



# Jane Austin Howard Hipley

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Jane Austin Howard Hipley of Kihei, HI, was born in Pittsburgh, PA on October 29th, 1940. She passed peacefully last week of Alzheimer's Disease. She was the daughter of the late Charles Frederick Howard and Elizabeth Austin Howard. She was preceded in death by her sister Ann Howard Hackleman and her niece Catherine Hamer Mansour. She is survived by her cherished husband Robert Lee Hipley, her daughters Kimm (Patrick) Loughlin, Elizabeth (Michael) Nafus, Laurie (Zane Robertson) Hipley, and her nephew Scott Hamer. She was the beloved grandmother to Brian, Kevin, and Brendan Loughlin, Preston (Rosanna), Kendrick (Makenzi), Ciarra, and Samuel Nafus, Miles Robertson and Ani Hipley and 2 great-grandchildren Matthew and Christian Nafus.

Jane was a long-time resident of Bountiful, Utah and taught for 22 years at St. Olaf Elementary School there. She was the Diocesan Teacher of the Year 2001-2002. She especially enjoyed sharing her love of reading. She and Bob were very involved in Marriage Encounter. Jane was the founding president of the Ladies of Charity, St. Olaf's Chapter. Jane and Bob were made Associates of the Daughters of Charity and consider the sisters family. They have many longtime friends from their days at Ohio State, towns they have lived, and people with whom they joyously crossed paths. Jane and Bob visited sites on five continents. They loved road trips, cruises, and endured long plane rides for the places and people they found along the way.

A few family memories: She loved color. She found great joy in the little things, especially her kids and grandkids. She threw amazing birthday parties. Holidays were all about tradition and every year she cried the night before worried that she would make everyone happy-you did Mom! She was the most playful and yet overly serious person we knew. She had strong opinions but delivered them with love although Dad may have a few corrections to offer about that. She adored her Bobert and our parents set an amazing example of married love.

Her Mass of Christian Burial will be at St. Theresa Church, Kihei, Hawaii, on Monday, October 28, 2024, at 11am.

Interment will be at the National Cemetery of Maui.



## Obituary

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We are grateful for the amazing people at Islands Hospice, and Kathy Couch and the staff of Kihei Adult Daycare for their skilled care given with love.

In lieu of flowers, please buy a book for a child or library, enjoy the colors of nature, or greet someone with kindness and a smile.

Eternal Rest Grant Unto Her O Lord and

May Perpetual Life Shine Upon Her



## Events


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### Mass of Christian Burial

 **Monday**, October 28, 2024

 11:00 AM HST

 **St. Theresa Church**  
25 W Lipoa St, Kihei HI 96753





## Tribute Wall

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FL

**Farrell Loughlin** posted:

To all the Hipleys, What a wonderful tribute to your wife, mom and grandmother. It's been quite a few years since we've seen your mom, but she was always so sweet and her passion as an educator and the love of her family always shined through. May she rest in peace after battling this horrible disease. The Loughlins, Oakdale Ct.

October 28 at 12:37 AM

RS

**Ron And Sophi** shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Now that our friend Jane has joined Our Lord and is one of His stars above, we will be missing her dearly - especially her cheerful personality. Condolences to you, Robert, and to the family. Our love and prayers that happy memories of her help ease the sorrow. Ron and Sophi K.



October 28 at 12:08 AM

SL

**Sean Loughlin** posted:

Condolences and love to the extended Hipley family. While I did not see her often, Jane was always warm and welcoming. She will be missed and remembered. Sean Loughlin.

October 28 at 12:06 AM



## Media

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Jane



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Jane by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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