



## JoAnn Debrock

July 2, 1944 - May 25, 2026

JoAnn Debrock, 81, of Chaffee died Monday, May 25, 2026 at The Lutheran Home.

She was born July 2, 1944 in Cape Girardeau to John J. and Ellen T. Arnold Siebert.

She and Ivan Debrock were married August 13, 1966 at St. Ambrose Church in Chaffee.

JoAnn attended Valle Catholic High School in Ste. Genevieve for two years and graduated from Notre Dame High School in Cape Girardeau. She received both her undergraduate and masters in education degrees from Southeast Missouri State University.

She began her teaching career at Scott City Public Schools. She taught five years at Guardian Angel in Oran and 20 years at St. Vincent de Paul Grade School in Cape Girardeau.

She was a member of St. Mary's Cathedral.

JoAnn was an avid gardener and reader. She enjoyed doing crossword puzzles. She also loved cooking Sunday dinners for her grandchildren.

Survivors include two daughters, Kristine (Terry) Schreckenber of Chaffee and Amy Debrock of Gordonville; son, Lanson (fiance, Brigid Farnham) Debrock of Cape Girardeau; eight grandchildren, Trey and Blake Schreckenber, Evan, Emma and Ethan Schweinbold and Jackson, Caroline and Easton Debrock; eight siblings, John (Geraldyn) Siebert, Carol Stroup, Debbie Davie and Mark (Connie) Siebert all of Chaffee, Nancy (Jon) Siebert of Phoenix, Arizona, Becky Siebert of Panama City, Florida, Olivia (Jeff) Combest of Kirkwood, and Charles (Judy) Siebert of Oran.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Parish prayers will be at 4 pm on Wednesday, May 27, 2026 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home. Visitation will follow from 4:30 to 8:00 pm at the funeral home.

Funeral Mass will be at 10:00 am Thursday, May 28, 2026 at St. Mary Cathedral in Cape Girardeau with the Rev. Patrick Nwokoye officiating.

Burial will be at St. Ambrose Catholic Cemetery in Chaffee.

Memorial contributions may be given to St. Vincent de Paul Grade School.

Online condolences may be made at [www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com](http://www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com).

# Previous Events

## Parish Prayers

MAY 27. 4:00 PM (CT)

Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home  
1001 N. Mt. Auburn Rd.  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701  
(573) 334-1313  
info@fordandsonsfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com/>

## Visitation

MAY 27. 4:30 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home  
1001 N. Mt. Auburn Road  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

## Funeral Mass

MAY 28. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary Cathedral  
615 William St.  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63703

# Tribute Wall

CP

“ So sorry for your loss. I remember JoAnn from St Ambrose Grade School and throughout the years since. I saw her and Ivan at St. Marys Cathedral quite often. Thoughts and prayers in the coming days. Clairene Priest

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**Clairene Priest** - May 31 at 02:04 PM

SH

“ Condolences to the family. Mrs Debrock was my junior high English teacher. She pushed me and held me to a high standard every single day. I have so much respect for the work she did and the underlying care she had for us all. I'm so thankful for what she taught me, both in and outside of the curriculum.

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**Steven Hendricks** - May 31 at 12:19 PM

CB

“ Great memories of growing up together! My condolences to the families. Carolyn Glueck Banz

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**Carolyn Glueck Banz** - May 29 at 01:18 PM

AS

“ We will miss you mom. ❤️

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**Amy Schweinbold** - May 28 at 10:30 PM

MD

“ I will miss you Joann I enjoyed coming over and visiting her and Ivan when home on vacation. I also know she was a great teacher. Rest in peace you will missed, heaven has received a beautiful angel.

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**Michelle Dunn** - May 28 at 05:38 PM

BC

“ I had the honor and privilege of teaching alongside JoAnn for 20 years at St. Vincent de Paul. She was kind, dedicated, and wanted the students to know more when they left her class than when they started. She was fair, a valued member of the Jr. High team, and I feel a great sadness at her loss. I know her students will remember her fondly because they felt her innate love for them and of teaching. Personally, she was a true friend and a wonderful mentor. I could not have asked for more.

Becky Crow

Becky Crow - May 28 at 03:47 PM

PH

“ Bill and I send our sincere condolences to the family of dear JoAnn. We have many happy memories of the years spent as colleagues in education at ISC.

Pat Heckert - May 27 at 07:58 PM

JD

“ I am a Notre Dame classmate of Jo Ann and Ivan. I was sorry to hear of her passing. Sending love and prayers to all family 🙏

Janet Dame - May 27 at 05:45 PM

LP

“ So sorry for your loss, rest in peace you definitely deserve it after teaching so many students ❤️ may God comfort your family with all the wonderful memories ❤️



Laurie Powers - May 27 at 01:35 PM

LP

“ *She was a favorite of mine in junior high school at Scott City. She could be stern, but never mean. She was a lady who offered and expected respect and she got it. I loved her class and her laugh. She taught so many the love of reading. She, to me was a portrait of what a teacher should be. She balanced encouragement with expectations and accountability. She worked hard to teach everyone and instill the love of language in us. Many prayers to her family. She will always hold a special place in the hearts of her students.*

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**LaDonna Pratt** - May 27 at 12:45 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of JoAnn Debrock.*



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May 27 at 12:03 PM

MM

“ *I had Mrs. DeBrock in third grade at I-SC. I didn't like her at first, she was very stern (we all thought she was mean) but she became probably my all time favorite teacher. I have many good memories about Mrs. D, and that year with her opened pathways in my life I carry to this day. I'm 71 and can still see her in my mind. I*

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**Mary Miller** - May 27 at 10:40 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of JoAnn Debrock.



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May 27 at 08:47 AM



“ Joanne de brock was my reading teacher in seventh and eighth grade at scott city school , which was elmo scott city at the time in the early seventies. She was a wonderful teacher and I enjoyed her class very much. She gave me a love of reading and books. I am sorry to hear that. She has passed

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**Judith/Kelly Mayberry** - May 27 at 12:29 AM



“ Mrs. Debrock was my homeroom and English teacher in the early 2000s. She was genuinely the best teacher I've ever had. I'm so sorry to hear of her passing.

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**Leah Hughey** - May 26 at 10:37 PM



“ My deepest sympathy and prayers to the family. I cherish the good memories I had with her, my cousin being only a few weeks older than I. I remember the fun times with her at her parents' home. RIP, dear Jo Ann. 🙏

*Teresa Siebert Gomez of Antigua*

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**Theresa Gomez** - May 26 at 09:47 PM

DW

“ Debrock’s, Dunns, & Woolfs purchased the In Heaven’s Arms Bouquet for the family of JoAnn Debrock.



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**Debrock’s, Dunns, & Woolfs** - May 26 at 09:36 PM

RH

“ Prayers. Such a wonderful lady.

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**Rosalie Haney** - May 26 at 09:14 PM

FT

“ So sorry to hear this.



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**Frank Trankler** - May 26 at 08:11 PM

AG

“ I have many memories of JoAnn. One that stands out was her making her chicken and dumplings for family. She was a master of many things.  
she taught my granddaughter Christen at St. Vincent School. Her including me as family all the time. Seeing her and Ivan at grandparents day at SVS and ND. RIP JoAnn



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**Anita D Graviett** - May 26 at 05:55 PM