

Judy Ann (Rector) Erick was born on August 12, 1943, in Grass Valley, California to Thomas and Matilda (Van Beek) Rector. She graduated from Washington High School in Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Judy was united in marriage to Paul Erick on October 22, 1961, in Sioux Falls. The next year they were blessed with a son, Jeffrey. A few years later the family moved to St. Louis Park, MN. When they bought a house in Golden Valley, MN she went to work part-time at Bertelson Bros. to help support the family. In 2000, the couple moved to Alexandria where they enjoyed their cabin on Mill Lake. After Paul's passing on September 30, 2016, Judy became very active in the New Horizon's organization. She served on the board and enjoyed all the actives they did together.

Judy was very dedicated to her family. She helped care for her parents, husband's parents, uncle Sammy, and other family members when they needed it. Judy was the family historian and enjoyed collecting family heirlooms. She enjoyed going antique shopping where she liked collecting dolls and china.

Judy died on Monday, April 6, 2020, at her home at the age of 76 under the care of Hospice of Douglas County. She is survived by her son, Jeff; grandchildren, Calder, Corina, and Dustin; great-grandchildren, Stella, Aria, and Gavin; brother, Jim (his wife, Karen) Richter; sister, Jane Rector; and many nieces and nephews. Judy is preceded in death by her parents, Thomas and Matilda; and husband, Paul.

Memorials are preferred to Hospice of Douglas County.

In Loving Memory



Judy A. Erick
1943 ~ 2020

The Day God Called You Home

*God looked around His garden
and found an empty space.*

*Then He looked down upon the earth
and saw your tired face.*

*He put his arms around you,
lifted you to rest.*

*God's garden must be beautiful,
for He only takes the best.*

*He knew that you were suffering.
He knew you were in pain.*

*He saw the road was getting rough,
and the hills were hard to climb.*

*So He closed your weary eyes,
and whispered, "Peace be thine".*

*It broke our hearts to lose you,
but you did not go alone.*

*For part of us went with you,
the day God called you home.*

In Memory of

Judy A. Erick

August 12, 1943



April 6, 2020

Memorial Service

Anderson Funeral Home

Alexandria, Minnesota

Tuesday, April 14, 2020

11:00 AM

Celebrant

Christianna Jahn

Pianist

Kim Byrne

Soloist

Alan Shaw

Inurnment

Evergreen Cemetery

Alexandria, Minnesota