



## Joy Ann Stuart

March 15, 1947 - February 28, 2024

A celebration of life for Joy Ann Stuart, age 76 of Hideaway, Texas, is scheduled for 10:00 a.m. Saturday, March 9, 2024, at the Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home Chapel in Lindale, Texas, with Rev. Michael Peschke officiating.

Joy peacefully passed away on Wednesday, February 28, 2024, in her home in Hideaway, Texas. She was born March 15, 1947, in Charmco, West Virginia, to her loving family the late Harlan Brent and Helen Agnes (Kincaid) Flanagan. Joy met and married the love of her life Earl Stuart and they were married in 1968. Joy spent the first part of her married life staying home and raising her children, a gift her sons will never forget. Joy earned both a Bachelor of Science in Education from Miami University of Ohio in 1969 and a Master of Library Science from Texas Women's University in Denton, Texas in 1991. Joy's passion for reading and books led her to help build the first free standing public library in Whitehouse, Texas. She and her family lived there before moving to Van, Texas. She retired in 2016, after 32 years as the Mineola Highschool Librarian, where she loved working with the students and her Librarian's Aids. She was a member of St. Dunston's Episcopal Church in Mineola, Texas, and extremely active in the Mineola Pilot Club and the Delta Cappa Gamma Sorority, serving as past President for both organizations and helped to keep their missions alive. Joy has lived in Hideaway for the last 10-years where she was a member of several social clubs including the Hideaway Book Club, and Get Happy Singer Choir, Prior to moving Hideaway

she previously lived in Van, Texas, for 20 years. Her family will never forget her community involvement and be proud but know her true love in life was being a loving wife and mother allowing her to spend time with her beloved family.

Joy is survived by her husband, Earl Stuart of Hideaway; sons, Brent Stuart and wife, Heidi of Pembroke Pines, Florida; and Randolph Stuart and wife, Tristand of Granbury, Texas; brother, COL (RET) Mike Flanagan and wife, Beth of Katy, Texas; grandchildren, Amber Pena, Morganne Stuart, Allyson Stuart, Leander Stuart, Owen Stuart, Autum Stuart, and Emily Stuart; great grandchildren Chance Pena, Cozy Pena, Bodhi Pena, and Gracie Pena; and numerous other loving family members and friends.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Pilot Club of Mineola, P.O. Box 57, Mineola, TX 75773, or to DKG of Mineola, c/o Janell Abbott - Treasurer, 222 Lakeside Place, Mineola, TX 75773.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

MAR 9. 10:00 AM (CT)

Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home  
206 West South Street  
Lindale, TX 75771  
(903) 882-3141  
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# Tribute Wall



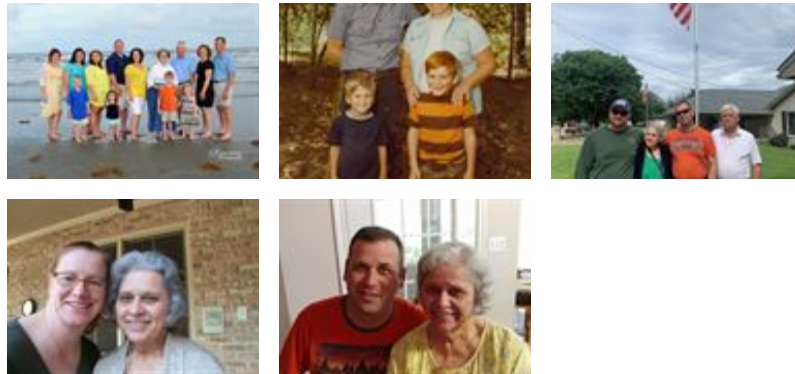
“ *Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Joy Ann Stuart*



Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home - March 07, 2024 at 09:17 PM



“ *50 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home - March 07, 2024 at 09:09 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Joy Ann Stuart.*



March 07, 2024 at 01:53 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Joy Ann Stuart.*



March 07, 2024 at 09:51 AM



“ *Rose Remembrance was purchased for the family of Joy Ann Stuart.*



March 07, 2024 at 08:49 AM



“ *from The S. Florida Family & Freinds planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joy Ann Stuart.*

from The S. Florida Family & Freinds - March 07, 2024 at 08:49 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Joy Ann Stuart.*



March 07, 2024 at 08:25 AM

HS

“ Heidi S. purchased the *Deepest Faith* for the family of Joy Ann Stuart.



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**Heidi S.** - March 04, 2024 at 01:36 PM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Joy Ann Stuart.



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March 01, 2024 at 11:08 PM

GD

“ Ginger Viers (and my sweet angel Dave) planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joy Ann Stuart.

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**Ginger Viers (and my sweet angel Dave)** - March 01, 2024 at 11:08 PM

GV

“ Oh Earl, Mike and all of your families, I am shocked and so heartbroken to learn of Joy's passing. She was such a beautiful and friendly person. Even though we haven't talked for a long time all of you are in my heart and thoughts. I feel your pain and will keep all of you in my prayers.

*Ginger Viers*

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**Ginger Viers** - March 01, 2024 at 10:52 PM

LH

“ Liz and Jim Hinna purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Joy Ann Stuart.



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**Liz and Jim Hinna** - March 01, 2024 at 01:08 AM

LH

“ Liz and Jim Hinna planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joy Ann Stuart.

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