Jean Andrea Edwards's Obituary on The Virginian-Pilot

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- "Andrea was a woman of incredible strength and faith. The..."
- "My prayers and condolences to the family."
- "Dear Nicole and Family, I won't be able to make it due..."
- "What a wonderful, cheerful, upbeat lady! She is my..."

Jean Andrea Edwards

Virginia Beach - Jean Andrea Edwards (71), of Virginia Beach, VA went home to be with the Lord on August 23, 2014. She joins her father, Joseph Maggiore and mother, Jean Maggiore. Andrea leaves behind a loving family to cherish her memory husband William J. Edwards, son William J. Edwards, Jr. and his wife Becky, daughter Nicole Newsome and her husband Steve, grandchildren Vance and Kinzey, her brother Joseph Maggiore and his wife Barbara, and her sister Jewel Tharp and her husband Dave.

Andrea graduated from Norview High School in 1960. She worked at a number of companies through the years to help support the family. However, her top priorities were to be a great wife, mother and grandmother.

Andrea always put others first. She loved her family dearly and had a special love for her grandchildren. She was the most loving and selfless person we have ever known.

The memorial service will be at Haygood United Methodist Church in Virginia Beach on Wednesday, August 27th at 1 PM, followed immediately by a reception at the church where the family will receive friends. Interment will be private. In lieu of flowers, please donate to the Sentara Hospice House, c/o the Sentara Foundation Hampton Roads, 6015 Poplar Hall Drive, Suite 308, Norfolk, VA 23502.

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