



## Joan K. Smith

June 2, 1940 - June 1, 2020

Joan K. Smith, 79, of Annville, passed away June 1, 2020, one day shy of her 80th birthday at home, surrounded by her loving family. She was the wife of Arnold C. Smith, with whom she celebrated nearly 62 years of marriage. She is survived by three daughters: Debbie wife of Thomas Lugar of Lititz, Tammy G. fiancé of Randall Fortna of Jonestown, and Donna Sue wife of David Shearer of Jonestown. Joan was the daughter of the late John and Luella Moyer of Annville.

A lifelong homemaker, Joan's most cherished memories included those of her childhood growing up on her parents' farm and attending the McGillstown one-room schoolhouse. As a mother, she enjoyed cooking holiday dinners for her family, planning backyard barbeques, and family beach vacations in the summertime. Her springtime joy was planting her flower gardens and then taking pride in their summer blooms.

Joan is also survived by five grandchildren: Michael husband of Hannah of Pittsburgh, Daniel and his fiancé Priya of College Park, Maryland, Nicole and Kyle of Jonestown, Ryan of Jonestown, and five great grandchildren.

Additionally, Joan is survived by her sister Loretta of York, brother John of Bellegrove, and brother Roy of Fredericksburg. She was preceded in death by her sister Betty and her brother Larry.

The family would like to offer their deepest thanks and appreciation to the staff at Ann Barshinger Cancer Center in Lancaster for the excellent and compassionate care Joan received during her 2-year battle with cancer.

Additionally, we extend our gratitude to the staff at Lancaster General Hospital and their effort to provide comfort to Joan during her 2-week stay, and to Hospice of Lancaster for making it possible for her to spend her last moments at home.

Graveside services will be held 2:00 p.m., Friday, June 5, 2020, at Zion's Evangelical Lutheran Cemetery, Jonestown.

# Cemetery Details

## Zion's Evangelical Lutheran Cemetery

103 E. Market Street  
Jonestown, PA 17038

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JUN 5. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Kreamer Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Joan K. Smith*



**Kreamer Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc.** - June 05, 2020 at 09:52 AM

SH

*Such a precious video of your family ❤️ I'm so very sorry for your loss and I hope you find peace in these memories of your beautiful mother 🙏*

**Shelly Harrison** - June 06, 2020 at 09:44 AM

BK

*What a beautiful video. Will always have sweet memories of Aunt Joan. It was special for me (her Kansas City niece) to visit grandparents on the farm and have her, Arny and cousins near by. I was such a city girl and the beautiful flowers and home and fun of my Pennsylvania family will always be in my heart.*

**Bridget Kersey** - June 06, 2020 at 03:58 PM

DY

“ I just want to say how talented Joan was at hospitality. I was able to stay at her house and always enjoyed her and her husband. All the girls were dear to me. Debbie and I graduated together and I was so blessed to be able to have time with them on their anniversary at Hoss's three years ago. She will be missed deeply. I will be praying for strength for the family. I love you all.

*Deb (Jimmy) Yeagley*

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**Deb Yeagley** - June 06, 2020 at 02:53 PM



“ Nana was the most amazing woman and had a heart of gold. Most of my best memories are of her...our many sleepovers, trips to the mall, vacations, holidays, and picnics...she had a way of making everything special. She wasn't just there during the good times; she has taken care of me when I was sick, comforted me when I was sad, and always have her love unconditionally. I will hold and cherish the memories I have of her forever.

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**Nicole Vogie** - June 05, 2020 at 08:13 PM

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“ My heart is with you. Sending love and comfort to the family while I remember  
*Aunt Joan's laughter and smile.*

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**Cathy Gibsonsmit** - June 03, 2020 at 10:29 AM