



Judith Ann McDermott

April 27, 1935 - November 7, 2022

Judith Ann McDermott (nee Youngstedt), age 87 of Crown Point, IN, was called home to be with the Lord on Monday, November 7, 2022. She was born on April 27, 1935.

Judy was a 1948 graduate of Boardman High School in Boardman, OH and married Loyal McDermott. Loyal and Judy moved to Crown Point, IN in 1961. She was employed by the Crown Point Schools from 1974 -1997 and worked at South Ward, Timothy Ball and Eisenhower Elementary Schools. Judy was a member of the Hillside Baptist Church where she enjoyed playing the piano and being a part of the music ministry. She later joined Bethel Church where she enjoyed being involved in the various kinship bible study groups. Judy is survived by her husband of 66 years, Loyal; son, Brian (Laura) McDermott of Greensboro, NC; daughter, Laurie (Mike) Heiligstedt of TN; 5 grandchildren: Megan McDermott of Ft. Mills, SC, Madison (Kody) Shaw of Mayo, FL, Melanie McDermott (fiancé Zachary Rodriguez) of Corunna, MI, Heather (August) Veron of Corydon, IN, and Stephanie Heiligstedt (fiancé Jeremy Busler) of Crown Point, IN; and 5 great-grandchildren: Adrienne McDermott, Wade Shaw, Worth Shaw, Claire Veron and Russell Vernon. A memorial visitation will be held on Saturday, November 12, 2022, from 9:00 a.m. until time of memorial service at 11:00 a.m. at Burns Funeral Home & Crematory, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, IN. Private inurnment at Historic Maplewood, Crown Point, IN. Pastor Gary Butler and Pastor Steve DeWitt officiating. www.burnsfuneral.com

Cemetery Details

Maplewood Historic Cemetery

347 Maple Ln
Crown Point, IN 46307

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

NOV 12. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ When I was in elementary school, I was labeled a troublemaker. I was always making the class laugh during lessons, always finding new and clever ways to get up to hijinks and aggravate the teachers etc. And most of the time, these sort of things would net me a trip to the principal's office, where I would end up spending the rest of my day in solitude, mostly because the teachers didn't want me around anymore. And even though I was a good kid at heart, the majority of the faculty would make no efforts to disguise how "bad" they thought I was.

But not Mrs. McDermott.

She was different.

Whenever I was sent to the office, she would always be there behind her desk, smiling pleasantly. She would ask what I did "this time," and then I would smile back and tell her, and the two of us would share a laugh. She would encourage me, in her own kindly way, to behave and stop getting into trouble. And even though I seldomly would, I would never misbehave when I was around her, because unlike most of the teachers there, I could tell that she actually cared about me as a human being, and saw beyond the hijinks--and it's something that has remained with me ever since, and will for the rest of my life.

She was a good woman, and a great human being.

May she rest in peace.

Anonymous - December 22, 2022 at 05:24 PM

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“ We'll miss Judy's friendly waves and smiles. We were so lucky to have her for a neighbor.

Tony & Angela Sulewski - November 12, 2022 at 09:00 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Judith Ann McDermott.



November 09, 2022 at 11:51 AM

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“ The Slosson family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Judith Ann McDermott.



The Slosson family - November 09, 2022 at 08:43 AM