



Jean C. Platt

January 6, 1940 - June 15, 2010

Colonie- Jean C. Platt (Ferraro), 70, of Colonie, passed away peacefully at home on June 15, 2010, surrounded by her husband and five children.

Born in Albany, Jean was the daughter of the late Joseph and Eleanor Ferraro. Jean attended the Cathedral Academy and was a proud 1960 graduate of St. Peter's School of Nursing. Upon graduation, Jean worked as a Registered Nurse at the Veteran's Administration Hospital. After raising her family, Jean returned to nursing first for the South Colonie School District and then 17 years as Nurse Manager at the Albany County Nursing Home (Shaker Place) until her retirement in 2002. For the past several years, Jean volunteered her nursing skills at the Poverello Center, a clinic for the medically under-served in Albany. Jean's career gave expression to her lifelong dedication to care giving, and her commitment to place the needs of others before her own.

Kindness and sacrifice came naturally to Jean, and she always made time to help others. Jean was quick to tend to a sick loved one, help a neighbor in need, and do anything for her family and friends.

A longtime resident of Colonie, Jean was a communicant of Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Church until its recent closure. She was a member of the Colonie Historical Society. In an effort to preserve and share the collective

history of the area, she and her husband along with Richard Naylor of the Colonie Town Library co-authored "Wolf Road, A Century of Development".

Following her retirement, Jean enjoyed traveling with her husband throughout the United States, Europe, Asia, and Africa. In recent years, she also enjoyed family trips to Block Island, RI, and spending time with her grandchildren who will truly miss her guidance and compassion.

The Platt family would like to thank Dr. Charles Weissman (New York Oncology Hematology), Dr. Duncan Savage (St. Peter's Cancer Care Center), Dr. Neil Schachter, DDS, Erin LaMoy, RN and Gail Kozlowski, RN from The Community Hospice. The family would like to offer a special heartfelt thank you to Dr. Mary Rappazzo for her nurturing care, advice and friendship.

Jean is survived by her husband of 47 years, Peter E. Platt; and their five children, Cynthia A. Platt (David T. Luntz), Slingerlands, Mark E. Platt, Malden, MA, Laura M. O'Brien (William), Brookline, MA, Amy J. Connolly (Paul), Waltham, MA, and Julie C. Farlow (Thomas), Ithaca. She is also survived by 9 grandchildren, Emma, Andrew, and Owen Luntz, Liam, Henry, Seamus, and Jason O'Brien, and Abigail and Douglas Connolly. She is also survived by sisters Joan Purcell, Colonie, Eleanor Ferraro, Schenectady, and brothers Joseph Ferraro (Nadine), Honolulu, HI, John Ferraro (Celia), Half Moon, and 11 nieces and nephews.

Funeral services Saturday, June 19, 2010 at 10:00 am at Christ Our Light Catholic Church, Loudonville where a Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated.

Relatives and friends are invited and may call Friday, June 18, 2010 4:00 to 8:00 pm at Christ Our Light Catholic Church.

Interment Our Lady of Angels Cemetery.

Those wishing to remember Jean C. Platt in a special way, may send a contribution to one of the following: New Visions (aka Albany County ARC), 334 Krumkill Road, Slingerlands, NY 12159, Poverello Center, 315 Sheridan Avenue, Albany, NY 12203, or St. Peter's Hospital Foundation, 319 South Manning Blvd., Albany, NY12208.

To leave the family a special message on their guest book; obtain a prayer card or directions; or share a photo or E-card with them, please visit www.McveighFuneralHome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **18.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Christ Our Light Catholic Church
1 Maria Drive
Loudonville, NY

Service

JUN **19.** 10:00 AM (ET)

Christ Our Light Catholic Church
1 Maria Drive
Loudonville, NY

Tribute Wall



“ Jean C. Platt

October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



“ To all the family,
It was privilege and honor to work with Jean. She was my mentor and with her support I became a RN. I remember when she came to my graduation how proud she was. We always joked about me taking over Shaker Place after she retired. My nursing career has been so successful because of the values that Jean taught me and for that I am so proud of her loving, kindness and empathy that she had for everyone. I am so blessed to have had such a wonderful lady in my life. I will always keep the memories of her in my heart.
Sally##imported-begin##Sally Plummer##imported-end##

June 22, 2010 at 08:37 PM



“ Julie and Family -

I am so very sorry to hear of your mom's passing. I hope that you are gaining strength from each other and remembering all the good times you had. You are in our prayers.

Heather, Holger, and Lukas Schreiber##imported-begin##Heather Schreiber##imported-end##

June 21, 2010 at 08:19 AM



“ Jean was a wonderful person and a nurse. She will truly be missed. You are in my prayers.##imported-begin##Marianne VanDerhyden##imported-end##

June 18, 2010 at 08:39 PM



“ Dear Peter ... we were very sad to hear of Jean's passing. I hope the fact that Jean would want you to carry on and live for the both of you sustains you during these painful days, weeks, and months. With our deepest sympathies, Richard and Elag##imported-begin##Richard and Elga##imported-end##

June 18, 2010 at 02:09 PM



“ Dear Pete and family..please accept our condolences on the death of Jean. She was a great gal and we always enjoyed our visits with both of you. You are in our thoughts and prayers..Love Lois and Jim##imported-begin##Jim and Lois Kemp##imported-end##

