



# Jean M. Steffe

FEB 15, 1958 - JAN 10, 2022



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## **Jean M. Steffe**

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**J**ean M. Steffe, age 63, of Harbeson Delaware and a lifelong resident of Lewes, Delaware, passed away on Monday, January 10, 2022. She was born in Lewes, DE on February 15, 1958, daughter of late Edgar M. Downs Sr. and Marguerite (Shockley) Downs.

Jean was a graduate of Lewes High School, class of 1976 and then went on to become a medical assistant for the next 38 years. Jean was known for her vibrant personality and as a warm, positive individual filled with love that always had open arms for anyone that needed it. Known to many as "Aunt Jean", she always tried to see the positive in everything and everyone, never failing to put a smile on your face with her contagious laugh, incredible sense of humor and great conversation. Jean's love for her family and friends was always her top priority, while being "Nana" to the newest member of the family, was the highlight of her life.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by two brothers: Edgar M. Downs, Jr., and William C. Downs; and a sister, Margaret J. Cresmer. Jean is survived by her beloved husband, Ronald P. Steffe of Baltimore, MD; her sister, Judith D. Klute of Lincoln, DE; her five nieces and nephews; eight great nieces and nephews; a sister-in-law; and a mother-in-law.

A viewing will be held on Wednesday January 19, 2022, from 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM at Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium, Atkins-Lodge Chapel, 16961 Kings Highway, Lewes, DE 19958.

A Celebration of Life Reception will follow the viewing from 5:30-7:30 PM, at Fins Ale House & Raw Bar located at 19269 Coastal Highway, Rehoboth Beach.

Burial will be private.

In light of her longtime love of flowers, flowers are welcome for the service to celebrate her life.

Please sign Jean's online guestbook located on this site.



# Events

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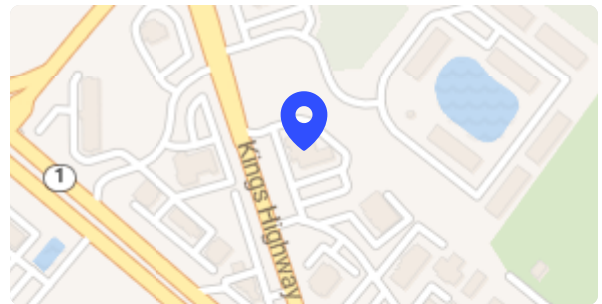
## Flowers

**Wednesday**, January 19, 2022

10:00 AM ET

**Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium-Atkins-Lodge Chapel**

16961 Kings Highway, Lewes DE 19958



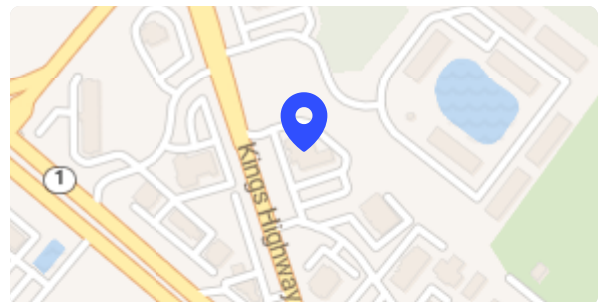
## Viewing

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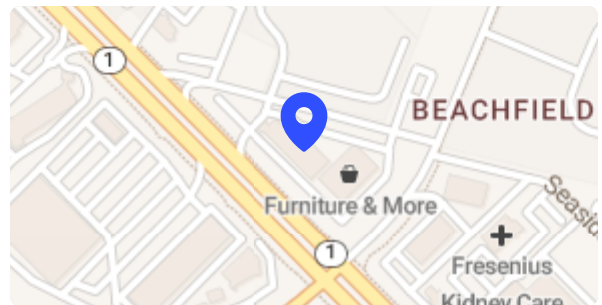
## Celebration of Life Reception

**Wednesday**, January 19, 2022

5:30 PM - 7:30 PM ET

**Fins Ale House & Raw Bar**

19269 Coastal Highway, Rehoboth Beach DE 19971





## Tribute Wall

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**Barbara & Gregg Hellens** lit a candle in honor of Jean.

Our deepest condolences to you and your family Jeanne was a very sweet and caring lady she was always so friendly and bubbly she will be missed deeply

January 21 at 6:41 AM



**From Your Sussex Consortium Family** sent a Country Basket Blooms to the Steffe family.

January 18 at 12:37 PM



**Anonymous** sent an Arrive in Style to the Steffe family.

January 18 at 9:31 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Rose Tribute to the Steffe family.

January 18 at 2:40 AM



**Carol Parks** posted:

Jean was my best buddy. I will miss her terribly. We had a lot of great times together. Carol from NJ

January 17 at 12:10 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet to the Steffe family.

January 17 at 11:36 AM





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**Debbie Morris** lit a candle in honor of Jean.

January 14 at 10:17 AM



**Stephanie & John & Family.** sent a Majestic Heart to the Steffe family.

January 12 at 7:47 AM





# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Jean by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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