



## Janie McGehee Creecy

March 26, 2022

Mary Janie McGehee Creecy, 73, of Portsmouth, VA died peacefully on March 26, 2022. She is survived by her beloved husband and true soulmate Robert Pierce Creecy.

Janie was born in Keysville, VA, on the farm where she was raised and which she still owned and enjoyed visiting with Bob.

A retired social worker, Janie earned a bachelor's degree from Maryville College in TN, and a Master's degree in Social Work from Virginia Commonwealth University.

Janie and Bob have been long time supporters of land conservation. Contributions in Janie's memory may be made to The Nature Conservancy, 652 Peter Jefferson Parkway, Ste. 190, Charlottesville, VA 22911, or another environmental conservation organization.

# Tribute Wall

PB

“ We just love Bob and Janie so much! They were our frequent dinner companions, usually early on a Saturday evening. We rang in a few New Years together early, so everyone could get home safely. We have good and happy memories of Janie and will continue to be there for Bob. Rest in peace Janie and know that we love and miss you. We were lucky to call you our friend. Love, Paula and Rick

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**Paula Barnes** - April 11, 2022 at 02:35 PM

BT

“ Bob, read in the Times Dispatch about Mary Janie's death. I am so sorry. My late husband, Robert Tucker and I touched base with both of you when you were working on the home place in Keysville. He was, especially, fond of Mary Janie and loved being helpful. Thinking of you both,  
fondly,  
Bernardine

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**Bernardine Tucker** - April 11, 2022 at 10:59 AM

MA

“ It saddened me to learn of Mary Janie's death. I was a close friend in high school, and I live just up the road from your beautiful farm. Her parents were wonderful folks and she was, too. Please accept my heartfelt sympathy.

*Margaret Ann Elder*

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**Margaret An** - April 09, 2022 at 11:34 PM

DP

“ Dear Bob,

*I was so saddened to read of the terrible loss of your wife. I know you were very close and had such great common goals in your support of environmental organizations. The world has lost a great advocate for the earth. I was thinking about you the other day and wondering how your health was faring. I wanted to send you my condolences and this seems to be the modern way of doing so. I hope your sweet memories of Janie will give you comfort and solace in these mournful times.*

*Best Dana Parker (from NBG)*

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**Dana Parker** - April 09, 2022 at 09:35 AM

MA

“ *I'm so sorry to learn of our loss of Janie. She was a good friend and lamaze partner many years ago, and we somehow lost touch. I had just in the past couple of weeks searched for her but didn't know her married name. She deserved the best! Bob, please reach out to me when you have a minute. I'll share a memory or two that will make you smile.*

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**Mary Auer** - April 06, 2022 at 11:19 PM

LC

“ *Janie and I traveled to Peru together in 2006 and remained friends. We enjoyed seeing each other at the A.R.E and enjoyed our Oceanfront lunches. Janie never forgot my birthday and was so sad to hear she had gotten sick. She will be missed dearly and will miss her emails. Love, Lydia Cohen*



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**Lydia Cohen** - April 05, 2022 at 04:15 PM