

Genevieve “Jenny” Ann Muzik, the daughter of Chester and Ernestine (Triplett) Johnson, was born on November 10, 1943, in Lake City, Iowa. She lived on a farm with her family near Rock City, IA until 1949, when they moved to a farm near Westbrook, MN. In 1953, Jenny and her family moved to Stewartville, MN, where she graduated high school in 1961. Jenny moved to Alexandria in 1962 and lived with her sister’s family. While working as an assistant at the Alexandria Clinic she met Larry Muzik. After dating for a while, they were united in marriage on January 9, 1965 and later divorced. Three children were born to this union: Wendy, Michelle, and Trevor. Jenny stayed at home to help with the farm, Tiling and Black Top businesses until she started as a bookkeeper for Anderson Florist. Jenny left there to work at the Douglas County Jail as a Correctional Officer then promoted to Jail Programmer. She was instrumental in organizing 17 Jail Rec Retreats at the Douglas County Jail for the inmates. Jenny also had the opportunity to work side by side with her daughter and son-in-law, Wendy and Brad Kuhnau for many years at the jail before retiring in 2009.

Jenny was an outgoing, extremely organized, colorful woman who had a great sense of humor and quick wit. She loved to play golf, watch the birds in her bird feeder and bath, and loved to read. She enjoyed visiting with friends at the Pub where she lived for coffee and conversation. Jenny was known as Mom, Grandma Cop, Nana, and GG to her loving family. Jenny loved every moment she was able to spend with each of them. She will be forever loved by those who knew her.

Jenny died on Wednesday, December 9, 2020 at Knute Nelson in Alexandria at the age of 77 years old. She is survived by her children, Michelle Magnuson (Jason) and Trevor Muzik; six grandchildren, Jake Didier (Jennifer), Joey Didier (Amy), Michael (Amanda) Dickey, Ashher Norman, Mercedes (Darin) Walters, and Elizabeth Karg; 4 great grandchildren, Aubree, Harley, Zeke, and J.J.; sister, Mary Jane (Dennis) Peterson; brother, Roger (Leslie) Johnson; son-in-law, Brad Kuhnau; and nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents and her daughter Wendy Jo (Muzik) Kuhnau.

In Lieu of flowers, memorials are preferred to St. Jude’s Hospital or the American Cancer Society.

In Loving Memory



Jenny Ann Muzik 1943 - 2020

Life is like a Round of Golf

Life is like a round of golf
With many a turn and twist.
But the game is much too sweet and short
To curse the shots you’ve missed.

Sometimes you’ll hit it straight and far
Sometimes the putts roll true.
But each round has it’s errant shots
And troubles to play through.

So always swing with courage
No matter what the lie.
And never let the hazards
Destroy the joy inside.

And keep a song within your heart
Give thanks that you can play.
For the round is much too short and sweet
To let it slip away.

— Criswell Freeman

In Memory of

Jenny Ann Muzik

November 10, 1943 † December 9, 2020

Memorial Service

Anderson Funeral Home Chapel
Alexandria, Minnesota

Wednesday, December 16, 2020
1:00 PM

Officiant

Father Steve Binsfeld

Musician

Kim Byrne

Special Songs

“Be Not Afraid”
“One Eagles Wings”
“Open Your Eyes”

Honorary Pall Bearers

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| Jake Didier | Joey Didier |
| Michael Dickey | Ashher Norman |
| Mercedes Walters | Elizabeth Karg |
| And all of Jenny’s Great Grandchildren | |

Interment

St. Mary’s Columbarium
Alexandria, Minnesota