

CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

Jan Traphagan

DECEMBER 15, 1957 – SEPTEMBER 2, 2023



SERVICES AT:

SUMMIT CEMETERY – MORRIS, MINNESOTA
SATURDAY – SEPTEMBER 9, 2023 – 2:00 P.M.

OFFICIATING CLERGY:

REVEREND MATTHEW ORENDORFF

MUSIC SELECTION:

“ON EAGLE’S WINGS”

PALLBEARERS:

MATT HOPE-TRAPHAGAN, MARK TRAPHAGAN
MIKE SPIESS, ADAM SPIESS

INTERMENT:

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Our Father who art in Heaven
Hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done,
On earth as it is in HEAVEN.
Give us this day our daily bread. And
forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive
those who trespass against us
And lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the *Glory Forever.*
- Matthew 6:9-13



Jan Maureen Traphagan was born on December 15, 1957, to Albert and Gladys (Koons) Traphagan in Little Falls, Minnesota. She was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith at Zion Lutheran Church and raised in Little Falls, Minnesota. Jan received her education and graduated from Little Falls High School in 1976. Upon graduation, she moved to Parkland, Washington, where she attended Pacific Lutheran University; attaining a Bachelors of Arts Degree. While in Parkland, she worked in her brother Ricky's used book store, The Book Worm. In 1987, she moved back to Minnesota and worked at Sears, Fleet Farm, and then T.J.Maxx in St Cloud as the Operations Manager. In October of 2022, Jan was diagnosed with cancer, two weeks before her retirement.

A few of Jan's interests were reading, sewing, spending time outdoors, studying her family's genealogy, and most importantly spending time with her sisters and family.

Jan died on Saturday, September 2, 2023, at her residence in Cokato, Minnesota. She was 65 years old.

Jan is survived by her four sisters: Fran Traphagan of Minneapolis, Lori Traphagan of Shakopee, Brenda Traphagan of Puyallup, Washington, and Kari (Michael) Spiess of Chanhassen; two brothers: Gary (Patti) Traphagan of Eau Claire, Wisconsin and Mark Traphagan of Menomonie, Wisconsin; 11 nieces and nephews; and numerous great nieces and great nephews. She is preceded in death by her parents Albert and Gladys; and brothers: Richard Traphagan and Michael Traphagan.

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