



Janet Lynn Carey

July 28, 1961 - June 25, 2018

Janet Lynn Smith Carey passed away June 25, 2018 at Missouri Baptist Hospital.

She was born in St Louis to Carson and Winnifred [nee Hagar] Smith.

Janet held many passions throughout her life and especially loved hiking, biking, yoga and traveling the world whenever she could. She was mother to many beloved cats over the years, and now leaves behind her adopted Maine Coon, Casper.

Professionally, Janet's early career began with years of work as a make-up artist for film and television in Wilmington, North Carolina, including for the hit show, 'Dawson's Creek'. Later in life, Janet earned a Master's Degree in Expressive Arts Therapy and spent nearly 15 years working as a Licensed Professional Counselor in Portland, Oregon.

Surviving loved ones include two brothers: Alan Smith and Gary (Stephanie) Smith, one sister: Sandra (Terry) Croslow; three nephews: Matthew Smith,

Jason Smith, Lucas Croslow; one niece: Cassie Coppess; step-mother, Rena Smith; and the Steel Magnolias: Jane Gilbert, Julie Hoffman, and Cindy Schellenberg.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Memorial service will be held on Saturday, July 7 at 11:00 at Valhalla Chapel of Memories.

Memorial contributions may be made to The Haines Scholarship Fund at the St. Louis Montessori Lab School provides tuition for disadvantaged and at-risk St. Louis area children.

Here is a link to information: <http://www.mtclabschool.org/haines-scholarship-fund>,

or

mailed to:

St. Louis Montessori Lab School Haines Fund
3854 Washington Blvd,
St. Louis, Missouri, 63108

or

Stray Haven Rescue
P.O. Box 190586
St. Louis, MO 63119

Interment will be private at Valhalla Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Valhalla Cemetery

7600 St Charles Rock Road
St Louis, MO 63133

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUL 7. 11:00 AM (CT)

Valhalla Funeral Chapel, Crematory and Cemetery
7600 St. Charles Rock Road
St. Louis, MO 63133
(314) 721-4900

Tribute Wall



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Janet Lynn Carey.*



July 06, 2018 at 04:10 PM



“ *Connie Gouldin lit a candle in memory of Janet Lynn Carey*



Connie Gouldin - July 03, 2018 at 10:02 AM



“ *I will continue to think of you always. We were mutt and Jeff! We had so much fun in the modeling business, our road trips and just hanging out eating popcorn, Mexican and drinking Henrietta's! Oh....and dancing! You were special in this world Janet. I know you are still dancing. I will so miss you!*
Connie

Connie Gouldin - July 03, 2018 at 10:00 AM

GE

“ When we were growing up, every time the family got together at Grandma Ida’s the girls were always giggling together. Put Janet, Sandy, Joan and Linda in the same room and it brought out silliness in all of them—I remember lots of laughter. Even though we didn’t see each other as often as adults, we enjoyed each gathering. Janet came to our dad’s funeral out in Washington and it was great to catch up. She came back to our house and we talked for hours at the kitchen table. It got dark and we realized it was time for dinner! We were still reminiscing when she had to finally go home. Lots of great family memories in there. We are so sorry for your loss, and can sympathize especially because of our own losses. Wish we could come on Saturday, but please know our thoughts and prayers will be with all of the family.

Lots of love, Gale and Joan

Gale Elliott - July 02, 2018 at 06:10 PM

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“ Much love, Guy, Amy, Hudson, Olivia and Emery Hart purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Janet Lynn Carey.



Much love, Guy, Amy, Hudson, Olivia and Emery Hart - July 02, 2018 at 11:28 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Janet Lynn Carey.



June 28, 2018 at 12:29 PM



“ Dearest Janet, the world is a little darker without you in it. I will always cherish the memories of our friendship, and was honored to be the "stem" to the rest of the "brain". I will never forget that that crazy, wacky trip to North Carolina in the van with Julie, Eva and Anthony. What a hoot that was. And then there was the visit Julie and I made to see you and Simon during hurricane Bertha. Good times for sure. Rest in peace dear friend. You are and will be greatly missed. Until we meet again, I love you.

Donna Prosnansky - June 27, 2018 at 11:33 AM



“ Donna Prosnansky lit a candle in memory of Janet Lynn Carey



Donna Prosnansky - June 27, 2018 at 11:20 AM