



Nancy G. O'Lena

June 25, 1940 - July 11, 2023

Age 83, of Reddick, IL passed away Tuesday, July 11, 2023 at Lightways Hospice Home in Joliet, IL. Born June 25, 1940 in Blue Island, IL to the late Conrad Adam and Hazel Fredericka (nee Ludwig) Roesner. Nancy was a proud homemaker whom loved to spend time with her family, and also enjoyed bird watching, cheering on the Chicago Cubs and playing cards with her friends. Nancy felt blessed to be able to enjoy the lake life, always able to watch the birds sing and fish in her favorite fishing holes. Surviving are two daughters, Sandra Barnes of Reddick and Susan Sonne of Orland Park, IL; one son, Scott Barnes of Reddick; five grandchildren, Jacob (Nicole) Sonne, Zach (Lindzay) Sonne, Rhiannon (Greg) Fandl, Austin (Melissa) Tripam, and Conor Middleton; nine great-grandchildren, Noah (Emily), Nathan, Nevin, Meghan, Haley (fiancé, Jacob), Junie, Nolia, Jacob, and Lakelyn; two great-great-grandchildren, Cecila and Lincoln; sister, Gayle Irzyk of Orland Park; and numerous nieces, nephews, and their families. Preceding her in death were her husband, Marvin O'Lena, whom she married January 6, 1968; three sisters, Caryle, Doris, and Joan; and two brothers, Robert and Kenneth Roesner. Cremation rites will be accorded. Private inurnment will take place at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood, IL at a later date. R.W. Patterson Funeral Home & Crematory, Braidwood is entrusted with the arrangements. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in her name may be directed to Lightways Hospice Home. For more information and to visit her online guestbook, please log on to www.rwpattersonfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 W. Hoff Rd.
Elwood, IL 60421

Tribute Wall

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“ Nancy was one of my best friends growing up and made me feel part of the family! I miss them all and will see them all again some day!



Bill Stevens - July 24, 2023 at 09:39 PM