



Cynthia Hazel Nelson

November 4, 1952 - February 17, 2018

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RACINE - Cynthia Hazel Nelson, 65, passed away on Saturday, February 17, 2018 at Froedert Memorial Hospital. She was a lifelong resident of Racine, born on November 4, 1952, the daughter of the late Eugene and Hazel (nee: Holmdahl) Nelson. Cynthia was a 1971 graduate of Case High School. She had been a member of St. Lucy Catholic Church for many years. Cynthia was a dispatcher for the Racine Police Dept. and had also worked for Floortech Interiors. She loved crafting and enjoyed crocheting and knitting.

Cynthia was known as Abba by her grandchildren, family and friends; a name given to her by grandson, Andrew. He would later become her advocate and special caregiver. He was there to run errands, assist with her personal care and attend to whatever she needed.

Cynthia is survived by her children, Brian (Allyson) Povkovich of Justin, TX and Katrina (Erick) Peasley of Racine; eight grandchildren, Tyler, Andrew, Lily, Nate, Abby-Ann, Abby-Doozer, Emily and Tommy; three brothers, Terry (Linda) Nelson, Dick (Marie) Nelson and Todd (Barb) Nelson. She is further survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her fiancé Anthony Ruffalo in November of 2001.

A celebration of life service will be held at Great Lakes Church, 9605 Spring Street, Mt. Pleasant, WI 53406 on Friday, February 23, 2018 at 5:30 p.m.

There will be a visitation at the church from 4 p.m. until time of service.

Memorials in Cynthia's memory to Horizon Home Care, Hospice Alliance or the American Cancer Society has been suggested.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **23**. 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM (CT)

Great Lakes Church
9605 Spring Street
Mt Pleasant, WI 53406

Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall

DA

“ Just saw this on line today(3-1) and am truly saddened.
Condolences to Katy, Brian and rest of the family. GREAT memories
of Kentucky St. Dave Jaeck

DaveJaeck - March 01, 2018 at 10:50 AM

RP

“ So sorry for your loss.

Joseph and Rosemary Povkovich

Rosemary Povkovich - February 24, 2018 at 06:46 PM

MN

“ To a dear sister and sister-in-law. You shall be remembered and
much missed.
You will always in our thoughts and prayers.
May you rest in the arms of the angels, forever with God.
We love you,
Dick and Marie

Marie Truty & Richard Nelson - February 23, 2018 at 05:44 PM

TD

“ Tami Doyle lit a candle in memory of Cynthia
Hazel Nelson



Tami Doyle - February 23, 2018 at 10:09 AM



“ Michael T. Nelson lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Hazel Nelson



Michael T. Nelson - February 22, 2018 at 09:57 AM



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Nancy Peasley - February 22, 2018 at 05:18 AM



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Nancy Peasley - February 22, 2018 at 05:17 AM



“ Gil lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Hazel Nelson



Gil - February 21, 2018 at 09:11 PM

SF

“ So grateful we had such a good visit with her:)

Stephanie Fender - February 21, 2018 at 08:48 PM

DA

“ David lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Hazel Nelson



David - February 21, 2018 at 08:17 PM

DA

“ I just remember her coming to the salon and talking and being silly with her. She reminds me of someone who...you wouldn't forget. She was like someone you would read about in Reader's Digest Unforgettable People....she always had something to say and a smile to share and a hug to give. That person was Cyndi to me.

David - February 21, 2018 at 08:16 PM