



## Janice Woods

December 31, 1969 - October 13, 2013

Obituary of Janice Woods Janice Marie Woods, 81, of Syracuse, NY passed away in Ocala, FL, Oct. 13, 2013. She was born in Troy, NY to James and Helen Norton. Janice was predeceased by her husband of 55 years, Francis "Frank" J. Woods in 2009. She is survived by her daughters, Colleen Merrigan, Arlington, VA; Karen Anne (John) Regan of Ocala, FL; 2 sons, Frank T. Woods, James Woods, both of Syracuse, NY; daughter, Kathleen (Stan) Koczka, of Scottsdale, AZ; 6 grandchildren; 2 great-grand children. Services will be private with the family. Our Mother, Janice, was a loving, caring supportive mother, she was there for all of us through thick and thin. Whenever we were in need she was there even if it was just a shoulder to lean on despite what might be going on in her life. She was our champion. She taught us the meaning of love. She also demonstrated the power of humor to overcome life's struggles. Anyone who knew her knew of her quick witted nature one had to be pretty bright to keep up with her. She also had a fun loving adventurous spirit and spunk, one of her sayings was "If not why not!" Not to mention her ability to break out in song at anytime, she had a beautiful singing voice and was not afraid to use it! Our mother's strong sense of self and courage in the face of adversity was truly admirable. Though we are terribly sad to see her go, our wish is that she is reunited with our dad, her one true love, singing once again to his accompaniment at the piano. We will greatly miss our Mom but she and her "quips" will live on in our hearts and memories forever. May God Bless and

keep her! For those that wish, a memorial contribution in Janice's name to:  
Alzheimer's Association Central New York 441 West Kirkpatrick Street,  
Syracuse, NY 13204.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Janice Woods*

June 20, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our deepest sympathy and prayers go out to each of the family members. KA....you are in our thoughts and prayers! love you. Lucy and Dave*

**Lucy Noe** - October 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss, Karen, but I think we know a lot of your personality must have come from your Mom. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

**Ro and George Edwards** - October 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our prayers are with the family. Thoughtfully and warmly,*

**The Gregg's** - October 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Karen Anne and Family, We are sending you all our deepest sympathy in the loss of your Mom. You are all in our prayers. May your faith and your memories of your Mom bring you comfort. God bless you all.*

**Irene and Mike Reilly** - October 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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**Colleen Merrigan** - October 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ On behalf of our staff at Roberts Funeral Homes, I would like to extend my deepest condolences to the entire family during this difficult time.

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**Todd McBride** - October 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM