



Iva Zajicek

September 12, 1924 - October 26, 2019

Iva Stock Winsman Zajicek, 95, of Johnstown, passed away on Saturday, October 26, 2019 at the Nathan Littauer Hospital Nursing Home. She was born on September 12, 1924 and was the daughter of Roy and Mary (Countryman) Stock.

She was a 1941 graduate of Johnstown High School.

Iva married Franklin Winsman in 1946. He died in 1963. In 1964, she married Rudolph Zajicek. He died in 1995. Iva was a devoted wife who always said that she had been blessed with two wonderful husbands.

Iva was employed by the Leon Swears Glove Company from 1941 until its closing. She continued her employment at the former City National Bank, in Gloversville, until her retirement in 1987. At that time, she had been promoted to Assistant Branch Manager at the Fifth Avenue Office. She also held the distinction as being City National's first female officer as she served as a 2nd Vice-President. She and her family were very proud of her accomplishments.

She was a member of Soroptimists International for over forty years. This was an organization that she was proud to be involved with. Iva was also one who enjoyed bowling. Over the years, she had been a member of The Windjammers, The Early Risers and The Wells Swingers Bowling Leagues.

Iva was also a woman of great faith and was believed to be the oldest member of the North Bush Methodist Church.

She was a great cook and baker, as she was best known for her "butterhorn" cookies.

Her other interests included her trips to the casinos and going out to dinner with friends. She loved flowers. Her flower boxes were grand and a wonderful joy for her to tend and admire. Iva always said that she was a lucky lady and, we believe, so were those who

knew her. Iva's greatest attributes were her personality, generosity and love for her family.

Iva is survived by her daughter, Kathryn Zajicek and a special daughter, Barbara Anderson of Johnstown, two Granddaughters; Melissa Zajicek and Elizabeth Kiffney, two Great-grandsons; Matthew (MJ) Enchautegui and Brandon Lemanski of Johnstown. Other survivors include a sister; Loretta Ferrari, two sisters-in-law; Louise Stock and Patricia Bjelica of Johnstown, a special son Edward (Joann) Barnes of Ocala, Florida, the Sacerio Family of Johnstown, many nieces and nephews and a special friend; Mary Sanges and the caring staff and dear residents of the NLH Nursing Home in Gloversville.

She was predeceased by her parents, her husbands, her son; William Zajicek, her sister; Versella Barney, her brothers; Robert Stock and Donald Stock, and her best friends; Helen Smolik and Arlene Sitterly.

Iva will be remembered as a wonderful mother and grandmother. She was a nice lady, who loved purple, and had a beautiful smile.

Calling hours are from 12pm (Noon) to 2pm on Sunday, November 3rd at the A.G. Cole Funeral Home, Inc., 215 E. Main Street, Johnstown. A funeral service of remembrance will follow.

Burial will be at Maple Avenue Cemetery in Fultonville.

Memorial contributions may be made to the North Bush Methodist Church, 1009 North Bush Road, Johnstown or the Nathan Littauer Nursing Home Recreational Therapy Department, 44 Easterly Street, Gloversville or the charity of one's choice.

The family wishes to thank the caregivers and entire staff of the NLH Nursing Home for the love and compassion they have shown to Iva and the other residents. They were and are our extended family who will forever be in our hearts.

May Iva rest in peace.

Condolences to the family may be made online by visiting our website at www.agcolefuneralhome.com

Cemetery

Events

Maple Avenue Cemetery Maple Avenue Road Fultonville, NY, 12072	NOV 3	Calling Hours	12:00PM - 02:00PM
		A. G. Cole Funeral Home, Inc. 215 E. Main Street, Johnstown, NY, US, 12095-0050	
	NOV 3	Funeral service	02:00PM
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Comments



“ Iva was a dear Aunt but also a 2nd Mom to me!!!!!! I'm sorry that i was unable to make the CELEBRATION OF YOUR LIFE party after the viewing but all of us will miss your beautiful smile and your shoes that everyone have spoke about!!!! Love you Lady from your niece and "daughter" Patty Ann

pat guy - November 07, 2019 at 04:44 AM



“ Zig,
We are so sorry to hear of your loss. You and Barb are in our thoughts.
Robert and Sharon Humphrey

Sharon Humphrey - November 05, 2019 at 06:37 PM



“ We will always remember Iva in her short little heels and purple clothes. Her beautiful smile will be a lasting memory for us. I can't tell you the many, many years we spent looking for Iva's birthday cards that were purple including the envelope (including this year on 9/12)!!
RIP DEAR IVA!
Our Love and Prayers Go Out To You Ziggy and Barb,
Ed and Linda

Linda Troutman - November 03, 2019 at 06:48 PM



“ Ziggy & Barb.....So sad to hear of Iva's passing. What a grand lady she was. Meet her back in the '70's during our Windjammer days, then Early Risers bowling league. We were kind of related when I married Danny & was happy to call her "Aunt Iva". She will be sadly missed by all. Love, Kathe



Kathe Hawver - November 03, 2019 at 10:36 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Iva Zajicek.



