



Donna Joan Rhoda

October 13, 1931 - August 19, 2022

ST. AUGUSTINE - DONNA JOAN RHODA

1931-2022

Former Hodgdon resident Donna Joan Rhoda, age 90, passed away peacefully on August 19th at her loving convalescent home in St. Augustine Florida.

Born October 13, 1931 to Earl Rhoda and Ellen Irvin Rhoda, Donna was always proud of her Aroostook County roots and Maine heritage. Donna's life path took her first to Orono where she was married for 20 years and raised her only child Kathy. During this time, Donna attended the University of Maine, achieving first her Bachelors' and then her Masters' degree in Elementary Education, a remarkable accomplishment.

Donna then became an elementary school teacher, specializing in remedial reading. Donna was known as the "shining star" for her skills and numerous student success stories, many of her students keeping in touch with her over the years. Donna's teaching career also took her to several schools in the southwestern USA; but, Maine always felt home to her.

A decade ago, Donna moved to California and then Florida to live close to Kathy and her husband Adam for her finishing years filled with many precious memories together made.

Donna was strong in her faith which kept her determination and perseverance high during the toughest of times. Donna's interests included reading, nature and 'going to Dollar Tree with Kathy'. She is survived by her Daughter, her

Son-In-Law and grandchildren: Daniel, John and Adam Jr. and their loving families. Donna always yearned to return 'home' to Maine which her family will now ensure occurs.

A memorial service will be held at 11am on Saturday, October 13, 2022 at St. Johns Family Funeral Home.

For those unable to attend, you may watch a live stream by clicking on this link (<https://iframe.dacast.com/live/2a7a09ae1c0559a83ef537e05e6a14a6/2a7d5f-98fd-a9e6-32a7-b774547cf42c>)

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT **15**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

ST JOHNS FAMILY FUNERAL HOME
385 State Rd 207
St. Augustine, FL 32084

Tribute Wall



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donna Joan Rhoda.* ”



October 10, 2022 at 11:16 PM