



## Jeanne Frances Hicks

March 13, 1952 - March 26, 2025

Loving, faithful, stunning wife.

Intuitive. Warm. Life mentor, mother.

Affectionate, Devoted, doting grandmother

And absolutely smitten great grandmother

She was everything you could ever want in a mother. I am hesitant to say perfect because nobody is, but if someone was, it was her.

Humor was her medicine.

In expected Italian fashion, food was her love language.

We were not spoiled but given whatever we needed. She gave the best advice and unending comfort and love.

You never were left to wonder how much she loved you and she taught us to tell people how much you cared about them daily, because you never know when they will be gone. I am so appreciative for this lesson and the thousand others.

Isn't that what a mother is supposed to be? The ultimate teacher?

We were so lucky to have sixty, 47, or even 1 year with you.

We will see you again in heaven.

Jeannie built an incredible family and is survived by: her husband, Don Hicks.

Her children: Lori Hicks, Michael and Ava Hicks and April and Douglas Furth.

Her grandchildren: Autumn Blayr Hawthorne and Arman Senson, Andrew and

Ashley Powell, Sydney Jeanne and William Michels, Collin Hicks, Gavyn

Hicks, Liberty Furth, Keagan Hicks, Gemma and Lincoln Gibbs

Her great grandchildren: Asa, Jonah and Lilly Powell and Charlotte Michels.  
Her siblings: Paul and Jean Hogan, Jim and Julie Hogan and MaryJane and David Dorr and many nieces and nephews that she adored.

Because she'd want you to know them too, two more life lessons for all, from Jeannie: imagine there is God in everyone. And no matter your beliefs, no matter your faith or no faith at all - before you go to sleep at night, think of 5 things you are grateful for today and you will be happier everyday.

Thank you mom - we already miss you.

# Tribute Wall



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Evergreen Memorial Gardens - July 03, 2025 at 06:09 PM

MD

“ I always thought of my sister, Jeanne as my best friend. We used to be so close either talking or seeing each other every day. Then life took us in different directions - Jeanne to Washington and me to Mission Viejo, CA.

When she moved to Mission Viejo, I squandered so much precious time that I could have spent with her. When she moved back to Washington, I really regretted not having spent more time with her. But I can say that whenever we got back together either in person or by phone, it was always like no time had passed and we could pick up right where we left off.

Also, whenever I look in the mirror or at photos of myself, I always see my sister.

Jeanne was beautiful inside and out. People would always ask which one of us was older (she was nine years older than me!!) I miss you, Jeanne, and I will always love you.



Mary Jane Dorr - March 30, 2025 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Family get together on our first visit to Washington state. It was a wonderful and happy time for all of us.

Jim Hogan - March 28, 2025 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ So sorry for your loss  
Your RI cousins  
Kathy and Richard Gemma

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**Richard Gemma** - March 28, 2025 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ My sister, Jeanne, was my "surrogate mom" when our mom wasn't around to guide me or help me growing up. She took the time to read to me when I was little. We played together, celebrated "Mass" together on the fireplace Hearth and she advised me during those difficult adolescent years. She made me an uncle and brother-in-law and always remained a devoted and cherished friend. She stood by through all the stupid things I did and would always have my back. I'll always remember that when I was little and we had gone to Disneyland together, without our family, I had my entire 15 ticket ride book pickpocketed. She and her friend were so kind to share their ride tickets with me and even use some of their money to buy more. I already miss her infectious laugh and her sage wisdom which was always available to me from my loving, gentle and caring "big" sister. I love you Jeanne and look to "celebrating Mass" again with you on our heavenly family's fireplace hearth and making an Irish toast together during our Italian banquet. Christ's peace be with you eternally.

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**Jim Hogan** - March 28, 2025 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ My name is Mike Gemma. I'm a cousin from RI. When I was in California Jeanne really made me feel like I was a part of the family on the west coast. If that makes sense. I was brand new to everyone out there but she made me feel welcome on the cousin level as opposed to the aunt or uncle level. She was 7 years older than me and made me feel at home. It was special. She was special. I haven't seen Jeanne in 40 years. I still feel close to her. She will always be alive in my memory. Jeanne had a gift of warmth. I will miss her.

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**Mike Gemma** - March 28, 2025 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Jeanne, was more like a sister than a sister in law. From the moment we met we could talk and laugh about everything. I will miss you forever you are a beautiful person. I love Jeanne. Till we meet again. Julie Hogan

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**Julie Hogan** - March 28, 2025 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ In memory of my loving and beautiful sister.

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**Jim and Julie Hogan** - March 28, 2025 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Evergreen Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Funeral Chapel and Crematory

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**A Memorial Tree was planted for Jeanne F. Hicks** - March 27, 2025 at 12:00 AM