



## Judith Ann Opolka

September 4, 1951 - January 10, 2019

NORWAY- Judith A. Opolka age 67 of Norway, died Thursday, January 10, 2019 at Dickinson Co. Memorial Hospital in Iron Mountain, MI.

She was born on September 4, 1951 in Norway, the daughter of the late Joseph and Geraldine (Cronick) Zychowski.

Judy graduated from Norway High School in 1969.

She married John Opolka on November 11, 1972.

Judy worked for Norway Gravure, Superior Equipment, Dairy Queen, Walmart and lastly she started her favorite job as a full-time babysitter for her grandchildren.

She was a member of St. Barbara's Church, loved planting her flowers and was an avid Green Bay Packers fan, enjoyed her monthly breakfast get together with her friends and especially spending time with her grandchildren.

Judy is survived by her husband John; daughter Julie (Mike) Falk of Norway; grandchildren Michael, Anna and Joey Falk; sisters Ada Schwamlien of Vulcan, Rita (Edward) Rozine of Vulcan, Kay (Terry) Backlund of Vulcan and Denice (Richard) Westcott of Vulcan; brother-in-law Jack Palmcook of

Norway; many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her sister Diane Palmcook and brother-in-law Robert Schwamlien, Sr.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, January 15 from 10-11 a.m. at St. Mary's Church in Norway.

A Memorial Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, January 15 at 11 a.m. at St. Mary's Church with Fr. Timothy Ekaitis officiating.

Interment will be held in the spring at the Norway Township Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Norway Township Cemetery

Norway Township, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **15**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary's Church  
401 Main Street  
Norway, MI 49870

## Memorial Mass

JAN **15**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Mary's Church  
401 Main Street  
Norway, MI 49870

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Julie, Mike, John, and family  
So sorry to hear of Judy's passing. God bless you all and you will be  
in our prayers. She is in good hands with the Lord now.  
Ken and Bonnie LeGrave*

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**Bonnie LeGrave** - January 13, 2019 at 11:52 AM

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“ *In the Love that surrounds you,  
May you find Strength...  
In the Memories you Cherish,  
May you find Peace.*

*The Parish Family of St. Mary's*



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**St Mary's Parish Family** - January 13, 2019 at 02:43 AM

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“ *Julie Mike and family. So sorry for your loss. Hold on to the  
memories Thoughts and prayers for peace. Lisa*

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**lisa wangerin** - January 12, 2019 at 09:22 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for  
the family of Judith Ann Opolka.*



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January 11, 2019 at 02:12 PM