

Remembering the Life....

Susan Schanus was born on March 2, 1945, in Shakopee, MN, to Jerome John and Margaret (Scheffler) Stans. She graduated from Hopkins High School. After marrying the love of her life, Gerald Edmond Schanus, on May 6, 1962. Susan was a homemaker, providing for her family.

Susan found solace and community at Our Lady of The Lake Catholic Church in Battle Lake, where she was an active member. Her joy for life was contagious, whether she was quilting, fishing, hunting, camping, snowmobiling, or trying her luck at gambling. She had a keen eye for treasures, often found at auctions and garage sales, and cherished the time she spent babysitting for her family.

Susan Marion (Stans) Schanus, 79, of Fergus Falls, Minnesota, formerly, Battle Lake, died on Friday, July 26, 2024, at Pioneer Care in Fergus Falls.

Susan's kind and gentle spirit touched the lives of all who knew her. She will be deeply missed by her brothers, David Stans, Edward (Lois) Stans, Tom Stans, Charles (Rita) Stans and Gary Stans; sisters, Margaret Hesse, Ruth Stans and Rosie Forsman; sibling-in-laws, Lyn Stans, Diane Stans and Ron Gangl ; two grandchildren, Gerald Schanus Jr and Miranda McCaleb; six great grandchildren; cousin Kathleen (Darcey) Beach, and all who had the privilege of calling her a friend. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Gerald in 2002; daughter Roxann in 2013; siblings, Kathleen (Fred) Mills, Victor (Jeri Jean) Stans, Jerome, James, Theresa and Nicholas, sibling-in-laws, Sandy Stans, Leo Hesse and David Forsman.

Blessed be the Memory of Susan Schanus

Celebrating
the **Life** of

Susan Schanus



In Loving Memory Of
Susan Marion Schanus

March 2, 1945 - July 26, 2024

Funeral Service

Tuesday, August 6, 2024 at 11:00 a.m.
Our Lady of The Lake Catholic Church
Battle Lake, Minnesota

Officiating

Father George Michael V.C.

Music

Kathy Pauls, organist
Kacie Lindquist, soloist

"Lead Me Home"

"Go Rest High On That Mountain"

Ashley Bassett

"The Lord's Prayers"

Congregational Hymns

"How Great Thou Art"

Interment

Our Lady of The Lake Catholic Cemetery
Battle Lake, Minnesota

Appreciation

Susan's family is grateful for your attendance at this service.
Your many expressions of kindness and love are deeply
appreciated. Please join family and friends for lunch and
fellowship following the service.

Arrangements by

Glende-Nilson Funeral Home ~ Battle Lake
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*God saw that she was getting tired,
and a cure was not to be.
So He put His arms around her and
whispered "Come with Me."
With teary eyes we watched her suffer,
and saw her fade away,
Although we loved her dearly,
we could not make her stay.
A golden heart has stopped beating,
hard working hands to rest.
God broke our hearts to prove to us
He only takes the best.*