A photo album of Janet Akyüz Mattei's years with the AAVSO

(Flower images by Janet Akyüz Mattei)

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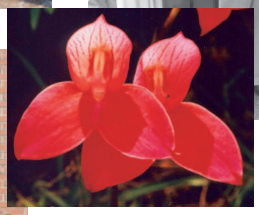

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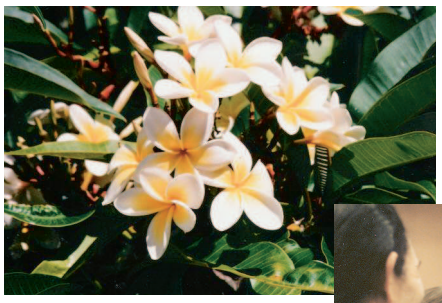

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CAPE POINT
34° 21' 24" SOUTH LATITUDE
18° 29' 51" EAST LONGITUDE
SOUTH AFRICA

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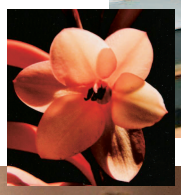

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Key to the AAVSO photographs

Plate 1: Clockwise from top left: JAM 1974; with Margaret W. Mayall, MWM's retirement celebration, Williamstown, Massachusetts, October 1974; Houston, Texas, May 1980; Washington, D.C., May 1977; AAVSO headquarters staff, Concord Avenue, Cambridge, Massachusetts, December 1981; at AAVSO headquarters, Concord Avenue, 1977.

Plate 2. Clockwise from top left: at AAVSO Headquarters, Concord Avenue, directing the move of office materials to the new headquarters, January 1986; with the AAVSO Council and guest speaker Riccardo Giacconi at the dedication of the new AAVSO headquarters building, Birch Street, Cambridge, August 1986; signing the purchase agreement for the new headquarters building with AAVSO Treasurer Theodore H. N. Wales and Secretary Clinton B. Ford, AAVSO headquarters, Concord Avenue, 1985; with Margaret W. Mayall and Dorrit Hoffleit at a memorial service for Clinton B. Ford, February 1993; with AAVSO staff at headquarters, 1995; AAVSO headquarters staff, 1995.

Plate 3. From the top, down: Washington, D.C., May 1977; with Winston and Carmen Wilkerson, 1997; with amateur astronomers, Ames, Iowa, May 1984; a surprise birthday party for Treasurer Ted Wales, with the AAVSO staff at the Birch Street headquarters, October 1993; with recipients of the first AAVSO Observer and Director's Awards, Houston, Texas, May 1994; celebrating JD 2450000 with AAVSO staff and friends at the Birch Street headquarters, October 9, 1995.

Plate 4. From the top, down: with Jan Hers in Cape Town, South Africa, December 2002; with Matti Hoffman and Bram Van Zyl at the 60" telescope, Bloemfontein, South Africa, December 2002; at the First High-Energy Astrophysics Workshop for Amateur Astronomers, Huntsville, Alabama, April 2000; with AAVSO members/observers at the Meridian Circle, Kuffner Observatory, Vienna, Austria, December 1988; at the Milwaukee Astronomical Society's Zemlock Observatory, Madison, Wisconsin, May 2001.

Plate 5. From the top, down: with participants in the Towards Other Planetary Systems (TOPS) workshop, Hawaii, c. summer 2002; with TOPS participants, Mauna Kea, Hawaii, July 2002; student workshop, 1990s; participants of the Second Hands-On Astrophysics (HOA) Workshop, AAVSO headquarters, November 1995; HOA teacher workshop, Sebring, Florida, August 2001; star party, Hawaii, July 2002.

Plate 6. From top left, down: at Meudon, France, with astronomers Marie-Odile Mennessier, Annie Baglin, Marie-Jo Goupil; with AAVSO members/observers in Vienna, Austria, December 1988; at the TOPS Workshop, Hawaii, 1995; photographing flowers, 2000s; presenting the AAVSO William Tyler Olcott Award for Distinguished Service to Dorrit Hoffleit, October 26, 2002, Somerville, Massachusetts; Janet with her husband, Mike Mattei.