



## Ms. Joanne Douglas

April 10, 1935 - October 31, 2018

Joanne Douglas, 83, of Durham, North Carolina, died Wednesday, October 31, 2018 peacefully in her sleep at home.

Born in Chateaugay on April 10, 1935, she was the daughter of Frank and Anna (Granger) Douglas. Both predeceased her.

Joanne graduated from Chateaugay High School and Russell Sage College and majored in Nursing. She spent her entire career as a Registered Nurse at Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC, retiring after over 35 years of dedicated service.

She never married. She enjoyed returning to the North Country every Spring and Fall to visit family and experience the changing of the seasons. Joanne loved reading, collecting antiques, gardening and her cat, Katie.

She is survived by her loving nieces and nephews, Jay and Melanie Douglas of Chateaugay, Cindy and Kevin Gale of Moira, Lynn and Jim Harrigan of Chateaugay, Cheryl Douglas and John Cook of Malone, David Douglas of Malone, Peggy and Gervin Johnston of Chateaugay, Quebec, and Larry Douglas of Rouses Point; as well as several great nieces and nephews and their families.

Besides her parents, she was predeceased by two her brothers and sisters-in-law, Gerald and Pauline Douglas, George and Rose Douglas; two nephews, Ronald Douglas and Stephen Douglas.

Calling hours will be held at the Chateaugay Funeral Home on Saturday, November 3, 2018 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. A funeral service will immediately follow at 1 p.m. in the funeral home chapel with Deacon Brian Dwyer officiating.

Burial will take place in Eastside Cemetery, Chateaugay.

In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory may be made to Hospice of the North Country

# Cemetery

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# Events

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**Eastside Cemetery**

Chateaugay, NY,

**NOV 3 Visitation 11:00AM - 01:00PM**

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Chateaugay Funeral Home  
36 Church Street, Chateaugay, NY, US, 12920

**NOV 3 Prayer service 01:00PM**

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# Comments

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“ Joanne was my head nurse when I worked on a medical floor at Duke. She was a strong and wonderful leader whom I respected greatly. Sincere sympathy to all family and friends. R.Anglin, Durham NC

**Rebecca Anglin** - November 07, 2018 at 11:33 AM

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“ Joanne is my classmate from the 1953 Class of Chateaugay Central School and she was a beautiful classmate in every way: looks, devotion to others, industry, and helpfulness. I recall in the study hall of the old school there were no tables--only oversized desks that could fit two people if squeezed. I used to opt to sit beside Joanne to study until teacher Bill Cullen caught on to my craftiness and asked me to move. What beautiful memories of a beautiful person. Jim Ryan CCS '53

**Jim Ryan** - November 03, 2018 at 10:19 AM

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“ Cindy lit a candle in memory of Ms. Joanne Douglas



**Cindy** - November 02, 2018 at 10:45 AM

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“ Aunt Joanne....you were our last Douglas root...I will miss you and our talks about the past and looking at pictures especially the ones you painted in my mind. You were a special lady and taught us many things growing up and as adults..I remember when you told me to never clean my plate it showed that i was full and where the silverware went on the table. Sure will miss you but i will never forget you or our last hug. Love you.

**Cindy** - November 01, 2018 at 04:29 PM

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“ Our sympathies to my family and friends. Aunt Joanne will remain in our hearts and minds forever. God Bless Her. Love Peggy and Gervin

**Peggy** - November 01, 2018 at 09:14 AM

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“ Cindy, Lynn & Cheryl,  
We are thinking of you at this sad time. I can remember all the times you guys spoke about her and visited her! She was very lucky to have you in her life.  
I will be in Albany at the time of her services, but will be thinking of you!  
Love,  
Julie J.



**Julie** - November 01, 2018 at 08:51 AM

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“ You were the best Aunt anybody could ever ask for! I will miss the trips to North Carolina to see you where we reminisced, laughed and talked.

Love, Cheryl

**Cheryl** - November 01, 2018 at 06:13 AM