



## Susan Jacobsen

November 3, 1929 - April 26, 2022

If you would like to watch the private memorial service for Susan, please join the Zoom meeting on Friday at 11am. Zoom link for the service: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89172964294>

CEDAR FALLS – Susan Jewell Jacobsen, 92, of Cedar Falls, died Tuesday, April 26, 2022, at Western Home Communities-Windhaven.

Susan Jacobsen was born November 3, 1929, on Grosse Ile, Michigan, the daughter of Frank and Helen (Rollins) Jewell. She grew up on the island, graduating from high school there. She attended Hillsdale College, transferring to Michigan State University where she earned a B.A. in education.

On March 21, 1951, she married Jerrold E. Jacobsen at St. James Episcopal Church on Grosse Ile. Following their marriage, she taught in Tiffin, Iowa until Jerry graduated from the University of Iowa. They moved to Cedar Falls where Jerry practiced law and their three children were born. They were members of St. Luke's Episcopal Church for many years. She served as Senior Warden, Altar Guild chairman and chairman of the altar reconstruction plans.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Jerry, having been married 67

years; her parents perished in a fire in 1949, and her only sister Nancy Roberts in 2007.

She is survived by her children: Janet (Dick) Lakin, Kirk (Joey) Jacobsen, Kip (Dawn) Jacobsen; her grandchildren: Nick (Jenny) Lakin, Ben (Kim) Lakin, Joe (Emilee) Lakin, Sam (Stephanie) Jacobsen, Drew Jacobsen, Ethan Jacobsen, Lindsey (Stephen) Van Gorp; and great-grandchildren: Trey, Dax, Crosby, Georgia, Ava Lakin, and Lincoln Van Gorp.

Visitation will be 4:00-7:00 p.m. Thursday, May 26, 2022, at Richardson Funeral Service in Cedar Falls. A private family service will be at St. Luke's Episcopal Church in Cedar Falls. Burial will be at Greenwood Cemetery in Cedar Falls.

Memorials may be directed to St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Western Home Communities, or St. Croix Hospice.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **26**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Richardson Funeral Service  
615 Main Street  
Cedar Falls, IA 50613  
(319) 266-3525  
[richardsonfuneralservice@gmail.com](mailto:richardsonfuneralservice@gmail.com)  
<http://richardson.funeralplan2.com>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Susan Jacobsen.*



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May 25, 2022 at 11:26 AM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Susan Jacobsen.*



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May 24, 2022 at 08:50 AM



“ *Aunt Susan had a positive influence on many lives, including ours. We are proud to be members of her family. Hoping your happy memories will help you through this difficult time.*

*Love,*

*Frank and Elaine Roberts*

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**Frank Roberts** - May 24, 2022 at 08:40 AM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Susan Jacobsen.*



May 23, 2022 at 08:54 PM



“ *This makes me so sad. It's such an end of an era. Sue was a gracious, kind and generous lady. She was beautiful inside and out. And so very talented. I treasure her watercolor postcards and the prayer shawl that she made for Mom. She was so generous with her talents. Sue and Jerry were such good friends of my family. I can still hear Dad telling stories about he and Jerry in high school. There might have been a story about a car on Clay Street with a woman's mannequin legs sticking out to the rumble seat???? And the laughter and stories when the four of them got together. And Sue was so very, very good to Mom... there are no words. God bless the Jacobsen family! There are so many prayers for you. Sincerely, Lisa Berg*

**Lisa Berg** - May 09, 2022 at 04:05 PM



“ *3 files added to the tribute wall*



**Janet Roberts** - May 01, 2022 at 09:18 PM

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“ To our dear Aunt Susan, a true treasure, you are going to be missed. We will never forget being welcomed to Iowa from one of Iowa's finest. Aunt Susan took us under her wing and showed us all the wonderful things Iowa had to offer, introduced us to wonderful people and made sure we felt welcomed.

We hunted morel mushrooms in the spring, visited the cemetery on Memorial Day, with geraniums in hand. We loved late night skates on the slue behind Aunt Susan and Uncle Jerry's house and had some of the best Thanksgivings, with all the fixins'!

Aunt Susan was a true artist, a perfectionist in everyway. Whatever the medium, watercolors, ink, fabric, yarn, needle and thread, they were all true works of art.

She always had a smile, a good listener and she always offered sound advice. She brought out the best in everyone.

Aunt Susan bless your heart, rest in peace! Love you, sincerely your nephew Rob and Janet Roberts

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**Rob and Janet Roberts** - May 01, 2022 at 06:56 PM