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Memorial Service for Mrs. Josephine Anna Ninesling, 75, of Alexander City, will be Friday, December 22, 2023 at 11:00 am at the Radney Funeral Home. Father Matt Rudzik will officiate.

Joanne Ninesling, a beacon of light and love in her community, passed away surrounded by her loving family. Her life was a testament to her intelligence, generosity, and creativity, qualities that touched many hearts and lives throughout her years.

Born with a spirit that would come to define her, Joanne was the cherished daughter of the late James Howard Tanner and Agnes Bertha Tanner. Her legacy continues through her beloved children, Scott Ninesling (Kristie), Eric Ninesling (Bekah), and Brian Ninesling (Jennifer) of Prattville, AL. Joanne was a proud and doting grandmother to Madison, Emma, Hailey, James, Hannah, and Abigayle Ninesling, each of whom brought immense joy and pride to her life. She is also lovingly remembered by her sister, Terry Heinser, who stood by her side through life's many chapters.

A lifelong resident of the community, Joanne was affectionately known as "The Birding Lady," a title she earned through her dedication to the Piedmont Plateau Birding Trail. Her passion for nature and wildlife conservation was evident to all who had the pleasure of walking the trails with her. Joanne's enthusiasm for birds was matched only by her love for the thrill of racing. She enjoyed watching all types of racing, from the roar of NASCAR at Talladega, where she served as an admissions supervisor, to Road Atlanta with Ms. Jill, to the competitive spirit of her beloved Auburn sports teams.

Joanne's generosity of spirit extended well beyond her family and personal interests. As an active member of her community in Jackson's Gap, she managed the local voting center with a welcoming smile and a kind word for each neighbor who walked



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through the doors. Her commitment to civic duty was a cornerstone of her character, inspiring many around her to engage in the democratic process with pride and responsibility.

Her creative and intelligent approach to problem-solving was a boon to the Volunteer Connections of Central Alabama, where Joanne played a vital role in helping senior citizens receive tax assistance. Her ability to connect with people from all walks of life, understanding their needs and offering practical solutions, was a gift that she gave freely and joyfully.

Throughout her life, Joanne's priorities were clear-family, community, and service to others. Her presence was a source of stability and warmth, and her legacy is one of love and dedication that will continue to resonate in the lives of those she touched. Joanne Ninesling's life was a journey marked by an unwavering commitment to her family, an enduring love for nature and sport, and an unselfish desire to contribute to the well-being of her community. As we remember Joanne, we celebrate a life beautifully lived and a woman deeply loved. Her memory will forever be cherished in the hearts of her family, friends, and all who were fortunate enough to know her. As the sun sets on a life well-lived, we bid farewell to Joanne Ninesling, knowing that her spirit will continue to guide us just as the stars guide the migrating birds she so loved. Her journey on earth has ended, but her story-written in the lives she touched-will go on. Joanne will be dearly missed, but her impact will remain, a lasting tribute to a remarkable woman.



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JP

Jill Paige posted:

Prayers for everyone in such a difficult time. I am sorry that I can't be there, but I hope you can feel the love and hugs I am sending your way. I purchased flowers that represent a memory of your Mother making me stop the car so she could get some those beautiful purple flowers from the side of the interstate...on our way back from the Indy 500.. I kept telling her they were weeds, but she wanted them anyway... so purple weeds is what I sent.... much love to all... I will truly miss her.... Love Ms.Jill

December 20 at 7:00 PM

BF

Byrd/Kunz Family posted:

Our prayers and love are with all of you for the loss of your Mom and Grandma. Sorry we can't be there, JoAnne will be remembered.

December 20 at 7:00 PM

AF

Axalta Windsor Family posted:

With our deepest sympathy! You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers!

December 19 at 7:00 PM

PD

Pine Level Fire Department posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

December 18 at 7:00 PM

RC

Robert & Josephine Cahill posted:

A good neighbor on river ridge road. Always had a smile on her face. May she rest in peaceRobert and Josephine Cahill

December 15 at 7:00 PM

CL

Chris And Kim Leverett posted:

All of our love and prayers

December 15 at 7:00 PM



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NS

Nancy Stein posted:

To the Ninesling Family: We send you all our sympathy and love at this very sad and difficult time. I didn't know Joanne, but her obituary was a testament that she was wonderful and full of love and life. Praying for peace, comfort, and strength for the coming days. Love to you all. Scott and Nancy Stein

December 15 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Our warmest condolences to your family. From your colleagues at Axalta - Rob, Greg, Carol, Kurt, and Mike

December 14 at 7:00 PM

GB

Glen Browder posted:

I remember my co-worker in the Alabama Secretary of State office as a strong woman and friend. Prayers for the family.

December 13 at 7:00 PM

OR

Old Kingston Fire/Rescue posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

December 13 at 7:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Josephine by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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