outreach at the church. She was a founding member and manager of the New to You Resale Shop, which the net proceeds help support charitable organizations in the wider community. Jan also loved reading, history, travel, playing bridge and dominoes.

A memorial service will be held at 4 pm on Saturday, January 19, 2019 at St. John's Episcopal Church, Royal Oak.

Memorial contributions may go to the New to You Resale Shop:

Make checks payable to "New to You Resale" and mail to
St. John's Episcopal Church
26998 Woodward Avenue
Royal Oak, MI 48067

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Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN 19. 4:00 PM (ET)

St. John's Episcopal Church
26998 Woodward Avenue
Royal Oak, MI 48067

Tribute Wall

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“*Sadly, I will be out of town and unable to attend Janet’s memorial service on Saturday. Sending Beth, Chris and their girls my deepest condolences, big hugs and continued prayers for healing and peace. Will also be sending a donation to “New to You.” My mom and I have shopped there many times and love it!*

Renee Lynch - January 18, 2019 at 12:53 PM

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“*Jan was a wonderful person, a beautiful soul, and she will be dearly missed by many. I met Jan over 20 years ago, on the very first Sunday I visited St. John's Episcopal Church Royal Oak. When I later joined the church, Jan sponsored my confirmation. She was warm, generous, so funny, just a great person to chat with for a while. I loved her and will miss her. My condolences to all her family.*

Jennifer Wofford - January 09, 2019 at 03:23 PM

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We very much loved Jan for her heart, her sense of humor and her wisdom. She also was a wonderful mother to Beth (and Chris later) as well as a caring and loving grandmother to her wonderful grand daughters. We are so sorry for your loss and yet celebrate who she was and all she has put her imprint on including the great New to You shop at St. John's.

helen giles - January 09, 2019 at 07:55 PM