



Joan Louise Bayard Wells

September 2, 1936 - January 10, 2018

Joan Louise Bayard Wells passed away on Wednesday, January 10, 2018 at the age of 81. She was a native of New Orleans, a resident of Metairie and a member of the United States Bowling Congress.

Beloved wife of Allen Ray Wells. Mother of Karen Antonini Manson (Jerry) and Kim Antonini Johnson. Stepmother of Justin Ray Wells (Clara). Daughter of the late Earl Bayard and Irma Steinel Bayard. Sister of Dorothy Bryars and the late Velma LoCascio and Joyce Dunn. Grandmother of Douglas Manson (Charlotte), Gregory Manson (Jennifer), John Manson, Austin Johnson (Catherine), Arthur Cox and Isabella Wells.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the Funeral Mass at L. A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home, 2607 Williams Blvd., Kenner on Saturday, January 13, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. Visitation from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made in her memory to The Sister Dulce Foundation, Inc., 17560 George O'Neal Rd., Baton Rouge, LA 70817.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 13. 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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Kenner, LA 70062
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Tribute Wall



“ *Joan Louise Bayard Wells*

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ *Mrs.joan where do I start? Remember all the times we had talking after your league was done in the morning and back again at night time. I came in your league at night and had a lot if fun in your league.you made everyone feel at home and like family. I will try my best to fill your shoes as secretary and treasure of all star classic which we changed to Joan wells all star classic in your honor love you and rest in peace Susan peppeeman*

Susan pepperman - January 15, 2018 at 01:59 PM



“ *Bowled on several leagues that Mrs. Joan was the secretary. I worked closely with her I in the league office. Every Thursday morning, , after her WesKen League, she would drop her paperwork off, and tell us, "I gotta go make groceries now" .She was always so sweet and kind to everyone. I met the love of my life on her Tuesday NiteMixed League. Joan put us on the same team. Around the holidays, Joan would always bring pecans from her trees. There are,so many memories. She touched many lives, and will missed by many. Rest in Peace*

Sandra Villafranco - January 11, 2018 at 06:13 PM



“ *The 2 women I feared the most while working at Kenner bowl in the 70's...Ms. Earline and Ms. Joan. Both secretaries of many bowling leagues but when they spoke, we all listened (well at least I did). Over the course of 50 years, Ms. Joan would always appear in my memories with her small frame but big smile. In recent years, she always greeted me with a smile, hug, and kiss....She has crossed the path of many local bowlers and will be missed but remembered fondly. RIP ma'am. It was my honor to have known you.*

Rick Phillips - January 11, 2018 at 05:03 PM



“ *Our thoughts are with you Allen, Karen, Kim and Justin. We loved your mom. She always made us feel like part of the family. We are blessed to have known her. She will be missed by a lot of people.*

Karen and Norm - January 11, 2018 at 10:07 AM



“ *Mrs. Joan is the reason I met my bowling family, Lenny and Paula Miller, and also because of her involvement as league secretary, I got introduced to the most influential person in my bowling life... I owe Mrs. Joan so much more than just a hello and a hug, and I will miss her smile and attitude a great deal :(*



Jason Stone - January 11, 2018 at 01:47 AM