



Joan McComas

February 20, 1936 - April 29, 2018

Joan Frances McComas died in her home on Sunday, April 29, 2018. A service celebrating Joan will be held at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, May 5, 2018 at St. Patrick's Episcopal Church in Broken Arrow.

Joan was born on February 20, 1936 in Macon, Missouri to Charles "Brick" and Frances (Williams) Shale. She graduated from high school in Macon and earned a Bachelor's degree in Education from the University of Missouri. At Missouri, she met the love of her life, Murray McComas, on a blind date. They were married on September 6, 1958, and enjoyed many wonderful adventures over their 60 years together. They were blessed with four children.

Joan was a gifted homemaker, gardener, and naturalist who loved teaching people about nature. For several years, she volunteered at Oxley Nature Center in Tulsa, where she taught children and adults about animals and our environment. Joan had a beautiful voice and loved singing and music. Joan was a beloved member of her church, St. Patrick's Episcopal Church.

Joan is survived by,

Husband, Murray McComas, Coweta, OK

Children, Charles McComas and wife Susan, Tulsa, OK

Katherine McComas and husband Jonathan Russell-Anelli, Ithaca, NY

Grandchildren, Duncan Russell-Anelli, Ithaca, NY

Aurora Russell-Anelli, Ithaca, NY
Andrea Blackmore, Oklahoma City, OK
David Blackmore, Owasso, OK

Joan was predeceased by her parents Brick and Frances, her son Murray Carmichael McComas, daughter Susan Shale McComas and sister Susan Dragich.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Green Country, 1120 S. Boston Ave., Tulsa, OK 74119.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAY 5. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Patrick's Episcopal Church
4250 W. Houston St.
BROKEN ARROW, OK 74012

Tribute Wall



“ *Joan McComas*

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM



“ *Joan was a good and kind schoolmate. My condolences to all her family.*

*John Romjue
Yorktown, Virginia*

John L. Romjue - May 14, 2018 at 08:51 PM



“ *Joan had an infectious smile, her laughter filling the room.
She was well loved by all who knew her.*

You will be missed.

*With greatest respect,
Laurel Sherwin*

Laurel - May 05, 2018 at 07:37 AM



“ *Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joan McComas.*



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



Hayhurst Funeral Home - April 29, 2018 at 05:04 PM