



Judith A. Sisson

June 16, 1951 - February 14, 2023

Judith was born in Paterson, NJ, on June 16, 1951, the daughter of the late William J. Sebastian and Anna Dykstra Sebastian.

She grew up in Prospect Park, NJ, where she attended grammar school. She graduated from Manchester Regional High School in Haledon, NJ, with the Class of 1969. She continued her education at Chesapeake College where she earned an associate degree in early Childhood Development. She spent her career at Garnett Elementary School in Chestertown, MD, where she worked tirelessly and led the effort to have the daycare become accredited as a "Judy Center."

Judith met her husband, John, in high school, but the two truly fell in love at their five-year high school reunion. They were married on August 28, 1976, and raised three beautiful children together.

She religiously watched her soap operas and enjoyed reading romance novels. She truly enjoyed loving and caring for her beloved dogs, Crystal and Scooter. Later Judy enjoyed making hand-crafted beaded jewelry for 14 years, attending local craft shows and becoming quite successful at her business. She loved her family deeply and will be greatly missed.

She is survived by her husband, John E. Sisson; their children: Jeremy J

Sisson, (wife Somer), Shaun P. Sisson, and Laura A. Sisson; her brother, William Sebastian (wife Joan); grandchildren, Malakai, Chalaya, and one more on the way; and her nephews, Bill and Bobby.

Services will be held on Sunday, February 26 at 4 p.m. at Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home in Chestertown. A visitation for family and friends will be held one hour prior, from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the funeral home.

Reception to follow.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society at www.donate3.cancer.org or to St. Jude's Children's Hospital at www.stjude.org/donate.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **26**. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home
130 Speer Road
Chestertown, MD 21620
<http://www.fhnfuneralhome.com>

Service

FEB **26**. 4:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home
130 Speer Road
Chestertown, MD 21620
<http://www.fhnfuneralhome.com>

Tribute Wall



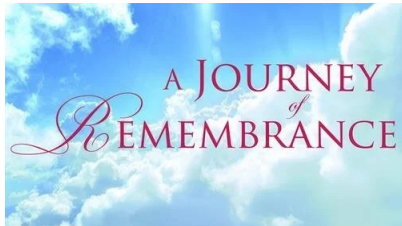
“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Judith A. Sisson*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - February 26, 2023 at 01:52 PM



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Judith A. Sisson*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - February 26, 2023 at 01:47 PM

KW

It's been 2 years today John....just letting you know you're still in my thoughts....Kathy Wahl (Sisson)

Kathy Wahl - February 14, 2025 at 03:08 PM



“ *Judith A. Sisson*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM

KW

“ *REST PEACEFULLY JUDY.....MY MEMORIES ARE HEARTWARMING, YET SO SAD NOW THAT YOU ARE GONE. THINKING OF YOU SO FONDLY. JOHN AND KIDS, HOLD ONTO GOD'S HAND.....BIG SINCERE HUGS TO YOU JOHN ! Kathy Wahl (Sisson)*

Kathy Wahl - February 26, 2023 at 07:17 PM

JM

“ *Judy was a gentle, kind, and warm soul. My heart is filled with hope as memories of her playing with the dogs and sharing with John in backyard gardening flood my mind. It feels so good to find comfort in such beautiful memories. Judy will be so dearly missed.*

Jennifer Musumeci - February 25, 2023 at 09:12 AM



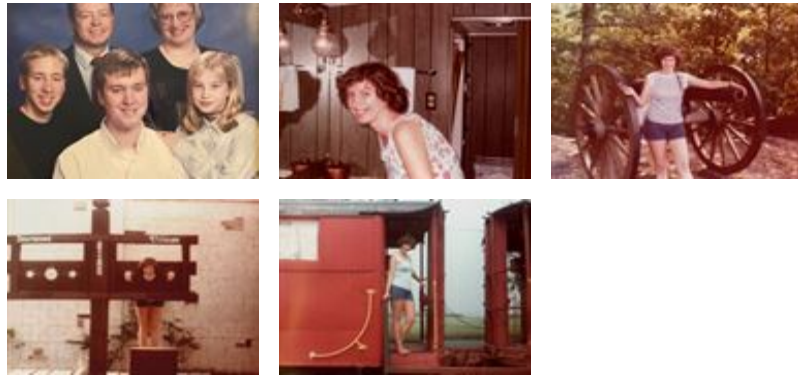
“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Judith A. Sisson.*



February 24, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ 27 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - February 24, 2023 at 10:46 AM



“ Praying for comfort during this time of grief.
Judy was so enthusiastic about her crafting.
John, extra hugs for you.



Cathy Rosario - February 23, 2023 at 11:18 AM



“ Love you Aunt Judy.



Nora Wilkerson - February 21, 2023 at 09:03 AM

CN

“ *Chris & Vivian Nordhoff lit a candle in memory of Judith A. Sisson*



Chris & Vivian Nordhoff - February 20, 2023 at 10:00 PM

MU

“ *Marie Usilton lit a candle in memory of Judith A. Sisson*



Marie Usilton - February 17, 2023 at 09:20 PM

BN

“ *Bob And Debbie Nickerson lit a candle in memory of Judith A. Sisson*



Bob and Debbie Nickerson - February 17, 2023 at 06:35 PM

BE

“ *Mrs. Judy was one of the nicest sweetest lady I got to know. Prayers to the family. She will be missed. Betty Jo Embert*



Betty Jo Embert - February 16, 2023 at 09:56 AM

JS

“ *Jane Stanton*



Jane Stanton - February 16, 2023 at 09:08 AM

CH

“ *Cheryl Hurd lit a candle in memory of Judith A. Sisson*



Cheryl Hurd - February 16, 2023 at 08:06 AM

JS

“ *Jeanette Stubbs lit a candle in memory of Judith A. Sisson*



Jeanette Stubbs - February 15, 2023 at 07:38 PM

LS

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the entire family. She was wonderful friend and will be dearly missed.*
Ken and Louise Stonesifer



Louise H Stonesifer - February 15, 2023 at 05:32 PM

TS

“ *Todd And Diane Smith lit a candle in memory of Judith A. Sisson*



Todd and Diane Smith - February 15, 2023 at 02:38 PM