



Janice Devine

January 20, 1959 - January 13, 2018

Janice Devine, age 58, passed away in Chicago on Saturday evening, January 13, 2018.

Janice was a renaissance woman. She won several television Emmy awards as a graphic artist and worked the Olympics, Super Bowls, NFL, MLB and NHL. She brightened the days of those who shared a TV truck with her.

She also had a certificate in landscape design. Her gardens were always stunning.

A world traveler, she explored with gusto, embracing different cultures, cuisines, and experiences.

Her positivity and optimism were a joy to be around, her hearty greeting and smiling face will be missed.

She is survived by her mother, Marcella (Marcy) Devine, siblings Bob (Mary) Allen, and Linda (Gary) Adelman. Countless friends and colleagues will miss her.

Please join us in celebrating her Janice's life with food, drink, stories and memories from 11:00am to 2:00pm on June 3 at Greenhouse Loft located at

2545 W Diversey Parkway.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUN 3. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Greenhouse Loft
2545 W Diversey Parkway
Chicago, IL 60647

Tribute Wall



“ *Janice Devine*

October 15, 2022 at 06:22 AM



“ *Janice was such a warm and generous person and a wonderful neighbor. I had the opportunity to work with her at our little local park, Unity Park. I was trying to establish a community perennial garden and Janice generously developed a beautiful design and went with me to the garden center where she had a discount. She gave advice on planting and volunteered her time to help with that. This was many years ago, not all the plants survived, most often because of conditions in the park beyond our control, but I will never forget the fun that I had working with her on that project. She will be missed by so many. I hope that her family and friends find some comfort in hearing about yet another beautiful way that Janice contributed to this world.*

Jane Michalski

Jane Michalski - February 17, 2018 at 05:11 PM

CM

“ *For every burden that we bear, For every sorrow, every care,
There's a reason.
For every grief that bows the head, For every tear-drop that is shed,
There's a reason.
For every hurt, for every plight, For every lonely painracked night,
There's a reason.
But if we trust God as we should, All must work out for our good,
He knows the reason.*

*Janice was always thought provoking. She has given me personally
35 years of memories.*

*No more pain and no more sorrow. You're in heaven now because
on earth you were an ANGEL.*

You know who, Janice.

Christina Miller - February 05, 2018 at 02:10 PM



Kimberly
Nicole

“ *Don't think of her as gone away,
her journey's just begun.
Life holds so many facets,
this earth is only one.*

*Just think of her as resting
from the sorrow and the tears,
In a place of warmth and comfort
where there are no days and years.*

*And think of her as wishing
that we could know today,
That nothing but our sorrow
can really pass away.*

*And think of her as living
in the hearts of those she loved,
For nothing loved is ever lost,
and she was loved so much.*

Kimberly Nicole - February 05, 2018 at 11:07 AM

AL

“ *I met Janice while working for CBS many years ago. She was one of my favorite co-workers. Always smiling, always professional and easy to work with, she was always fun to be around. In 2012 she recommended me for the 2012 Olympics crew and it was one of my favorite events of my career. I can't believe she is gone but her memory will last for many all over the world!*



Alan Layton - January 17, 2018 at 08:54 PM

AL

“ 6 files added to the album Janice 2017



Alan Layton - January 17, 2018 at 07:49 PM

MF

“ Janice was a "bonus" friend thanks to our mutual friend Jackie. Just like everyone she ever met, i felt fast friends with her the moment Jackie introduced us. The smile, the LAUGH and the wonderful outlook on life...i always wanted to be a better person after being around her. She held my hand at Jackie's funeral and made that day a little easier. I'll bet they are hanging out together now--and can only imagine the level of laughter and smiles. Janice lived life well...we just wish it could have been longer...but we were lucky to have her.

-Melissa Dugan Frank

melissa dugan frank - January 17, 2018 at 12:50 PM

RR

“ 1 file added to the album Janice 2017



Russ Rodriguez - January 17, 2018 at 12:15 PM

MF

“ Janice was my neighbor, friend, and gardening pal.



Although I was often caught up in the swirl of children and work, any time I would see Janice was bonus for my day. She was always upbeat and smiling - and so incredibly generous. Upon learning I was hosting my parent's 50th anniversary in our backyard, Janice volunteered to assist me with landscaping. We had just finished a large home addition - and our backyard was a mess! She was incredibly helpful, and so much fun!!! Not too mention all the times she asked about my children. I was single for a long time, so I tried not press my kid stories on anyone. Janice always asked about them, and seemed genuinely interested. How kind was that!

Every conversation I had with Janice could have continued for hours - she had so many great stories, and was such a great listener. My children are finally launched, and the swirl almost calm. Oh - for friends like Janice to be share a plant and a glass of wine. She was the best.

I miss you Janice. And pray that you are in a peaceful and joyful place full of flower, bunnies, and love.

Molly Fleming - January 16, 2018 at 06:59 PM

LP

“ Always an infectious smile. She will be missed and remembered by many all over the world.

Lee Pfannerstill - January 16, 2018 at 01:35 PM

DH

“ I remember the fun times we had at her home in the summer when we would get together to barbecue. She loved to cook so I would bring a dish to compliment her menu. The kitties were always there to share in the fun. She has a great garden so perfect for kitties to play in. It attracted butterflies and fun creatures that cats just love. One summer she had bunnies in the yard. She was so excited about having them in the yard that she couldn't wait to showed me their hiding place. I know she was concerned for their safety too because as long as she knew they were in the yard she would make sure to keep Mateo and Briza inside.

There are many stories but this is one of my favorites as I love all animals and so did she.

diva hasan - January 16, 2018 at 01:25 PM

DH

“ Diva Hasan lit a candle in memory of Janice Devine



diva hasan - January 16, 2018 at 12:43 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Janice Devine.*



January 16, 2018 at 11:34 AM



“ *ALL my memories, mental images, internally recorded sounds of Janice are light, bright, joyful, smiling, laughing, warm, positive. All. How rare a person, how great a loss. I share my sadness, send my deepest wishes that peace finds Janice's family and friends. Janice never stopped calling me, "Laura Budd." You know how a nickname spoken by the right person feels?*
Laura Meagher

laura meagher - January 16, 2018 at 11:06 AM



“ *I so fondly remember meeting Janice in the TV trucks at Solider Field when I was a runner for CBS Sports on Sundays. She always greeted me with the biggest smile and every time I saw her after that, she always gave me a big hello and a warm hug. The world has lost an incredible person but we can all learn from Janice and honor her memory by being kind and respectful every single day. - Abby Polonsky, Chicago*

Abby Polonsky - January 16, 2018 at 10:48 AM



“ *My sincerest condolences to the family. Chaos would surround us working in tv. I'd turn around in my tv chair & there was Jancice, all smiles & waving wildly giving me a thumbs up! She will be sorely missed...*

Rebecca Pope - January 16, 2018 at 10:28 AM