



## Joan Duininck

October 28, 1934 - August 21, 2019

Services for Joan Lois Duininck will take place at 10:00 a.m., Monday, August 26, 2019 at the Rhema Bible Church Sanctuary in Broken Arrow, OK. Burial will follow at Memorial Park Cemetery. Friends may visit Hayhurst funeral home on Sunday, August 25 from 3:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. with family there to receive visitors from 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. <sup>[1]</sup><sub>[SEP]</sub>

Joan was born on October 28, 1934 in Grand Rapids, Michigan to Clare and Hermina (Hieminga) Venema. Joan passed away on Wednesday, August 21, 2019 at the age of 84. <sup>[1]</sup><sub>[SEP]</sub> Joan graduated from Grand Rapids Christian High School and went on to attend and graduate with a major in music from DePauw University in Greencastle, Indiana. Joan was a housewife and mother to four sons. She devoted much of her time and energy to raising her sons and guiding the home as well as supporting the business endeavors of her husband, Willis. Joan met Willis Duininck at Calvin College in Grand Rapids, Michigan and married him there on June 22, 1957. Their union was blessed with four sons. Joan was a strong and caring wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. She was deeply devoted to her family and was a friend to many. <sup>[1]</sup><sub>[SEP]</sub>

In her free time, Joan liked to snow ski, spend time at the lake, and work outdoors. She enjoyed traveling together with Willis and exploring new

destinations. Joan was devoted to the Lord and was a strong and faithful supporter of Christian ministries and missions all around the world. Along with Willis, Joan invited many other friends into her life, blessing them and helping guide them in their Christian walk.

Joan is survived by:

Children: Guy and Michele Duininck, Tulsa, OK Mitchell and Leah Duininck, Tulsa, OK

Joseph and Amy Duininck, Tulsa, OK Grandchildren: Luke Duininck, Emily Hutchinson, Andrew Duininck, Hans

Duininck, Hanna Rachel, Grace Duininck, Samuel Duininck, Anna Ferretti, Catherine Duininck, Levi Duininck, Willem Duininck and Cora Duininck

Great-Grandchildren: Archer Duininck, Atlas Duininck, Amaryllis Duininck, Olivia Hutchinson and Logan Hutchison.

Brothers: Clare Venema of Fayetteville, Arkansas, Jay Venema of Grand Rapids, Michigan, and John Venema of Denver, Colorado.

Joan was preceded in death by her parents, by her husband, Willis, and by her son, Kelly.

Any Special financial gifts given in honor of Joan can be given to:

Masters Touch Ministries Box 35543

Tulsa, OK 74127 [www.GuyDuininck.com](http://www.GuyDuininck.com)

In His Image International 7501 Riverside Parkway Tulsa, OK 74136

[www.inhisimageinternational.org](http://www.inhisimageinternational.org)

Rhema Bible Training College 1025 West Kenosha

Broken Arrow, OK 74021 [www.rbtc.org](http://www.rbtc.org)

Uttermost Ministries 9030 East 101st St. Tulsa, OK 74133

[www.uttermostministries.org](http://www.uttermostministries.org)

Floral arrangements may be ordered through:

The Tulsa Blossom Shop

5565-A East 41st Street  
Tulsa, Ok 74135  
918-663-3030

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **25**. 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

Hayhurst Funeral Home  
1660 South Elm Place  
Broken Arrow, OK 74012  
(918) 258-9623  
hayhurstfuneralhome@gmail.com

## Viewing

AUG **25**. 3:30 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Hayhurst Funeral Home  
1660 South Elm Place  
Broken Arrow, OK 74012  
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## Funeral Service

AUG **26**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Rhema Bible Church  
1025 W. Kenosha Street  
Broken Arrow, OK

# Tribute Wall



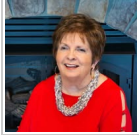
“ *Joan Duininck*

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM



“ *to the family of Joan Duininck--I am so sorry to hear of this just today and want to extend my sympathy to all of her fabulous children and their spouses and children. Joan was always like a big sister to me when she was living in Grand Rapids, mi and was my very favorite and looked up to cousin. She was a senior at GR Christian high school and I was a freshman. She always had loads of guys who wanted to date her and I even got a few of the ones she turned down because I was her cuz. She had a beautiful singing voice that brought tears to my eyes on more than one occasion when I was able to visit her at college in De Pauw, Ind.. She was a beautiful person as you all well know and I had a few wonderful phone conversations with her near the end of her life. have more recently left messages on her phone but did not get any replies so finally googled her to see if there was any information and now have found the obituary."when we all get to heaven, what a day of rejoicing that will be--When we all see Jesus, We'll sing and shout the victory!!" If you have any memories of her funeral , I would love to receive some of them. My address is Rosemary Vroon 2135 Onekama Dr. Grand Rapids Mi 49506*

rosemary Vroon - September 16, 2019 at 07:10 PM



“ *Joan was always such a blessing to be with. She was always a great support when I attended Rhema. I pray for her family during this time of her release into her heavenly home. She will be greatly missed.* ”



