



## Jan Marie Stanton

May 20, 1941 - February 2, 2020

Jan Marie Stanton was born in Columbus, Ohio on May 20, 1941. She was the only child of Edgar Schlaechter and Juanita Denson. Jan serendipitously met her husband, Roland (Ron) Stanton, at a pizza place following Easter Mass in 1958 and the two married on December 23, 1961 in Columbus. They had two daughters, Kimberly (Kim) in 1978, and Meghan in 1979, and eventually settled in Manassas, VA. Jan and Ron were happily married for 58 years.

Jan was deeply devoted to her family. One of her great joys was spoiling her grandsons, Miles and Jack. Her happiest times were always when she was together with her whole family.

Jan loved all animals and donated frequently to various animal rescue and conservation groups. She was an avid news watcher and could tell you everything going on in the world, as well as exactly why your political opinions were wrong if they differed from hers. Jan will be remembered for her fierce love and loyalty to her family, her ability to tell it like it is, her quick wit, and her never-ending appreciation of good conversation.

After a life well lived, Jan passed away peacefully surrounded by family on February 2, 2020 at Novant Health Prince William Medical Center. She is preceded in death by her parents, Edgar and Juanita, and many beloved dogs and cats who were no doubt waiting for her with tails wagging. She is survived by her husband, Ron; her daughters, Kim Stanton and Meghan Cioletti and her husband, Paul; and her grandsons, Miles and Jack.

The family will receive friends on Thursday, February 6, 2020 from 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM at Pierce Funeral Home, 9609 Center Street, Manassas, VA. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Friday, February 7, 2020 at 1:30 PM at All Saints Catholic Church, 9300 Stonewall Road, Manassas, VA with Rev. Lee Roos officiating. Inurnment will take place at Arlington National Cemetery at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, we ask that you make a donation to her favorite charity, Best Friends



# Cemetery

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**Arlington National Cemetery**

Arlington, VA, 22211

# Events

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**FEB** **Visitation** 06:00PM - 08:00PM

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Pierce Funeral Home

9609 Center St., Manassas, VA, US, 20110

**FEB** **Service** 01:30PM

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All Saints Catholic Church

9300 Stonewall Rd, Manassas, VA, US, 20110

# Comments

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“ Kim Stanton sent a virtual gift in memory of Jan Marie Stanton



Kim Stanton - February 09 at 03:38 PM

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“ Kim Stanton lit a candle in memory of Jan Marie Stanton



Kim Stanton - February 09 at 03:37 PM

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“ Dear Stanton family,  
I just learned of this terrible loss. I am sorry I missed her services. I am so saddened and I am so sorry for you all. Jan was one of the most fun people I ever knew.

Doris Chicoine

Doris Chicoine - February 07 at 08:23 PM



“ Hi Doris, thank you for commenting. We were just talking about you recently. I hope all is well. There was never a dull moment with Mom around!

Meghan Cioletti - February 08 at 05:30 PM

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“ Sandy and Ed Calabria purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Jan Marie Stanton.



Sandy and Ed Calabria - February 05 at 11:15 PM

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“ One thing is for sure--there was only one Jan!

I don't know which we enjoyed more--Jan's tales of courtroom happenings, her snappy comebacks or her pleasure in gathering friends to play pinochle. While the pets ran loose amongst the chatter and laughter at the card tables, she would suddenly pause, gaze admiringly at big photos on the walls and tell us how much she admired wolves in the wild. "They're so majestic," she would say pensively before starting another bidding war.

Affectionately, Craig and Joyce Johnston, who donated to the Best Friends animal rescue group in her honor.

Joyce P Johnston - February 05 at 07:37 PM



“ I love these memories! You described Mom perfectly. It was nice seeing you both the other night, although I wish it had been under different circumstances. Thank you for your donation!

Meghan Cioletti - February 08 at 05:31 PM

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“ Carl & Naomi Bullard purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Jan Marie Stanton.



Carl & Naomi Bullard - February 05 at 02:47 PM

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“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jan Marie Stanton.



February 04 at 08:52 PM

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“ I am so sorry. I remember her beautiful smile!  
Sincerely, Janice Lewis (Ron's niece) in Chicago

**Janice Lewis** - February 04 at 05:16 PM