



Mrs. Elayne "Elaine" Edwards

June 2, 1943 - January 17, 2019

Elayne "Elaine" Edwards, 75, of Seffner, Florida, born in Waterbury, Connecticut on June 2, 1943, passed quietly from the physical to the spirit world on January 17, 2019, surrounded by her loving family. She fought a brave multi year battle with Stage 4 cancer, but it beat her in the end. Elayne was the Instructor of Drafting and Design and History of Costume and Art at Kaynor Technical High School in Waterbury, Connecticut during the 1960's - 1970's. She then moved on to a General Manager position which she held for the next 10 plus years with the National Chimney Sweep Guild and the Chimney Safety Institute of America. She was also the co-owner of Royal Chimney and Masonry Services and Royal Edwards Technical Services. She went on to work for the UPS Call Center as a quality assurance supervisor and retired after many years of service. Elayne enjoyed music, traveling, cooking, and helping others. She adored her family, especially her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She is survived by her husband of 54 years, Royal Edwards; children, Djuana Bangs (Robert) of Merrimack, New Hampshire, Daryl Edwards (Linda) of Wesley Chapel, and Denise Severy (Shane) of Dacula, Georgia; grandchildren, Tommy, Shannon, Adam, Ashley, Crissy, Mike, Taylor, Madison, and Dean; 13 great-grandchildren; and sister, Janice Tischer (Larry). A graveside service will be held at Miller Cemetery in Temple, New Hampshire at a later date. Expressions of condolence at HopewellFuneral.com

Tribute Wall

KK

“ Sending heartfelt condolences to the family of a life long friend. Elaine showed how one woman could still maintain grace, humor, love, and dignity all while giving of herself to the very end. No regrets my friend, a life well done.

Kathy Kovzelove - January 22, 2019 at 03:30 AM

MA

“ So sorry for your loss. Margie & Sandy.

margie - January 22, 2019 at 02:23 AM

TT

“ We are heartbroken with you and for you. I really appreciated our talks and visits when i needed them most. She was a true stubborn and sassy warrior who loved her family ferociously. Much love to all of you.

~ the Hudson Tribe



The Hudson Tribe - January 20, 2019 at 08:52 AM

ES

“ Jan, My thoughts and prayers with you and all the family. So sorry for your loss.

Eileen Schwartz - January 20, 2019 at 08:17 AM

LB

“ Sorry to hear of your passing but, grateful to have seen you and yours at our 50th reunion We realize that the Lord lent you to us for all these years & has taken you back with his other children ! Rest in Peace & God Bless !

Larry & Connie Bohan - January 19, 2019 at 09:27 PM

VI


“ Sorry for everyone's loss, all of us in the chimney industry owe Elaine a big Thank you for giving herself unselfishly to help reestablish an industry again. Positive thought to Royal and the family.

Victor - January 19, 2019 at 10:20 AM

PM

“ We'll always be grateful to have met and spent time with Elayne at the many annual conventions. She was a wealth of knowledge and appreciated her sharing so much. And truly enjoyed her candor and sense of humor. Keeping your family in our thoughts and prayers.

Pam & Rich Martinez - January 19, 2019 at 08:56 AM

 Yvette
Robitaille-
Aube

“ I will always remember Elayne from working with the National Chimney Sweep Guild at conventions.

Always a kind word and a bright smile
She brought so much to a young Guild and trade and made some wonderful friends .

Elayne will be greatly missed by all the chimney technicians that knew her and loved her well.



Yvette Robitaille-Aube - January 19, 2019 at 08:24 AM

DW

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Your mom was a wonderful woman and will be deeply missed. Her memories will live on in our hearts. Our thoughts and prayers go out to all of you.
Dawn and Bob Wallace

Dawn Wallace - January 18, 2019 at 08:04 PM