



## Jeanne C. Raynor

October 10, 2019

Jeanne Carolyn Maxwell Raynor was born on July 21, 1934 to Howard and Ernestine Maxwell. She was raised in Sharon, Pennsylvania and attended Penn State University where she received her Bachelor of Science degree in Music Education. Her graduate work was done at Penn State, the University of Michigan, CW Post, Southampton College and Hofstra University. Jeanne's first teaching job brought her to Freeport, New York.

Music was, and has always been an important part of her life. While playing violin in the adult orchestra at the Freeport Junior-Senior High School, Jeanne met her husband Bob Raynor. They were married July 30th, 1960. They shared a passion for music. In the mid 1960's, Jeanne's music education path also led her to be offered a job to develop children's and youth choirs at the Freeport United Methodist Church. By 1979, when Jeanne and Bob finally officially joined the FUMC, she was now volunteering her time and talents teaching Confirmation classes, organizing children led church services, directing a new handbell choir, organizing instrumental groups as well as participating in many clubs of the church. She was also very active with the Freeport United Methodist Women and Jeanne had worked on many committees of the church. All of this work brought her much joy and continued to keep her own faith alive. She had many close friends which were a part of this church family.

Jeanne's involvement in the community did not stop there. She has given her time to the Freeport Historical Society, the Inter-Faith Centennial Music Festival of Freeport, and the Raynor Family Association.

Jeanne joined the glory of God on October 10, 2019.

Jeanne is predeceased by her husband Robert John Raynor. She is survived by her 4 daughters, Carole Raynor Neidig, Beverly Raynor, Susan Licata, and Judith Raynor Follo; her sons-in-law, Joseph Licata and Kevin Follo; her grandchildren, Cassandra Licata, Nicole Licata Freyer and Ryan Freyer, Joseph Licata, Liana Neidig, Connor Neidig, Kaylee Neidig, Michael Follo, Angelina Follo, Anthony and Lauren Licata, and Vincent Licata; Jeanne's sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Elizabeth and Bruce Ploth; and many beloved cousins, nieces, nephews, grand nieces and nephews.

Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to:

Freeport United Methodist Church Building Fund, 46 Pine Street, Freeport, NY 11520; or

Raynor Family Association Scholarship Fund, 10 Girard Place, Merrick, NY 11566.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Langley Park McCormick Family and 3 others have purchased flowers for the family of Jeanne Raynor. Send Flowers Guaranteed hand delivery by a local florist*

November 12, 2021 at 12:55 PM



“ *Cherilyn lit a candle Jeanne what wonderful memories we had when you came to visit with Beverly, especially during the weeks of VBS over the years, we got to know you in very special ways! We will miss you but looking forward to our reunion in heaven! Amen your friend Cherilyn*

**Cherilyn** - October 28, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *Gina stump purchased flowers Gina stump purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Jeanne Raynor. Send Flowers*

**Gina stump** - October 14, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *Kim Mills purchased flowers Kim Mills purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Jeanne Raynor. Send Flowers*

**Kim Mills** - October 14, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *Langley Park McCormick Family purchased flowers Langley Park McCormick Family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Jeanne Raynor. Send Flowers*

**Langley Park McCormick Family** - October 14, 2019 at 12:00 AM

MV

“ *Marguerite Vitalo lit a candle Oh Jeanne, I was so blessed to work with you at the Church and count you as a friend. You gave so much to so many, both within FUMC and to many others. Your generous spirit, sense of humor and kindness will never be forgotten. Thank you for all the help you gave me at FUMC and know I will keep you and Bob in my heart always. Love and condolences to your girls. With love, thanks and prayers...Marguerite*

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**Marguerite Vitalo** - October 14, 2019 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ *Bob Raynor posted a symbolic gesture Unfortunately, we lost a kinfolk in which there really isn't a replacement. My dealings with Jeanne go back at least 20 years or so. She along with a Delores Van Vorst connected the dots for me to descend from Edward. She was a beautiful person, one who will really be missed by me. I don't know how many times we bump heads over genealogy. i remember receiving an email listing my lineage from Jeanne; and I didn't respond. Next thing I knew she was telling me what she gave me - but I was just so elated that my puzzle was solved. It brings such a smile to me now and as well it did back then. In fact I still have the printed version of the email as well. That's how much it meant to me.... Anyway, we were Just two people who sometimes didn't see eye to eye; but actually did. Well now she can see the rest of the "flock" and hopefully still enlighten us with her presence. She will definitely be missed by me and the Raynor Family worldwide. Sorry to say I lost contact with Delores quite some ago as well. I did chat with her and her husband Bruce on and off; even over betting on Hockey, aka NY Rangers / Caroline Hurricanes. We sure had some laughs at 3am in the morning. She was the person who furnished me with the photos of William Henry Raynor & Mary Adeline Morrison my great - grandparents. As well as assisting Jeanne with my lineage - plus she gave other photos & material as well.*

*all I got to say is Thanks Jeanne & Delores you were a Godsend to me.*

*Bob from Guam*

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**Bob Raynor** - October 13, 2019 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ Loretta solano lit a candle Jeanne was one of my dearest friends. We shared many good times with many happy memories. We also loved and supported each other through the difficult times. She was always there for me through over 45 years of friendship. I will miss her. My thoughts and prayers are with Carole, Beverly, Susie and Judy and their families.  
Love Loretta Solano

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**Loretta solano** - October 13, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ The family of Jeanne C. Raynor uploaded a photo

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October 12, 2019 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ Brett Raynor posted a condolence Jeanne helped me connect my California branch of Raynors back to the original Raynors who settled on Long Island in the 1600's. She was just wonderful about it, and I could tell she loved connecting people and letting everyone enjoy their shared history. I served with her on the board of the Raynor Family Association for many years, and I was always amazed by her energy and memory. She will be sorely missed.  
Brett Raynor

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**Brett Raynor** - October 12, 2019 at 12:00 AM

WS

“ Wendy Segreto lit a candle Our condolences to the entire Raynor family. Jeanne was a special friend to us for many years and we will miss her very much.  
Love,  
Vinnie and Wendy Segreto

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**Wendy Segreto** - October 12, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *Tribute Store Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jeanne Raynor. Send Flowers*

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October 12, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *Nancy Ludlow posted a condolence The Raynor Family Association sends its deepest condolences to the family of Jeanne, who was 'life-blood' of our organization. Bless you all.*

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**Nancy Ludlow** - October 11, 2019 at 12:00 AM