



## Kathy Ann Nichols

May 15, 1949 - October 19, 2017

Kathy Ann Nichols, age 68, of Alta, Iowa died Thursday, October 19, 2017 at Methodist Manor Retirement Community in Storm Lake.

Memorial services will be held Thursday, October 26, 2017 at 10:30 a.m. at the Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake. Visitation will take place one hour prior to the service at the funeral home. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake is in charge of the arrangements.

Kathy Ann Forkenbrock was born May 15, 1949 in Sheldon, Iowa, the daughter of Fred and Betty (Van Rennes) Forkenbrock. While growing up, Kathy was a caretaker for her siblings.

She graduated from high school and continued her education at Iowa Lakes Community College in Estherville where she earned an associate's degree. Kathy was united in marriage to John Nichols in Storm Lake on September 1, 1972.

Kathy worked at Genesis Development and cleaned the library in Storm Lake for many years. Kathy enjoyed volunteering at Faith, Hope & Charity in Storm Lake where she loved reading to the kids and spending time with them. She will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved her.

Those left to cherish her memory include her husband, John Nichols of Storm Lake, Iowa; siblings: Rick (Marilyn) Forkenbrock of Cherokee, Iowa; Randy Forkenbrock of Sheldon, Iowa; Becky (James) Polmanteer of Laughlin, Nevada; Tom Forkenbrock of Chicago, Illinois; sister-in-law, Beth Forkenbrock of Mesa, Arizona; many nieces and nephews; extended family and friends.

Kathy was preceded in death by her parents; and brother, Scott Forkenbrock.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **26.** 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - Storm Lake  
1615 W Milwaukee Ave,  
Storm Lake, IA 50588  
(712) 732-1911  
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<https://www.fratzkejensen.com>

## Memorial Service

OCT **26.** 10:30 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Kathy Ann Nichols*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - October 25, 2017 at 02:28 PM



“ *Multicolor Pastel Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Kathy Ann Nichols.*



October 24, 2017 at 12:43 AM



“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Homes - October 23, 2017 at 12:33 PM

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“Faith Hope and Charity purchased the Healing Tears - Yellow and White for the family of Kathy Ann Nichols.



Faith Hope and Charity - October 23, 2017 at 09:23 AM

HH

“Heidi Howard lit a candle in memory of Kathy Ann Nichols



Heidi Howard - October 23, 2017 at 08:07 AM

JR

“What a sweet sweet woman! I will miss her contagious smile and positive attitude.



Joyce Rydstrom - October 20, 2017 at 08:32 PM

BP

“Kathy was my dear sister. She loved her nephews and nieces, and the wonderful kids she cared for. I will forever remember you Kathy, love Beck

Becky Forkenbrock Polmanteer - October 20, 2017 at 08:06 PM

JS

“ *Janet Schneider lit a candle in memory of  
Kathy Ann Nichols* ”



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**Janet Schneider** - October 20, 2017 at 04:00 PM