



Paulette Kay Abshire

October 8, 1946 - November 20, 2024

Paulette Kay Abshire, 78, of Beulah, passed away suddenly on November 20, 2024. She was born in Frankfort on October 8, 1946, to the late Paul and Esther (Link) Edinger. Paulette graduated from Benzie Central High School and met the love of her life Andrew Abshire in 1963. They were married at the Honor Congregational Church on June 26, 1965. She lived in the Beulah area all her life. She worked at Mitchell Bentley and was a cook at several area restaurants. Later in life, she began spending winters in Biloxi, Mississippi. Paulette enjoyed trying to win her fortune at the casino, but her real fortune came from spending time with her “little angels,” her grandchildren. She loved to take pictures of her family but hated having her own photo taken. She loved Christmas time, especially knowing it meant more time with family. God became a huge presence in her life these last few years as she had a lot of peace. She enjoyed sending inspiration and prayers to her family and friends. Spending time with family was the most important thing in her life. Paulette is survived by her beloved husband Andrew “Andy” Abshire Jr., daughters Kaylene (Don) Booher of Northport and Pamela (Brian) Witkop of Beulah; grandchildren: Jake, Zachary, and Sarah Belle Booher, and Trevor, Evan, Adam, and Ryan Witkop; great-grandchildren Athena, Saphira, and Emmaline Booher; special sister Jeannie Edinger; brothers in law Bill Abshire and Daryl Ulberg; sisters in law Ruth (Mike) Mitchell and Peggy Abshire; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, in-laws Andrew and Virginia Abshire; brothers Paul Jr., Otto, Tom, Donnie, Gordie,

Gary, and Wink Edinger; sister Georgie Ulberg; sisters-in-law Mary Abshire and Pat Sterzik; and special sister Joyce Duford. Cremation has taken place and Paulette will be laid to rest at Cleon Township Cemetery. Arrangements have been entrusted to Kalkaska Funeral Home and Cremation Services.

Tribute Wall

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“ *I remember Aunt Paulette and Andy living on Goose road and stopping by when I was a kid to say hello. She was always very nice to us.*

Matt Edinger - December 08, 2024 at 08:57 AM