



## Joie Jan Holt

February 19, 1963 - December 24, 2025

Joie Jan Holt, age 62, of Toledo, Ohio, passed away on Wednesday, December 24, 2025.

Joie Jan was born in Toledo, Ohio, to Julia and Don Lou Holt, Sr., on February 19, 1963. She attended school at Mt. Vernon Elementary and St. Jude, St. Ursula Academy, and then transferred to Rogers High School, where she graduated.

She graduated and attended the University of Cincinnati, where she studied Business, and Wayland Baptist University, where she earned a degree in Business Administration. After she left Cincinnati, she held several titles in her career, including starting her own business, Keep It Simple, LLC, where IT companies and clients would commission her for her excellent skill set, knowledge, and services.

In 2013, she moved to San Antonio, where she touched the hearts of many as a Client Advocate, Clinic Manager, and, finally, the Data Analyst over her 12 years at BEAT AIDS. She considered the BEAT AIDS Organization as her second family and often fondly referred to her home as a “castle”. She was a devoted Christian, loving mother, and a wonderful friend to everyone who knew her.

Joie was preceded in death by her father, Don Lou Holt, Sr.; her brother, Don Lou Holt, Jr.; her cousin, Jason Huntley, Sr.; her cousin, Silas Rowser; and the father of her child, Robert Parker.

Joie is survived by her son Deon Parker, mother Julia Holt, niece Courtney Holt-Riley, uncle and aunt James and Margaret Huntley, uncle Sidney Rowser, uncle William Rowser, aunt Alberta Rowser, and grandnephew. Christopher Riley.

The family of Joie wishes to extend sincere thanks to her care teams at the University of Toledo Medical Center and Hospice of Northwest Ohio, United Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Robert G. Bass and wife, Rev. Anita Bass, and Rev. Barbie Harrison.

# Cemetery Details

## Historic Woodlawn Cemetery

1502 West Central Avenue  
Toledo, OH 43606

# Previous Events

## Wake Service

JAN 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

United Missionary Baptist Church  
2705 Monroe Street  
Toledo, OH 43606

## Funeral Service

JAN 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

ST

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We share your sorrow today. Praying that you find comfort in God's  
promise:  
Psalm 34:18: "The Lord is near to the brokenhearted and saves  
those who are crushed in spirit". And He give you strength to  
endure.  
Kim Connor, Sonya Taylor, Roxanne Perry, Tricia Tucker & Jennifer  
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**Sonya Taylor** - January 02 at 11:03 AM

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**Sonya Taylor** - January 02 at 10:50 AM



“ *I love you Sister.*

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**Dawn Kynard** - January 02 at 06:26 AM

MH

“ *I was the babysitter for both her and her brother.. I'm at a loss for  
words.*

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**Marsha Hill** - January 02 at 03:08 AM

MA

“So do not fear, for I am with you;  
do not be dismayed, for I am your God.  
I will strengthen you and help you;  
I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.”  
Isaiah 41:10 (NIV)



*May you feel God's nearness in every quiet moment, His strength when the days feel heavy, and His peace as Joie's love continues to surround you.*

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**Melinda Aldridge** - January 01 at 10:17 PM

DH

“ My Condolences to Holt Family  
Dorothy Davis-Hill



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**DOROTHY G DAVIS HILL** - January 01 at 08:05 PM

LL

“ Sending condolences, May God bless and embrace the family doing this time

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**LuVerta Latson** - January 01 at 04:49 PM

GJ

“ May your heart find comfort knowing that your love one is at home with the Lord Love Gwendolyn E.March Jones & Family

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**Gwendolyn E.March Jones** - December 31, 2025 at 11:05 PM

SI

“ *Sponseller Group, INC. purchased the Joyful Memory for the family of Joie Jan Holt.*



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**Sponseller Group, INC.** - December 31, 2025 at 08:56 AM

ED

“ *Our deepest sympathy goes out to Julia, Deon and the entire family of Joie Jan Holt. We pray that God will continue to comfort and strengthen you as you go through this difficult time.*  
*Eddie & Barbara Stodghill*

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**Eddie** - December 31, 2025 at 06:01 AM

BH

*It has been difficult wrapping my mind around the fact that you will no longer be here to share those happy years that we shared. Niecey, you were a jewel and those who knew you share the same sentiments. I'm grateful that you were solid in your faith and walk with the Lord and I'll never forget those times when reminiscing was so gratifying for us. My family, my Church family, and friends who knew you will sorely miss you. We know that you are in the hands of the Lord and we will continue to pray for consolation for Deon, your mom Julia, and the rest of our love ones who will never forget you. Rest my dear Joie, as you are safe in the arms of the Lord.*

*Your Aunt who loved you so much,  
Bishop Marjorie Holt*

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**Bishop Marjorie Holt** - January 01 at 11:35 AM

BG

*Joie or JoJo as I used to call her was a very good friend of mine She was one of a kind and I will miss her RIP* ❤️🙏🙏

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**Bobby Gordon** - January 02 at 04:54 PM