



Claudia Ruth Olson

September 11, 1948 - November 29, 2011

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SOUTH MILWAUKEE – Claudia Ruth Olson, 63, late of South Milwaukee, formerly of Racine, passed away unexpectedly on Tuesday, November 29, 2011 at Froedtert Memorial Hospital, Milwaukee. She was born in Racine on September 11, 1948, the daughter of the late Alfred ‘Tubby’ and Ruth (nee: Dovorany) Olson. Claudia was a graduate of Washington Park High School “Class of 1966” and then furthered her education by attending U.W. Eau Claire. She was the former owner of Sea Ventures in Downtown Racine, then moving on to become the director of Ocean Travel and Cruises and other agencies in the area and most recently with AKS Travel in Milwaukee.

Claudia is survived by her sister and brother-in-law, Kathy (James) Driskill of Dallas, TX; nieces and nephews, Cary Lynn Adams, Garrett (Valerie) Adams, Jack Adams, and Henry Adams all of Dallas, Wendy (Mark) Wojchik, Benjamin Wojchik, Christopher Wojchik, Megan Wojchik, and Drew Wojchik all of Minneapolis, Cindy (Barry) Fruth, Benjamin, and Katie Fruth all of Franksville.

She is further survived by cousins, Suzanne Cooper, Karen (Richard) Hammann, Jeanne Peterson, Donna Jean Peterson and Carl (Eleanor) Erickson, in addition to other relatives and many friends.

Claudia was preceded in death by her parents and two brothers, Michael A. Olson on November 21, 2007 and Timothy John Olson in 1958.

A memorial service honoring and celebrating Claudia’s life will be held at a

later date.

For those wishing to remember Claudia in a special way, may direct memorials to Froedtert Memorial Hospital, 9200 W. Wisconsin Ave., Milwaukee, WI 53226.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to the Froedtert Medical Team in SICU Palliative Care and The Music Thanatology for their fine care in medicine and thoughtful gift of music when it was most appreciated.