



## Joyce F. Gansebom

September 3, 1943 - April 1, 2020

NORFOLK -- Celebration of life for Joyce F. Gansebom, 76, of Norfolk will be held at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, August 1, 2020 at Grace Lutheran Church in Norfolk. Inurnment will be held at the Prospect View Cemetery, Pierce. Joyce died Wednesday, April 1, 2020 at the Faith Regional Hospital in Norfolk. Stonacek Funeral Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

Joyce Faye Gansebom was born on September 3, 1943 in Foster, NE to Elmer and Ethie (Brokaw) Synovec. She attended grade school in Pierce County and graduated from Pierce High School in 1961. Joyce grew up in Pierce County. She was married to James Sloan for 29 years and to Dwaine Gansebom for 11 years. Joyce was a member of Grace Lutheran Church in Norfolk, Norfolk V.F.W., and American Legion Auxiliary.

Joyce worked at Dale Electronics before becoming a real estate agent/broker. She worked in Pierce at the Legion Club and owned and operated the Short Stop Drive In. Joyce was instrumental in starting the Pierce Senior Center. Survivors include her son Jeff (Karen) Sloan of Omaha, son Jay Sloan of Norfolk, daughter-in-law Laura Sloan of Norfolk; grandchildren Brian (Sarah), Katie (Martin), Paula (Brandon), Bryan (Marcy), Daniel, Jeffrey, Jessica, Eric (Kyla), Amber (Sierra); 14 great grandchildren; siblings Shirley (Harold) Hansen of Plainview, Alvin Synovec of Kearney, Jerry (Verlene) Synovec of Randolph.

She was preceded in death by husbands James Sloan and Dwaine Gansebom, son Joe, parents, sister Donna Steuck.

Condolences may be expressed to the family on-line at [www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com](http://www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ Joyce F. Ganseborn

October 05, 2023 at 03:46 AM



“ Joyce was my first “real” boss or first boss to who I respected. She taught me the value of hard work in that little kitchen in The Shortstop. She was proud of what she served and I think all us girls who worked there were proud too. She had a zeal for life and seemed to be close with the local community. She worked super hard but all the while had fun. She taught me so much, how to make the perfect burger, cut up a chicken, and make the perfect ice cream cone. She treated her girls almost like her own. I miss her. I will pray for her to be in peace with her Lord. Carrie Fenton (Nitz)

Carrie Fenton (Nitz) - April 14, 2020 at 10:14 PM



“ We were so sad to hear of Joyce’s passing. She meant a lot to us . . . Knowing her and spending time with her. Keeping you all in our prayers. Roger and Pam Synovec

Pam Synovec - April 11, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Mom was a strong women and a pillar of strength for our family growing up! I wrote on Facebook that although it truly was a sad day but yet a joyous one on Wednesday, April 1st when Mom passed away. Officially, Mom will always be known as the fifth death in the state of Nebraska of the Covid-19 virus, but I'll always remember her as a great mother to us three boys. Many have written how they loved her and how she made them smile. I rejoice in knowing Mom knew her Savior Jesus Christ and that she is in heaven with Joe, Dad and Dwaine and her sister Donna. Mom had a big heart and will be missed. I love you Mom! Jeff Sloan. I'd love to hear from any of you at [jeffreysloan820@gmail.com](mailto:jeffreysloan820@gmail.com) or if you need to contact me at (402) 699-9480. Karen and I live in Omaha, but love to stay connected with family and friends.

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**JEFFREY SLOAN** - April 08, 2020 at 10:44 AM

KJ

Jeff, my daughter Carrie and I worked for your Mom for a short time at the Short Stop Drive Inn. Joyce was a very hard working, wonderful lady. She had a big heart. God bless your family at this time. Love Kay and Rich Jaeger

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**Kay Jaeger** - April 09, 2020 at 10:04 PM

BO

“ My sympathies and prayers to All the family. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Hugs to you all.

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**Barb Oppliger** - April 06, 2020 at 02:53 PM

JS

Thank you Barb, Jeff Sloan

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**JEFFREY SLOAN** - April 08, 2020 at 10:23 AM

TM

“ So SORRY For Your Loss 💔😞. You, All Have My Sincere Sympathy 🙏🙏🙏. You Are In My Thoughts and PRAYERS. SENDING You A Super Big HUG ❤️. Soooooooo SORRY 💔😞🙏🙏

Tami Moody - April 04, 2020 at 11:14 PM

JS

Thank you Tami, Jeff Sloan

JEFFREY SLOAN - April 08, 2020 at 10:23 AM

RW

“ With Deepest Sympathy to all of you. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Rita Wragge

Rita Wragge - April 04, 2020 at 03:52 PM

JS

Thank you Rita, Jeff Sloan & family

JEFFREY SLOAN - April 08, 2020 at 10:24 AM

KK

“ So sorry for your loss. Hugs and prayers for all of you!

Kim Korth - April 04, 2020 at 08:58 AM

JS

Thank you Kim, Jeff Sloan & family

JEFFREY SLOAN - April 08, 2020 at 10:25 AM

BS

“ *Brian Schlote lit a candle in memory of Joyce F. Ganseboom*



**Brian Schlote** - April 03, 2020 at 01:14 PM

JS

*Thank you Brian, Jeff Sloan & family*

**JEFFREY SLOAN** - April 08, 2020 at 10:25 AM

CB

“ *Thinking of all of you at this sad time. I have many fond memories of Joyce growing up as cousins.*

*With sympathy, Carolyn Synovec Bridge*

**Carolyn Synovec Bridge** - April 02, 2020 at 11:34 AM

MW

*so sorry for the loss of your loved one !!!!*

*susan wagner and family*

**michael wagner** - April 07, 2020 at 03:35 PM

JS

*Thank you Susan and family, Jeff Sloan & family*

**JEFFREY SLOAN** - April 08, 2020 at 10:26 AM

JS

*Thank you Carolyn, Jeff Sloan & family*

**JEFFREY SLOAN** - April 08, 2020 at 10:27 AM

SW

“ *Love and hugs to the family.*”



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**Sue Went** - April 02, 2020 at 12:19 AM

JS

*Thank you Sue, Jeff Sloan & family*

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**JEFFREY SLOAN** - April 08, 2020 at 10:26 AM