



## Margaret Janet Martel

October 21, 1937 - August 5, 2025

Margaret Janet Martel passed away on August 5, 2025 in Myrtle Beach, SC. Margaret was born October 21, 1937 in Baltimore, MD, a daughter of James and Ruth McGuire. She enjoyed dancing, bowling, bingo cards, fishing, golf and slot machines. Margaret also enjoyed watching her kids and grandchildren play sports over the years.

She is survived by her loving husband Francis Harold Martel and her children: Teresa Kay Smith (Ron), Daniel Alan Martel (Nikki) of Chesapeake, VA, Gregory Francis Martel (Melissa) of Myrtle Beach, SC, and Matthew Dennis Martel (Heather) of Delmar, Delaware. Margaret is also survived by 12 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren and a brother John Thomas McGuire (Linda) of Pasadena, MD.

She was predeceased by her parents, her sister Ruth Geraldine Porter and a brother James Leo McGuire. Please sign a guestbook at [www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com](http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com).

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Carolina Forest Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

JB

“ I know my dearest friend is at peace and resting in the arms of our Dear Lord. Jan and I are childhood friends.....my BFF....she was a wonderful, beautiful,funny and loving friend. I have so many treasured memories of our times together....i am smiling just thinking of her....my hope for Frank and their loving family is that the Dear Lord draws near and brings them Comfort. She will always be in my thoughts and prayers ❤️🙏❤️

janet bemkey - August 11, 2025 at 11:07 PM



“ My sincerest condolences to Mrs. Teresa and family. The memories I have are irreplaceable and I am extremely grateful for the years we had.

Debb Youngbar - August 11, 2025 at 08:41 PM

WB

“ My husband and I had the pleasure of living on the same street when our kids were little! So many awesome memories! My prayer is that her family and friends find some fun memories and hold them close in your heart and make they make you smile!! Rest well Janet, you have received your heavenly reward 🙏🌸

Wanda Bossalina - August 11, 2025 at 07:47 PM

MG

I can remember Janet as a very sweet, loving, caring, young lady she and her husband Frank were very good friends with a neighbor and close friend of mine Holden Hodges we were in each other's company quite frequently. May she rest in peace

Mary Garcia - August 14, 2025 at 08:45 AM

DG

“ *Our children grew up together. Theresa was an integral part of our daughter's formative years for which we will always be grateful. Our deepest sympathies to Frank and the family.*

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**Dee and Joe Gustafson** - August 11, 2025 at 07:31 PM

MA

“ *Janet was a fun person and we shares life when our kids were young. Our sympathy to Frank and her family*

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**Maureen Agro** - August 11, 2025 at 01:07 PM