



Judith M. Stacer

June 28, 1943 - August 29, 2020

Judith Marie Stacer, 77 of Harbor Beach, passed away Saturday, August 29, 2020, at home surrounded by family and under hospice care.

Judy was born on June 28, 1943, in Harbor Beach to the late Robert and Mary (Artman) Wipping. She married Calvin Stacer on May 2, 1964, at Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church in Ruth.

Judy graduated from Sts. Peter & Paul High School in 1961. She was a member of St. Anthony's Catholic Church, where she served on the Altar Society.

Judy loved spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren, caring for her vegetable and flower gardens, and her chickens and purple martins. She loved to read, made beautiful quilts, and enjoyed spending time with her neighborhood friends by celebrating monthly birthday lunches. Judy and Calvin spent over 10 years square dancing with friends, and she was famous at family dinners for making knadel, a German bread and potato dumpling dish. Judy was not only a farmer's wife, she was also a farmer. She loved the land and ran the farm herself with her sons' help for 20 years.

Judy is survived by her husband of 56 years, Calvin, of Harbor Beach; her daughter, Michele (Cate) Stacer-Bransfield, of St. Petersburg, FL; daughters-in-law, Keri Stacer and Michele Stacer, both of Ruth; and her son, Scott Stacer, of Ruth; her grandchildren, Lauren and Bentley Stacer; siblings Mike (Joan) Wipping of Auburn; Sally (Ray) O'Henley of Ruth; Jean Zurek and Madilyn Stacer, both of Harbor Beach; and several nieces and nephews.

Judy was preceded in death by her infant daughter, Mary Louise, and sons, Paul and Thomas, and siblings Dennis Stacer, Thelma (Ray) Browksi, Phyllis (Richard) Ross, and Melvin Zurek.

Funeral Mass for Judy Stacer will be Thursday, September 3, 2020, at 1 p.m. at St. Anthony's Catholic Church, of the Holy Name of Mary Parish, with Fr. George Amos officiating. Visitation for Judy will be at the church, beginning at noon until the time of service. Cremation has taken place at Sunset Valley Crematory of Bay City. Burial will follow in the church cemetery. Face masks are required per state law, social distancing restrictions apply, and attendees are limited to 50 people.

Care has been entrusted to Ramsey Funeral Home in Harbor Beach.

Memorials may be made to the family discretionary fund, and memories can be shared at www.ramseyfh.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Anthony's Church Cemetery

Previous Events

Gathering of Friends

SEP 3. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

St Anthony's Catholic Church of Helena
8233 Helena Rd
Harbor Beach, MI 48441

Service

SEP 3. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Judith M. Stacer*

October 04, 2023 at 01:24 PM



“ *Pink & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Judith M. Stacer.*



September 02, 2020 at 03:04 PM



“ *As a classmate of Judy through most of grade school and all of high school, I am very sorry to hear of her passing. My deepest condolences to Calvin and the family. Judy was one of the brightest of our class and she was always willing to help others and to share a smile. I always regretted that she turned me down for a date in our senior year since she was already dating Calvin. She undoubtedly made the right decision! I know how much she suffered during her life and have always been impressed by her courage and faith. Now God has relieved her of her pain and suffering as he did for my wife, and sad as I am for Calvin and the family I am happy for her since I am so sure she has earned the reward of "a good and faithful servant." God has taken her home to eternal bliss.*

Tom Obee - September 02, 2020 at 12:36 PM

DR

“ We have many good memories of Judy. She was very proud of her husband, children and grand children. She enjoyed working on their farm and working in her flower gardens. She made the best chocolate chip cookies ! Always enjoyed spending time with her and Calvin. Our deepest sympathy. Doug and Debbie Roggenbuck

Doug & Debbie Roggenbuck - September 01, 2020 at 08:07 PM



“ Fields of Europe for Spring was purchased for the family of Judith M. Stacer.



September 01, 2020 at 05:39 PM



“ White Sympathy Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Judith M. Stacer.



September 01, 2020 at 01:29 PM

PB

“ Judy and Calvin have been wonderful friends through the years. We saw Judy laugh and we saw her cry. May she now find JOY in the arms of the Lord. Love to the whole family. Ron and Pauline

Pauline L Booms - September 01, 2020 at 08:52 AM

SG

“ Judy was the strongest, courageous, persevering and hard working woman I’ve had the pleasure of knowing. Small but mighty! A personal hero who has taught me it is possible to live above the challenging circumstances of life. One day at a time...with some added “dirt therapy” and animals. She will be greatly missed. And never forgotten. Love and prayers for Calvin and his family.
Suzanne Gascho

Suzanne Gascho - September 01, 2020 at 01:24 AM



“ Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Judith M. Stacer.



August 31, 2020 at 09:26 PM

DR

“ Judy was a kind and lovely soul who will be greatly missed. She fiercely loved her family and was so proud of them. It was a pleasure to know this strong wonderful woman.



Dave and Gail Roggenbuck - August 31, 2020 at 08:14 PM



“ Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Judith M. Stacer.



August 31, 2020 at 06:28 PM

LM

“ *Lori Murawske lit a candle in memory of
Judith M. Stacer* ”



Lori Murawske - August 31, 2020 at 04:17 PM