



Joan Zellie Duncan

March 29, 1951 - May 3, 2021

Joan Zellie Duncan of Arcadia, MO passed away May 3, 2021 at the age of 70 years, 1 month, and 4 days.

She was born March 29, 1951 in Reidsville, North Carolina, a daughter of the late Lenious and Iris O'Dell Comer.

On Aug. 14, 1982 she was united in marriage to Henry Clark Duncan, who preceded her in death on Jan. 29, 2011.

To this union was born a daughter, Jessica Lynn "Michael" Utnage of Belleville, IL. Also surviving are a brother, Lenious "Butch" Comer Jr. of Marshville, NC; two grandchildren, Pennie and Isaac Utnage and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by two sisters Kay Comer Smith and Myrna Stanley.

Joan graduated from Reidsville High School in North Carolina and received her Masters Degree in Special Education from Appalachian State University. She retired from Arcadia Valley Schools in 2010 and was a member of the Mina Sauk Club, Our Town Tomorrow, and Society of Sisters.

A celebration of life will be held on Wednesday, May 5, 2021 at 12:00 PM from Cole Family Funeral Home. Visitation will begin Wednesday morning at 10:00 AM. Interment will be in Arcadia Valley Memorial Park.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Arcadia Valley Special Education Dept.

Cemetery Details

Arcadia Valley Memorial Park

Russellville Road
Ironton, MO 63650

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 5. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Cole Family Funeral Home
210 E Reynolds St
Ironton, MO 63650
(573) 546-0742

Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall



“ *Joan Zellie Duncan*

August 31, 2022 at 12:46 PM



“ *RIP will always remember you.*



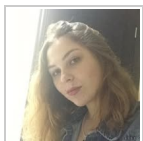
Janet Durham - May 31, 2021 at 10:14 AM



“ *Jennifer Thornton lit a candle in memory of
Joan Zellie Duncan*



Jennifer Thornton - May 11, 2021 at 12:48 PM



“ *What a caring and giving person, always had a smile on her face
and a concern for others
Rest in peace sweet lady. 🌸*

Mallissa Newstead - May 08, 2021 at 10:16 PM

BR

“ *Betty Ratliff lit a candle in memory of Joan Zellie Duncan*



Betty Ratliff - May 05, 2021 at 12:21 PM

JN

“ *Joan and I met while teaching at Sadler. She, Donna Rawlins, and I were “single ladies” and had many good times together. I had just messaged Joan in March and was shocked by the news of her death. Jessica, you have my sincere condolences. May you be comforted by your memories in this time of grief.*

Janet Nelson

Janet Nelson - May 04, 2021 at 02:58 PM

JN

“ *Janet Nelson lit a candle in memory of Joan Zellie Duncan*



Janet Nelson - May 04, 2021 at 02:47 PM

SB

“ *Sherry Bennett lit a candle in memory of Joan Zellie Duncan*



Sherry Bennett - May 04, 2021 at 01:20 PM

MA

“ I worked with Clark at AV Hospital, he and Joan were caring people, it was a privilege to know both of them. I know Joan helped many and will be fondly remembered.
Martha Archer



Martha Archer - May 04, 2021 at 12:37 PM

DR

“ Joan and I were friends for many years. We taught school together for many years at Sadler Elementary. We had many good times together!! I was in her wedding and she was in mine. Jessica and family, I am sending my sincerest sympathy and love.

Donna Rawlins - May 04, 2021 at 11:17 AM

DR

“ Donna and George Rawlins purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Joan Zellie Duncan.



Donna and George Rawlins - May 04, 2021 at 11:13 AM

TA

“ Teresa Harris and Don Barzowski - AVHS purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Joan Zellie Duncan.



Teresa Harris and Don Barzowski - AVHS - May 04, 2021 at 10:41 AM

PM

“ *My heart is sadden by this loss of this good friend. I will miss her bright smile and great sense of humor. A dedicated teacher for many years and a strong community supporter for Arcadia Valley.*
Pat Mertens

Pat Mertens - May 03, 2021 at 10:28 PM

KB

“ *Kim Benz lit a candle in memory of Joan Zellie Duncan*



Kim Benz - May 03, 2021 at 07:21 PM

PT

“ *Joan was a wonderful lady and teacher. I feel blessed to have known her.*
Penny Parmer Turner
Reidsville, NC

Penny Turner - May 03, 2021 at 06:48 PM