Suzanne Warrena Richardson Laffoon

February 5, 1948 - December 18, 2019

Suzanne Warrena Richardson Laffoon, age 71 of Searcy and Little Rock, passed away peacefully Thursday, December 18, 2019 at the Advanced Care Hospital in Searcy. She was born February 5, 1948 in Lincoln Hospital in Detroit, Michigan to the late Warren and Mary Richardson. Suzanne grew up in Little Rock, but spent the majority of her life in Searcy. She was a member of Trinity Parish Church. She was preceded in death by her parents, daughter Amy Laffoon, sister Ellen Brown and brother Phillip Brown.

Survivors include her husband David Laffoon, son Jon Paul Laffoon, wife Meghan, and grandson Jon Miller Laffoon, brother Mike Richardson and many family members and friends.

Suzanne was very creative and demonstrated it through painting, poetry, and interior design. She understood that love was the most important thing of all. She was a Registered Interior Designer and served on the Arkansas State Board of Architects and Interior Designers. She was certified by the American Society of Interior Designers (ASID).

The family would like to thank Doctors Covey and Lim and nursing staff on 4 South-at Unity Hospital and Doctors Carlisle and Davis and nursing staff at Advanced Care Hospital and Arkansas Hospice. The care in both hospitals and hospice was outstanding.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Trinity Episcopal Church, 200 North Elm Street, Searcy, AR 72143.
A memorial service will be held Monday, December 23, 2019, at 2 pm at Trinity Parish Church (Episcopal), 200 N. Elm Street, Searcy, Arkansas. Visitation with the family will follow immediately after the service in the fellowship hall.
Arrangements by Powell Funeral Home of Searcy. www.powellfuneralhome.net

Previous Events

Memorial Service

DEC **23**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Trinity Parish Church (Episcopal)
200 North Elm Street
Searcy, AR 72143

Tribute Wall

AW

I'm so sorry for your loss. Please know that I will keep all of you in my thoughts and prayers.

Alyce Wagner - December 30, 2019 at 07:43 PM

JM

I'm so very sorry to hear of this. I have many fond memories of Suzanne and all the adventures we had in Searcy and the fun we had planning events for the hospital. My thoughts are with you David and your family..

Jim Martin - December 30, 2019 at 07:40 PM

DA

Thinking of Suzanne and family this day. You will be missed. I have many sweet memories of you. I always liked how you called me Sissy. As the thoughts come to mind. I smile knowing you were a friend. I especially loved your laugh and I hear it in my heart. David please know We feel your sorrow. Debbie and Bob Allison

Debbie Allison - December 23, 2019 at 12:16 PM

Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Suzanne Warrena Richardson Laffoon.

December 21, 2019 at 09:26 PM

Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Suzanne Warrena Richardson Laffoon.

December 21, 2019 at 05:11 PM

KR

There are no words that can ease the sorrow you must feel at the loss of Suzanne. My deepest sympathy for your loss, and prayers for David and the entire family.

Kay Rohde - December 20, 2019 at 04:09 PM

OC

Oaks Social Committee purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Suzanne Warrena Richardson Laffoon.

Oaks Social Committee - December 20, 2019 at 11:33 AM

BH

It was an honor to have served with Suzanne on the Arkansas State Board of Architects, Landscape Architects and Interior Designers, I could always count on Suzanne for good counsel and advice. My thoughts and prayers are with her family. Bill Hall

Bil Hall - December 20, 2019 at 10:28 AM

DL

Thanks Bill. She thought the world of you.

David Laffoon - December 20, 2019 at 01:19 PM

JM

Suzanne was always a bright light when she entered the room. My prayers and thoughts are with David, Jon Paul and the family at this most difficult time🙏🙏

Judy Maddox - December 20, 2019 at 06:31 AM

DL

Thanks so much for your kind words Judy.

David Laffoon - December 20, 2019 at 01:24 PM

JS

Even though I have known Suzanne over 50 years since she married my cousin, David, I have spent more time in the last few years with her after they bought a house in our neighborhood in Little Rock. We were with them weekly, either at dinner, traveling, playing Bunko or having lunch or a glass of wine. We became very good friends as well as relatives. My heart is broken and I will miss her tremendously!
Jawanda Pulliam Smith

Jawanda Smith - December 19, 2019 at 03:25 PM

NS

Dear David, I am so surprised and sorry for your loss.
She will be missed.

Nilsa Sanchez - December 19, 2019 at 03:51 PM

DL

She loved you deeply and was so happy you and LeMoyne (her big brother) shared our 50th wedding anniversary

David Laffoon - December 20, 2019 at 01:22 PM

SS

My thoughts and prayers are with all of you, I am so sorry , Susan Smith

Susan Smith - December 20, 2019 at 07:49 PM

SB

I was acquainted with Suzanne through her sister Ellen who was my special, adoring friend. We stayed connected through the years after the deaths of Ellen and her daughter, Amy. We developed a special bond and friendship through our precious stories we shared about our experiences with each of them and this helped us cope with our grieving. Amy and Suzanne connected with pennies during her lifetime. When Amy passed away, one of the stories she shared with me about Amy were the pennies Suzanne would find here and there in these most unlikely places. She felt Amy was visiting her and letting her know she was happy. This gave her peace and was such a comfort to her. She's now enjoying a glorious reunion in Heaven with Amy, Ellen and all the other loved ones that have gone before her! I will miss her deeply and value her friendship we had on this life's journey. My thoughts and prayers of comfort and peace will be with you and your family in the days ahead. Much love, Sharon Bartlett

Sharon Bartlett - December 21, 2019 at 09:52 AM