



Joy Anne O'Connor

November 26, 1944 - May 28, 2026

Joy Anne O'Connor (nee Pike), 81, of Vernon Hills, Illinois passed away from complications of Alzheimer's disease, Thursday, May 28, 2026.

Joy lived her life full of faith and love for God, Jesus and her family.

She had a fulfilling career working at Hawthorne Elementary school in Vernon Hills where she loved helping children in need.

In her free time, Joy loved spending time with family and friends, playing the piano, singing in the church choir at St. Mary of Vernon in Vernon Hills, writing, and crocheting.

She was an accomplished poet with many of her poems listed first in poetry books.

Survivors include her husband of 61 years, Terry; children, Kevin (Pamela) O'Connor and Amanda (Alexander) Mouroulis; grandsons, Sean O'Connor and Dominic Mouroulis; and many friends.

Visitation Sunday, June 7, 2-6 p.m., Ringa Funeral Home, 122 S. Milwaukee Ave., Lake Villa. Funeral Mass at Prince of Peace Catholic Church and burial in Ascension Cemetery will be private.

You may leave online condolences for the family at www.RingaFuneralHome.com, or call 847-356-2146 for information.

Upcoming Events

Visitation

JUN 7. 2:00 PM (CT)

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“ Chris Murphy purchased the *Enchanted Cottage* for the family of Joy Anne O'Connor.



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