



MaryAnn Rotzien

April 8, 1946 - August 31, 2020

MaryAnn Rotzien, age 74, of Dassel, died, Monday, August 31, 2020, at her home. An interment will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 9, 2020, at the Ellsworth Cemetery, rural Darwin, Minnesota with the Rev. Paul Settergren officiating at the interment.

The Johnson Funeral Home in Dassel is in charge of the interment arrangements.

For those who wish to attend the interment a mask and social distancing are required.

MaryAnn (Smith) Rotzien, the daughter of Harold and Ethel (Tuman) Smith was born on April 8, 1946, in Houston, Minnesota. She grew up in the Ellsworth area and was baptized and later confirmed at St. Peters Evangelical Lutheran Church in rural Darwin. In 1964, MaryAnn graduated from the Litchfield High School.

On June 6, 1964, MaryAnn was united in marriage to Gary Rotzien at the St. Peters Evangelical Lutheran Church in rural Darwin. Together they made their home in rural Dassel on the shore of Little Wolfe Lake. MaryAnn did bookwork for several businesses, sold Avon and Tupperware. She was a talented wedding cake baker, having made several wedding cakes for brides over the

years.

MaryAnn loved her family deeply, she was proud of her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren. She loved playing games, solving puzzles, especially Sudoku puzzles. She was a talented cook and baker, she loved to have all her family over for holidays and special events. She will be missed by her family and her many friends.

She is survived by her husband, Gary Rotzien of Dassel, Tammy (Joseph) Jorgensen of Dassel, David Rotzien of Darwin, and Chuck (Stacy) Rotzien of Darwin, eleven grandchildren, and 10 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her son, Kenneth Rotzien, her parents, Harold and Ethel Smith and her biological mother, Mildred Gehring.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

SEP 9. 2:00 PM (CT)

Ellsworth Community Cemetery
Darwin, MN

Tribute Wall

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“ Pat & Michelle Egan family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of MaryAnn Rotzien.



Pat & Michelle Egan family - September 08, 2020 at 12:05 PM

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“ Sorry to hear this news! Spent many fun times playing music together and worked many years with Gary at Door Engineering. May God comfort your entire family!

Harold Wheeler - September 05, 2020 at 11:16 AM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of MaryAnn Rotzien.



September 03, 2020 at 09:20 PM

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“ After thinking I was the only girl in the family I was so excited to find out that I had a sister. I still remember the excitement when I first got to meet her and her family. It made me so happy when she said she found where she fit in... and she did. There are so many things that I'll remember about her: how I could talk to her about anything, how much she resembled mom with her mannerisms and her voice, her smile, laugh, and her spirit. But most of all how much she loved her family and how proud she was of them. She was a wonderful sister and she will be missed so very much. Love always, "lil sis" Lori



Lori - September 03, 2020 at 06:59 PM

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“ Tammy and family! With deepest sympathy!! May your memories give you comfort during this difficult time!! Cindy and Todd Karg



cindy karg - September 03, 2020 at 06:24 PM

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Our condolences to the Rotzein Family, Mary Ann use to baby sit us every now and then. Sheldon Wallmow and Dean Wallmow

Sheldon L. Wallmow - September 04, 2020 at 04:30 PM