



## Janet Elaine Berg

April 23, 1940 - December 3, 2022

Janet Elaine Berg, 82, of Huntington, passed away at 3:30 am Saturday, December 3, 2022 at her residence.

Janet was born on April 23, 1940 in Syracuse, NY, the daughter of Lloyd Gillett and Beulah (Tharp) Gillett. She grew up in San Diego, CA and Douglas, AZ and graduated from Douglas High School with the Class of 1958. She attended Arizona State University and received her Associates Degree from Southwestern Michigan College in Dowagiac, MI. She married John H. Berg on June 28, 1959 in Douglas, AZ and he preceded her in death on April 18, 2019. She retired as an Accounting Supervisor from the State of Michigan DCS after 26 years of service. She also worked at H&R Block for many years. She was a member of College Park United Brethren Church, and she attended Life Church in Huntington. Janet loved to knit, crochet, and sew. She enjoyed square dancing and line dancing, and she and her husband traveled to all 50 states, the Holy Land, and many foreign countries. She loved all puzzles, including jig saw, crossword, and word search puzzles. She was committed to Jesus and Mission Work and supported many Navajo children and children from India.

Survivors include her two Daughters, Karen (Tom) Bennett of Huntington, IN, Diane Endres of Huntington, IN; Son, Brian (Vera) Berg of Newport, MI; nine Grandchildren, Carrie Fiedler, Kelly Fletcher, D.L. Sivley, Cameron Sivley,

Jana Ricker, Katherine "Kay" Martinez-Bennett, Joni Adams, Daniel Turner, and Martika Berg; and twelve Great Grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her Husband, John H. Berg, Mother, Beulah Mae Gillett, Father, Lloyd A. Gillett, six Brothers, and five Sisters.

A Celebration of Life for Janet Berg will be held at Life Church Huntington, 900 E State Street, Huntington IN, 46750, at 2:00 pm on April 22, 2023. All who knew her are invited.

In lieu of flowers, preferred memorials may be made in memory of Janet to her family, Karen Bennett, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, IN, 46750.

Please sign the online guest book at [www.baileylove.com](http://www.baileylove.com).

Bailey-Love Mortuary is honored to serve the family of Janet Elaine Berg.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

APR **22**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Life Church Huntington  
900 E. State St.  
Huntington, IN 46750

# Tribute Wall

MP

“ My favorite memory of my grandma was doing puzzles with her when I would spend time with her over the summer. And always going to her church groups and card games. 💔💜

Martika Parker - December 05, 2022 at 08:26 PM

SB

“ I grew up with Janet in Douglas Arizona. Janet was my date to our big formal dance in our Junior year. The strangest thing happened years after we graduated! Janet and her husband were returning to their home after a long trip. They stopped and spent the night at a motel. It was warm so Janet went to the swimming pool and sat in the jacuzzi. Another lady sat in the pool and the 2 of them started talking. Janet asked the lady where she went to school and the lady said Douglas Arizona. Janet was surprised and said she graduated in 1958. The lady, Jean Lytle screamed and said I graduated with you in 1958. They talked for hours! Rest in heaven Janet!

steve Brodie - December 05, 2022 at 07:15 PM

KB

Thank you Steve. Mom mentioned you by name over the years, and always told my kids you can go to a dance with someone you aren't dating. They thought she was nuts, lol!

Karen E Bennett - December 18, 2022 at 08:17 PM

JA

“ I grew up across the street from Janet. I'm so sorry to learn of her passing. She was a kind person. I have many memories of her. They lived on 15th Street and "B" Avenue. Please accept my condolences. Jacqueline Borane Agers

Jacqueline Agers - December 05, 2022 at 06:28 PM

KB

*Thank you, and thank you for your sweet words. She always talked about riding the wild burros that crossed the border from Mexico. We're you one of the neighborhood kids that did that? -- Karen, her oldest daughter.*

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**Karen E Bennett** - December 18, 2022 at 08:13 PM