



Jennifer Lynne Howes

October 3, 1963 - October 25, 2022

Jennifer Lynne Howes, age 59, of Huntington Woods, passed away peacefully on October 24, 2022. She is survived by her parents, Harry and Lynne Howes; her daughters, Lisa, Ghoukasian, Emma Howes, and Raleigh Howes; and her sister, Samantha (Mark) Hoch.

Jenny was a perennial student who loved to learn. At Dondero High School, she was also a skilled softball pitcher—a hobby she continued after high school through various recreational leagues. While in high school, she also participated in the marching band and orchestra. After graduating from Dondero, Jenny attended Albion College for one year. She then spent time overseas in Taiwan, at the University of Arizona, at the University of Virginia, and then finally at Oakland University. She earned her bachelor's degree in Chinese language studies and ultimately went on to also earn a master's degree from Oakland University.

Jenny spent time working in the insurance industry, including time at her father's agency, Howes Insurance. She was also an accomplished oil painter, and—always learning—she managed to complete bartender school. Jenny also unquestionably had the best judgment in picking family pets; all of her choices made great additions to the family. More recently, she took particular interest in genealogy, gaining membership in the Daughters of the American Revolution. But what Jenny will be most remembered for is her personality.

She would light up any room she entered and as a toddler earned the nickname, "Shiney Bee." Her sparking personality will be missed.

A memorial gathering will take place on Saturday, November 5 from 10 a.m. until time of service, 1 p.m., at Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 705 W. 11 Mile Rd. (4 blocks east of Woodward), Royal Oak.

If you would like to make a contribution in Jenny's memory, please consider Michigan Humane (<https://www.michiganhumane.org/>).

Share a memory at www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com.

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering

NOV 5. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak
705 W. Eleven Mile Road
Royal Oak, MI 48067
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Memorial Service

NOV 5. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JP

“ *Jill and Paul purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Jennifer Lynne Howes.*



Jill and Paul - November 04, 2022 at 01:22 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Jennifer Lynne Howes.*



November 03, 2022 at 10:37 PM

KG

“ *We are so sorry to hear of your loss. We are certain all the great memories of Jenny will remain in your hearts. Prayers for all of you. Love, Todd & Karen Geldner*



Karen Geldner - November 02, 2022 at 05:40 PM

MH

Thanks Karen. And thank you so much for attending on Saturday. We greatly appreciate all of your and Todd's love and support. Mark Hoch

Mark Hoch - November 07, 2022 at 11:34 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Jennifer Lynne Howes.



October 31, 2022 at 12:02 PM



“ *Jill Liedel lit a candle in memory of Jennifer Lynne Howes*



Jill Liedel - October 31, 2022 at 09:17 AM



*I have so many memories of Jenny; from parties when we were young, to when our babies were born, to many happy family gatherings. One time in particular is a very happy memory, when we spent a long weekend up at "The Cabin" together and really had such a nice, relaxing and fun time. God Bless you Jen, you will be missed. There is a beautiful Angel in Heaven now watching down on her family and friends.....
With peaceful prayers,
Jill*

Jill Liedel - October 31, 2022 at 09:26 AM



“ *The DAR of Michigan sends its sympathy for the death of Jennifer, a seven month member of DAR. Her name has been added to the memorial service which will be held at State Conference in September 2023. Warmest prayers from Charlotte Cooper, State Chaplain.*

Charlotte Cooper - October 31, 2022 at 06:02 AM

JK

“ I have very fond memories of Jenny. I actually bought her piccolo going in to my Junior year at Dondero. I'm very sad to hear of another classmate passing away way too young. Prayers to her family.

Janet Page Kueber

Janet Kueber - October 31, 2022 at 12:22 AM

JJ

“ Dear Lynne and Harry. I am so sorry for your loss. I will be in Thailand this coming week and will not be able to attend the memorial on 5 November. Lenlen and I just contributed to Typhoon relief in the Philippines in Jennifer's memory.

Jeff and Lenlen Jenks - October 30, 2022 at 09:06 PM



“ Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Jennifer Lynne Howes.



October 30, 2022 at 08:41 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Jennifer Lynne Howes.



October 30, 2022 at 04:06 PM

CS

“ I didn't know her but I'm sorry for the families loss. I'm class of 83,
so no but my heart goes out to the family ❤️🙏❤️

Caroline Smith - October 30, 2022 at 12:33 PM