



## Patricia J. Howey

August 30, 1945 - June 11, 2022

Patricia Jean Howey (Franklin), age 76 of Hobart, passed away peacefully June 11, 2022 after a long battle with cancer. She was born in Gary, Indiana to William and Helen Franklin Sr. on August 30, 1945. She graduated from Emerson High School in 1963. She was preceded in death by her husband- Larry Howey; parents- William and Helen Franklin; brother- Gary Franklin.

Patricia is survived by her daughter- Patty (Mark) Qualizza of Valparaiso, IN; grandsons- Kyle (Amanda) Qualizza of Saint Johns, Florida, Austin Qualizza of Valparaiso, IN; brother- Bill (Jan) Franklin of Otis, IN and two great grandchildren.

Patricia retired after working her entire lifetime in customer service for the WiseWay Food Chain. She made many lifelong loyal friends there. She loved watching reruns of classic television shows while eating popsicles. She nicknamed herself "Popsicle Patty" and liked to share them with the neighborhood children.

Burns Funeral Home & Crematory, Crown Point, entrusted with arrangements.  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ *I'm so sorry to hear of her passing . I tried many times to contact her. My name was Pat Halaschak and we spent a lot of growing up years with Grandma Koldus and Aunt Irene and Uncle Albert. . I hope you're resting in peace.Glad to know I finally found you.*

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**Pat Binkley nee Halaschak** - February 01, 2025 at 08:35 PM

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“ *We are so sad to hear of Pat's passing! We lived next door to Pat and Larry for probably 15 years. She was like a grandmother to our children. We considered her part of our family and loved her dearly. We hadn't heard from her in a few weeks and tried to call her and her phone had been disconnected. So then thinking that was odd we decided to Google her name. Love you Grandma Pat! The Hoholek Family*

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**Amanda Hoholek** - July 15, 2022 at 07:04 PM