June 18, 2010 at 12:23 PM



“ Julie and the Platt family, I am so sorry about the loss of your mom. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Much love always. Colleen, Mike, and Liam##imported-begin##Colleen Casey##imported-end##

June 17, 2010 at 09:20 PM



“ *Laura, Bill, Liam, Henry, Seamus, and Jason*
Loving thoughts in your days of sorrow! May peace finds its way into
your heart now that your loved one is not suffering any more!
May the happy memories carry and heal you!
With love,
Nelly##imported-begin##Nelly##imported-end##

June 17, 2010 at 05:25 PM



“ *To my Family,*

I am so sorry for your loss. Aunt Jean will be deeply missed. I am so
blessed to have so many happy memories growing up with all of
you and being so close. As a child I remember sleep overs when I
would get home sick, she would hold me tight and say "Everything
will be alright".. As an adult living miles away I did not have to worry
about the care for my Dad in the nursing home because Jean was
always there! Aunt Jean was not only a wonderful Aunt, Wife,
Mother, Grandmother, Sister, Daughter, Friend, she cared so much
about people and would do for others before herself. I would be
honored to be remembered for one of her special qualities.

Keep the memories close!

I Love You All

Chrissy##imported-begin##Chrissy Purcell##imported-end##

June 17, 2010 at 05:14 PM



“ Our thought are and have been with you and your family throughout this challenging time. We know how close your family is connected and we hope that that love and many great memories will console you for a long time to come. May your mother rest in peace.
With affection,
Carie George, Jesse and Ryan##imported-begin##The Leung Family##imported-end##

June 17, 2010 at 04:20 PM



“ Dear Mark,

I am so very sorry to hear of your moms passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Kristy Schiavo
Long Wharf##imported-begin##Kristy Schiavo##imported-end##

June 17, 2010 at 03:55 PM



“ Julie and family,
My heart goes out to you. May wonderful memories of your mother and her kindness sustain you - today and always.
Love across the miles,
"S"ara C##imported-begin##Sara Corsaro##imported-end##

June 17, 2010 at 12:52 PM



“ Peter-family; Please accept my condolence.....friend.....Joe Early##imported-begin##joe early##imported-end##

June 17, 2010 at 09:55 AM



“ *Peter and Family: My prayers and sympathy for you all at this time. Jean was a classmate of mine at SPH, and also in 6th grade in St. Peters' Academy, Saratoga. She was a wonderful person, and will be greatly missed by all who have had the privilege of knowing her. Be assured she is now at peace and no longer suffers. God Bless.##imported-begin##Judy Smith Riester Saratoga Springs NY & Ft. Myers, Fl.##imported-end##*

June 16, 2010 at 10:42 PM



“ *Laura,*

Our love and deep condolences to you and your family. May your mom's strength and love be with you and everyone she touched always.

Love,

Joanne and Ted##imported-begin##Joanne Liautaud ##imported-end##

June 16, 2010 at 10:12 PM



“ *Pete & Family*

So sorry for your loss....she was a wonderful women....our thoughts are with you

*Pamela Guerra Franklin & Jim Guerra
aka Pamela Pokrzywnicki##imported-begin##Pamela Guerra
Franklin & Jim Guerra##imported-end##*

June 16, 2010 at 05:28 PM



“ *To all the platts,*

My heart breaks for you. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

Chris, Nathalie, Oliver and Marielle Mason##imported-begin##Nathalie and Chris Mason##imported-end##

June 16, 2010 at 05:10 PM



“ *Pete and Family*

We have all lost a very special person. She will be missed by many. I will always remember the good times we had over the years. May she now be at peace.##imported-begin##Carole Reale##imported-end##

June 16, 2010 at 04:55 PM



“ *Dear Mr. Platt and family,*

Very sorry to hear of the passing of Mrs. Platt. Thankfully she is not suffering anymore. Regrettably, I will be out of town beginning Friady morning so i will be unable to attend the services. Myb thoughts and prayers are with you.

P.J.##imported-begin##PJ Blanchfield##imported-end##

June 16, 2010 at 03:35 PM



“ Pete and children, My condolences to your entire family on the loss of Jean. I got to know her working with Harry and liked Jean very much. She seemed to be such a dedicated wife, mother and grandma. Marcy##imported-begin##Martha Lasher Warner##imported-end##

June 16, 2010 at 03:28 PM



“ Laura,

Our thoughts and prayers are with your family and you this weekend. I wish I could be there.

Lots of Love,

Amy and Tom##imported-begin##Amy Mullen Luster##imported-end##

June 16, 2010 at 02:49 PM



“ A great lady will be missed! My prayers are with you all.##imported-begin##Susan Hoblock deVoe##imported-end##

June 16, 2010 at 01:42 PM



“ *Amy, Paul and Platt Family,*

I'm sorry to hear about your loss. May you find peace in your hearts knowing that your mom's light continues to shine through each of you.

You're all in my prayers.

KP###imported-begin###Katherine Piedra###imported-end##

June 16, 2010 at 11:11 AM



“ *Dear Pete,*

We are so sorry for your loss and our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Jean was a truly special woman and a wonderful Mom who will be missed by all.###imported-begin###Susan Browne###imported-end##

June 16, 2010 at 09:50 AM



“ *Peter - Our deepest condolences. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Neil and Jean Donovan###imported-begin###Jean Donovan###imported-end##*

June 16, 2010 at 07:32 AM