



Joyce Ann Brown

April 7, 1936 - December 13, 2022

In Loving Memory of Joyce Ann Brown

Born: April 7, 1936 - Merced, California

Passed: December 13, 2022 - Benicia, CA, at the age of 86

Forever in Our Hearts

A Life of Grace and Generosity

It has been three years since Joyce Brown left us, yet her presence continues to shape our lives in quiet, powerful ways. This tribute is not a farewell, but a celebration of a life deeply lived and lovingly remembered.

Born as Joyce Ann Parks in Merced, California to Hurshell Parks and Julia Parks (Johnson), she grew up in San Ramon, CA as the middle child between her brother Bob and sister Jackie. In high school, she was a proud majorette at San Ramon Valley High School, where she met Tim Brown—a popular football player and her future husband. Together they built a life, raising two daughters and nurturing a legacy that continues to grow.

Joyce was known for her fun-loving spirit, her warmth, and her unwavering devotion to family. Throughout her career, she was a dedicated and dependable employee whose kindness and reliability touched everyone around her. Whether in the workplace or among loved ones, she led with joy, compassion, and genuine friendship -leaving behind a legacy of laughter and love.

Family & Legacy

Joyce is survived by:

Daughters: Debbie Brown, Vicki Plaisted (Martin Plaisted)

Sister: Jackie Toton

Grandchildren: Jessica Roster (Dan Ricard), Michelle Chinaea (Dylan Chinaea), Michael Davos, Sean Plaisted (Silvia Adamo), Katarina Davos

Great-grandchildren: Nora Adamo Plaisted, Macie Chinaea, Mia Ricard, Makenna Chinaea, and Blake Chinaea

Nephews and Nieces: Michael Parks (Melissa Parks), Dwayne Moorhead (Vickie Moorhead), Julianna Cole

She was preceded in death by: parents, Hurshell Parks and Julia Johnson (Parks), brother, Bob Parks, and nephew, Thomas Parks

Share Your Memories

We invite you to share your stories, photos, and messages in honor of Joyce. Whether it's a moment of laughter, a lesson learned, or a quiet memory, your reflections help keep her spirit alive.

Final Thoughts

Joyce's memory lives on in every act of kindness, every shared story, and every life she touched. Her legacy is not just in what she did, but in who she was—and who we continue to be because of her.

Tribute Wall

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“ *I still remember your sunny smile and floppy hat when we were at the water aerobics at the pool. You were fun to be with and we made great memories. I will miss you and Willie.*

~A neighbor

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“ *I was her neighbor and we would talk when she was out on her porch. Very nice woman.*

~Tish

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