

# Jane Wong-Liu

*August 17, 1959 ~ February 19, 2023*

Jane Wong-Liu passed away at her home, surrounded by family, on February 19, 2023.

Born on August 17, 1959 to Kin Hei and Ah Sim Wong in Hong Kong, she immigrated with her parents and older brother, Roland, to Nassau, Bahamas in 1963. In 1972, the family, which now included younger brother Wilson, moved to Midvale, Utah after her father was sponsored to work in a relative's restaurant.

Jane graduated summa cum laude from the University of Utah with degrees in English and French teaching and studied abroad in Angers, France. For eight years she taught at Cyprus High School and was honored with the Teacher of the Year award in 1990. She took great pride in her students and followed their achievements post-graduation. Even after leaving teaching to take care of her growing family, she continued to dedicate her life to education and was an active member in her children's classrooms, Parent Teacher Associations, school book fairs, and beyond. Through these engagements, she also became part of "the lunch bunch," a group of friends who met for monthly lunches for over 20 years.

In 1988, Jane married Vernon Liu. Together they have three children: Jonathan, Jessica, and Julianne. She provided unconditional love and support for her children's growth and careers, always encouraging them to pursue their passions. Jane was also a strong support for her parents, as they adjusted to life in America and later as they aged and required more care. Jane enjoyed sewing, shopping, listening to music, and French patisserie.

Jane is preceded in death by her parents. She is survived by husband Vernon, brothers Roland and Wilson Wong, and children Jonathan, Jessica, and Julianne Liu.

Services will be held on Saturday, February 25, 2023 at 10:30 a.m. at Larkin Mortuary Riverton (3688 W 12600 S). Family and friends may gather for viewing and visitation at 9:30 a.m., prior to the service. Interment will be at Sunset Gardens Sandy (1950 East Dimple Dell Road (10600 South)) following the service. Face masks are encouraged.