November 02, 2019 at 02:35 PM



“ Dear Ziggy & Barb,
We are so very sorry to learn of this grand lady's passing. Our thoughts are with you during this difficult time.
Love,
Tammie & Jim



Tammie - November 01, 2019 at 11:37 AM



“ I hadn't seen Iva in many years but have fond memories of bowling with her in the Early Risers Bowling League. She was a lovely lady and always seemed happy so she was a great team member. She shared her butterhorn cookie recipe with me but mine never turned out as good as hers. My sincere condolences in her passing.

Sincerely,

Dorothy Holly

Dorothy Holly - November 01, 2019 at 10:43 AM



“ Dear Ziggy and Barb,
It is with great sadness we leave you this message for the passing of your Dear Mother, Iva.
Iva's presence lit up any room, her smile and personality always made you happy to see her. We have many fond memories of her throughout the years.
You were blessed with her for many years and we admire the everlasting, steadfast and loving care she was blessed with from you. Iva was a very special woman and will be with you forever.
Remember, a Mother is with us always, first in her lifetime, then forever in your memories.
You both have many friends holding you close in thought and prayer. God Bless you.
With deepest sympathy,
Kevin and Denise



Denise Spedding - October 30, 2019 at 11:10 AM



“ Ziggy and Barb
So sorry for your loss. What a wonderful lady!! My heart is with you both.
Barb

Barb Deluca - October 30, 2019 at 09:42 AM



“ Zig,
I was saddened to hear of your mom's passing. She was a beautiful woman and I always enjoyed seeing her when I would stop out to see you. I know you and Barb will miss her terribly but rest assured that she is with God and still watching over you.
Carm D'Amore

Carmelo D'Amore - October 29, 2019 at 05:23 PM



“ Melissa Zajicek lit a candle in memory of Iva Zajicek



Melissa Zajicek - October 28, 2019 at 10:48 PM



“ My condolences sent. Missy, may you and your family find peace at this difficult time.

Amy Weaver - October 29, 2019 at 01:13 AM



“ I still make Iva's butter horn cookies at Christmas. I worked with Iva at CNB 5th Ave. Her personality and kindness were amazing.
And her high heels :) We called her Betty Boop. A very special and dear woman, may she rest in peace Joanne Shy

Joanne Shy - October 28, 2019 at 09:55 PM



“ Dear Zig and Barb,
I was so sorry to hear of your mother's passing away. I didn't know her well, but she was always so very cheerful and friendly when we were in the same room. She lived a good long life, but it is never easy to lose one's mother. However, memories and people's stories will keep her with you always.

Love,
Tina xoxo

Tina Hintz - November 12, 2019 at 08:10 AM



“ My Grandmother was a wonderful beautiful woman inside and out Going to miss her so much



Beth kiffney - October 28, 2019 at 09:37 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Iva Zajicek.



October 28, 2019 at 09:13 PM



“ Bonnie L Marino lit a candle in memory of Iva Zajicek



bonnie l marino - October 28, 2019 at 07:51 PM



“ Sorry for your loss

bonnie l marino - October 28, 2019 at 07:52 PM



“ Ziggie and Barb so very sorry for the loss of your Mom . My thoughts and prayers are with you !!

Cheryl Edwards - October 28, 2019 at 06:41 PM



“ So sorry for your loss ! Prayers for your family!

Tink - October 28, 2019 at 06:53 PM



“ Zingy & Barb & Billy,
So sorry to hear of your moms passing. My prayers and thoughts are with you and family, if there's anything I can do, just let me know. Bless all of you.



Jo-An Havlicek - October 28, 2019 at 06:23 PM



“ My condolences to Iva's family. I remember her from City National Bank and how nice she was when I applied for my first loan to get a car when I was 17 years old. She was definitely a fantastic woman. May she Rest In Peace.



Robin Luck - October 28, 2019 at 06:07 PM



“ Kristy Brooks lit a candle in memory of Iva Zajicek



Kristy Brooks - October 28, 2019 at 05:54 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss Cathy and Barbara. Iva was a beautiful woman inside and out. Her smile could light up a room. Iva will be greatly missed by everyone at NLHNNH. I am honored to have known her and learn about her life and history. Please take comfort in knowing she is and always will be with you. Love, Beverly Hayes

Beverly Hayes - October 28, 2019 at 05:44 PM



“ Susan Claus lit a candle in memory of Iva Zajicek



Susan Claus - October 28, 2019 at 05:34 PM



“ Ziggy and Barb....
We so very sorry for your loss. Our prayers for you and your family during this very difficult time...
Marc and Eileen Wilson

Eileen Wilson - October 28, 2019 at 05:21 PM



“ Ziggy and Barb....sending our most sincere condolences for the loss of your Mother. Please know that you are in our hearts and prayers. Love, Butch and Val Scribner

Val Scribner - October 28, 2019 at 04:51 PM