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**Rachel Jeffries** - August 29, 2019 at 03:32 PM



“ *Julie Mathis lit a candle in memory of Joan Duininck* ”



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**Julie Mathis** - August 28, 2019 at 03:16 PM

LG

“ I had two reactions when I heard that Joan had passed from this world and into heaven. The first emotion was sadness for her family as I know she will be missed dearly. My second was to smile when I thought of her with Will and Kelly again. What joy!!!

I had the honor of working for both she and Will. I had a long term relationship that started by working at Hart Ranch and turned into a friendship. I think that was truly a gift that both Will and Joan had... they treated everyone well and with such kindness. They made God the center of their life and they loved their family fiercely. They practiced what they preached, and that was both motivating and endearing.

The memory that I would like to share happened when I was working in the flower beds up at the “Big House” in Rapid City. I was outside doing my job, and Joan came out. She was passionate about something that was going on, and she was talking 900 miles an hour. (I do not remember what the topic was!) Will pulled up and walked over to join us. Joan immediately included him in the conversation. After listening intently for a few minutes, Will got the look of a complete shyster on his face. He started to twinkle and he smiled at me when she wasn't looking, and then said “Well now, Joan...” . That's all he got out! That phrase was gasoline to her fire and he did it on purpose! She got a fierce face and said “Don't you 'Well now, Joan' me!” I still smile remembering those two that day. They were each amazing people, but they were at their best together. And so, I am blessed to have known them, and very thankful they are united for all eternity. May we all live our lives with as much integrity and spunk as Joan did!

My love and hugs to everyone in the Duininck family.

Leah (Carpenter) Greuel

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Leah Greuel - August 27, 2019 at 12:17 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joan Duinck.*



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August 26, 2019 at 11:32 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Joan Duinck.*



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August 26, 2019 at 07:12 AM



“ *Fruit Abounds was purchased for the family of Joan Duinck.*



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August 25, 2019 at 08:55 AM

PJ

“ Sending much love and prayers to my dear friends, the Duininck family.  
From the first time we met, Joan Duininck became my heart friend. I knew her sons first , my good friends, and what a blessing would follow as i became acquainted with Joan and Will. So thankful for the interest Joan took in my life, and no matter the time in between visits, I always knew I had a faithful and loving friend in Joan Duininck.  
She and Will invested in many lives, mine included, and we are all the better, for having walked with them awhile.  
I hear you rooting for us all, Joan and Will, along with my family members too, in heaven's grandstands. Looking unto Jesus the author and the finisher of our faith. Heb. 12: 1,2. Lovingly, Pamela Johnson

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**Pamela Johnson** - August 24, 2019 at 07:42 PM

SH

“ I first met Joan and Willis at Hart Ranch in South Dakota. Joan led a Bible Study that was inspiring to all who attended. She and her family were so kind to me when I went through some medical issues. I know their prayers helped me. She was a great lady and know you all will miss her. Susan Hodge

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**Susan Hodge** - August 24, 2019 at 04:41 PM



“ Ringed by Love was purchased for the family of Joan Duininck.



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August 24, 2019 at 11:00 AM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Joan Duininck.*



August 24, 2019 at 02:52 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Joan Duininck.*



August 23, 2019 at 11:12 AM



“ *I could not have asked for a better sister...she was there waiting for me when I was born. And I am grateful for the many years she has blessed my life.*

*John Venema,  
"Brother John"*

**John Venema** - August 23, 2019 at 09:11 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joan Duininck.*



August 22, 2019 at 11:56 PM

JV

“ I am so thankful for Joan and Willis's many gifts and supports to our school, Rapid City Christian School. You were such an example of a couple dedicated to students, dedicated to seeing young people grow in their faith. We thank God to the example set before us.

Janet Vahrenkamp  
RCCHS Bible Teacher

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Janet Vahrenkamp - August 22, 2019 at 06:11 PM



“ 2 files added to the album Memories Album



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Hayhurst Funeral Home - August 22, 2019 at 11:53 AM

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“ It is our honor and privilege to serve the Duininck family and to provide this permanent tribute website in memory of Joan.



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Hayhurst Funeral Home - August 22, 2019 at 11:13 AM