



Mary Judith "Judy" Hutchison

February 10, 1956 - December 27, 2021

Mary Judith "Judy" Hutchison, age 65, of Morrilton, Arkansas passed away Monday, December 27, 2021. She was born in Morrilton on February 10, 1956, a daughter of the late James Mitchell Hutchison II and Jean Thines Hutchison.

Judy was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, a lector, a member of the Parish Council, and a former leader of the Catholic Youth Ministry. She was involved in community activities including Friends of the Conway County Library, the Our Town Singers & Players, and the retired teacher's organization.

Judy worked as a speech and language pathologist for 42 years; 41 years with the South Conway County School District where she was honored as a Teacher of the Year. She had a bachelor's degree in speech pathology and a master's degree in communication disorders from the University of Central Arkansas.

She is survived by her mother, Jean Hutchison, siblings: Jo Claire Hutchison of Morrilton, Arkansas, Jim Hutchison of Morrilton, Arkansas, and Mary Ann Hutchison of Memphis, Tennessee, as well as many cousins and friends.

Funeral Mass will be 10:30 a.m., Thursday, December 30, 2021, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church with Father Jack Harris officiating. Rosary will be Wednesday, December 29, at the funeral home from 6:00 to 6:30 p.m. with visitation following until 8:00 p.m. Burial will be at Sacred Heart Cemetery. Donations can be made to Sacred Heart Church or a charity of your choice.

Cemetery Details

Sacred Heart Cemetery

Morrilton, AR

Previous Events

Rosary

DEC **29**. 6:00 PM - 6:30 PM (CT)

Harris Funeral Homes - Morrilton
1325 Oak St
Morrilton, AR 72110
(501) 354-4575

Visitation

DEC **29**. 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

DEC **30**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
506 E. Broadway
Morrilton, AR 72110

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Judith "Judy" Hutchison*

January 30, 2023 at 02:08 AM



“ *Jean,
My sympathy to you and your family with the passing of Judy. I was so sorry to hear about her death and my first thoughts were for you. I ran into Judy a while back and she mentioned you and the time that I had worked with you and the school district. She was always proud of the work that was being done in Morrison. My prayers for comfort and peace are with you and your family. Blessings, Susie Branon (Nelson)*

Susie Branon - January 03, 2022 at 09:32 AM



“ *Judy was an outstanding lady. She will truly be missed.*

Judy M Porter - December 30, 2021 at 08:43 PM



“ *I'm in shock & so sorry to hear about the death of Judy. I met her many years ago when we both attended Search together. We became fast friends. Everytime I would see her we would catch up with each other's lives. May our God wrap His arms around you & bring you peace. Margaret Gunderman Pearcy*

Margaret Gunderman Pearcy - December 30, 2021 at 04:43 PM

KS

“ Kelly Graves Surratt lit a candle in memory of Mary Judith "Judy" Hutchison



Kelly Graves Surratt - December 30, 2021 at 03:59 PM

DM

“ Judy was a special person. I always enjoyed working with Judy at Mass as she was an excellent lector. She will be missed. Judy heard the words we all long to hear. “Well done my good and faithful servant “.

Dcn Steve Mallett - December 30, 2021 at 09:06 AM

LS

“ Judy was one of the very smartest individuals I’ve ever known. Any time I had a question about a child’s learning delay, she was the “go-to” person. She was also a special gift to my daughter, Jordin, who was challenged with speech articulation at an early age. She took time from her busy schedule to continue services for Jordin during the summer, and she was an advocate for all children. I will forever be grateful for her.

It has also been an honor for me to work with her for several years at both the old Northside Elementary and Morrilton Primary. She taught me so much about special services and was a wonderful role model and friend.

Judy always had a smile, and regardless of the circumstances, she always had a positive attitude and found the good in that moment. She was a woman of many words, and I loved her. This is an unimaginable loss for your family, but please know that I am praying for each of you today. May God bring you comfort and perfect peace today and all the days to come. Love, Lorri Stinnett

Lorri Stinnett - December 29, 2021 at 04:50 PM



“ Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Mary Judith "Judy" Hutchison.



December 29, 2021 at 12:49 PM

LC

“ Dear Jean and family, I was so shocked to learn of Judy's death. Judy was such a sweet and caring person. She touched so many student's lives over the years and made such a difference. I hope that the happy memories you shared will help to heal your sorrow as time passes. You and family will be in my prayers.

Linda Carruthers - December 29, 2021 at 12:32 PM

DH

“ We are so sorry to hear about Judy. Praying for each of you during this difficult time. Rick & Dee Dee Hill

Dee Dee Hill - December 29, 2021 at 09:04 AM

CM

“ Mrs. Judy was a God send to my daughter Jessica! She loved all her students like family and they love her just as much! Prayers for family and friends. She is a blessing to all who knew her.



C McCray mother of Jessica Mendenhall - December 29, 2021 at 08:49 AM

JM

You were a sweet and beautiful and kind lady to me

Jessica mendenhall - January 13, 2022 at 02:57 AM



“ Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers was purchased for the family of Mary Judith "Judy" Hutchison.



December 28, 2021 at 09:14 PM



“ *Lavender & White Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Mary Judith "Judy" Hutchison.*



December 28, 2021 at 08:29 PM



“ *God bless and comfort you all. Judy and I "ran in the same crowd" at UCA. Obtaining that degree in speech path meant everything to her. She loved working with her clients. Judy had the biggest heart and loved a good laugh. Ah, Judy, how I will miss you...*

Susan E. Johnson - December 28, 2021 at 07:35 PM



“ *I'm just heartbroken for Judy's sisters, MaryAnn and Jo Claire, who were travel buddies with me. We visited so many wonderful places together with Judy, who was a wonderful and loving sister. My prayers to the whole family as you come together to celebrate this wonderful woman's life, ended too soon. Eternal rest grant to her, oh Lord and may Your perpetual light shine upon her.*

Laura Felis Quinn - December 28, 2021 at 06:55 PM



“ *May fond memories of Judy bring you comfort during this hard time. My heart and prayers go out to you and your family. I am truly sorry to hear of the loss of Judy Please accept my condolences and may our prayers help comfort you.*



Monique Pedersen - December 28, 2021 at 05:40 PM

WZ

“ Judy was a special christian lady. Always had a smile and kind word. She will be greatly missed. RIP Ms. Judy.
Wayne Zachary

Wayne Zachary - December 28, 2021 at 05:06 PM

MF

“ My heart is sadden. I've known Judy for many years and worked with her to transition preschoolers to kindergarten. She was fun and easy to work with. She retired, but I still got to see her some on campus at MPS. She will be greatly missed. Prayers for the family.

Melissa Freeman - December 28, 2021 at 05:03 PM



“ White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Mary Judith "Judy" Hutchison.



December 28, 2021 at 04:50 PM

KF

“ Heaven gained an Angel! I am so sorry Judy was such a kind soul I loved to hear her do the readings at church. Peace and comfort be with you.
Kay Fougrousse

Kay Fougrousse - December 28, 2021 at 04:45 PM

SB

“ *Judy was one of the kindest people I’ve ever known.*

I worked with her for many years and don’t know of a negative thing to say about her, only positive.

She will be missed.

Sending prayers and hugs to Ms. Jean and the rest of the family. 🙏



Sammi Bruich - December 28, 2021 at 04:24 PM

PB

“ *Judy was the most precious person and helped me so much with our shared kiddos at MPS. She loved her babies and it showed every single second. She had a lasting impact on so many children and adults. Prayers for you all.*

Pam Baker

Pam Baker - December 28, 2021 at 03:26 PM