



Janet Kaehler

May 29, 1931 - March 2, 2022

Janet Spohn Kaehler. Age 90. Resident of Rochester Hills since 1979. Born in 1931 and passed away on March 2, 2022, Ash Wednesday.

Janet was a Christian, and Ash Wednesday is a fine day to meet up with the Lord. She was a teacher in her 20s, teaching in France for the Department of Defense and for children of Service families stationed overseas. She returned to teach elementary school in Royal Oak, and met and married Fredric Kaehler, a young Chrysler Engineer going places. They had two children, Catherine and Fredric Earle. Janet was married to Fredric for 52 years. Over the years they resided in Royal Oak, Port Huron, Sao Paulo, Brazil, briefly in Wisconsin, and finally settled in Rochester Hills, living at several different addresses along the way. Her beloved summer retreat at Gallimere Beach, Ontario, over-looking Lake Huron, was one of her favorite places. The Spohn family vacationed there since the early 40s, when her father was serving overseas in WW2, in the Pacific Theater.

Janet is survived by her daughter Catherine Kaehler (William) Koch, her son Fredric Earle (Laura) Kaehler, her brother Earle W. (Tisa) Spohn, her sister-in-law Rita Kaehler, and her brother-in-law Robert Randolph. She loved her grandchildren dearly: Cooper, Payton and Walker Koch, and Jillian and Sydney Kaehler. She leaves behind many nieces and nephews, and their families: Daedra Kaehler, Robert Randolph, Ann Becker, Holly Gross, Heather

Baron, Heidi Jenney, Megan Blackport, and Andrew Spohn. She was a force of nature and a spark of energy. She loved arranging games and providing directives; skills she gleaned from teaching on an Army base in France, and maybe from her father Major Spohn.

Visitation will be on Saturday, March 26 from 1:30 pm to 2:30 pm, with a service at 2:30 pm, at the William Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 705 W. 11 Mile Rd., in Royal Oak, Michigan. Private interment at Oakview Cemetery, Royal Oak.

Memorial contributions may be made in her name to Central Woodward Christian Church, where she was a member since 1979, and where she loved to sing with gusto during Sunday service.

Share a memory at www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com.

Cemetery Details

Oakview Cemetery

1032 N. Main Street
(south of 12 Mile Road)
Royal Oak, MI 48067

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 26. 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak
705 W. Eleven Mile Road
Royal Oak, MI 48067
(248) 541-7000
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Funeral Service

MAR 26. 2:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

HM

“ *Hawk and Molly purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Janet Kaehler.*



Hawk and Molly - March 23, 2022 at 04:28 PM

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“ *Colin, Jessica & Your Stonebridge Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Janet Kaehler.*



Colin, Jessica & Your Stonebridge Family - March 23, 2022 at 12:45 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Janet Kaehler.*



March 22, 2022 at 11:01 AM



“ *Ultimate Meat & Cheese Wooden Gift Crate was purchased for the family of Janet Kaehler.*



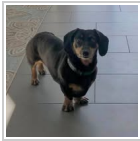
March 21, 2022 at 07:40 PM



“ *The Endless Sky Spray was purchased for the family of Janet Kaehler.*



March 21, 2022 at 07:30 PM



“ *Sorry to learn of the death of a fine lady. So fun to spend time with the sisters at Gallimere. She loved her children and grandchildren and was a kind soul!*

Theresa Kotecki - March 14, 2022 at 03:37 PM



“ *Jeremy & Bradley (Indiana FIT) purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Janet Kaehler.*



Jeremy & Bradley (Indiana FIT) - March 14, 2022 at 08:39 AM



“ *We miss Janet and her indomitable spirit already. So many of memories of Janet, Fred and the cottages are ingrained in our souls. BK*

Billy Koch - March 10, 2022 at 01:30 PM

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“ I loved Janet! Such a sweet person. She was always so welcoming. No matter what was going on she always had time to talk and visit. Some of my favorite memories (and fun) was playing euchre with her during our tournaments at the Gallimere Picnic. You never knew what she was going to bid or what card would be led, but it was always a hoot to have her as a partner. I will miss her smiling face and retain all the fond memories.

RIP Janet and give Snowball a big hug...Fred too.

Nancy Oglesby

Nancy Oglesby - March 10, 2022 at 11:10 AM

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“ Janet was always very kind, and loving. She cared deeply for her family and friends.

We will miss

Lynda Sieviewright Lichtwardt - March 10, 2022 at 08:46 AM