

Rosemary J. Welinski

January 10, 1927 - July 29, 2021

Rosemary J. Welinski, 94 year old resident of Little Falls, MN, formerly of Swanville, MN, passed away Thursday, July 29, 2021, at Highland Senior Living in Little Falls. A Mass of Christian Burial will take place at 11:00 A.M. on Monday, August 9, 2021 at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Swanville, MN with Father Ron Dockendorf officiating. Burial will take place in the St. John's Parish Cemetery in Swanville, MN. A visitation will be held from 4-7 P.M. on Sunday, August 8, 2021 and from 9:30-11:00 A.M. on Monday, August 9, 2021 at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Swanville, MN. Caring for Rosemary and her family is the Shelley Funeral Chapel of Swanville, MN.

Rosemary was born on January 10, 1927 in Lastrup, MN to the late Stephen and Anna (Virnig) Gross. She grew up in Lastrup, MN where she attended grade school and later attended Little Falls High School where she graduated from. Rosemary was united in marriage to Harry Welinski on August 23, 1952 at St. John Nepomuk Catholic Church in Lastrup, MN. The couple made their home in Swanville where Rosemary served as the secretary for Swanville Public Schools for many years. She loved taking trips to area casinos, playing cards with friends and family and attending her children and grandchildren's sporting events. Rosemary also kept herself busy setting puzzles and working crossword puzzles. She was an active member of the Swanville American Legion Auxiliary, Christian Mothers and St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Swanville, MN. Rosemary was deeply loved and will be dearly missed.

Rosemary is survived by children, Jean (Rick) Bohlman of Richmond, MN, Joan (John) Johnson of St. Cloud, MN, Ruth (Mike) Dolan of Alexandria, MN, Doug (Susan) Welinski of Burtrum, MN, Jerry (Cindy) Welinski of Clear Lake, MN, Matt (Gwen) Welinski of Little Falls, MN and Mark Welinski of Bemidji, MN; brother-in-law, Bernard "Spud" Welinski of Northfield, MN; sister-in-law, Marre Welinski of Brooklyn Center, MN; grandchildren, Bryan, Becky, Anne, AJ, Adam, Lucas, Samantha, Hunter, Ben, Hannah, Nick, Grace, Marre, Lindy, and Joey and 8 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Harry Welinski; parents, Stephen and Anna Gross; brothers, Roman, Lloyd, Clifford and Donald Gross and sisters, Irene Sapletal and Viola Meyer.

Cemetery Details

St. John the Baptist Cemetery - Swanville, MN

Swanville, MN

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 8. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

St. John's Catholic Church - Swanville
12 First Street
Swanville, MN

Visitation

AUG 9. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. John's Catholic Church - Swanville
12 First Street
Swanville, MN

Funeral Service

AUG 9. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. John's Catholic Church - Swanville
12 First Street
Swanville, MN

Tribute Wall



“ *Lemieur Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Rosemary J. Welinski*



Lemieur Funeral Homes - August 08, 2021 at 10:09 AM



“ *Rosemary J. Welinski*

January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *Peggy Virnig Mnich lit a candle in memory of Rosemary J. Welinski*



Peggy Virnig Mnich - August 29, 2022 at 02:33 PM



“ *I am so sorry to learn of my cousin Rosemary's passing. I found out while working on my Virnig-Wyrwicki family tree. I enjoyed browsing through all the pictures posted here. It sounds like Rosemary had a good full life! I would love to hear from one of you, please. I can be reached at mnich5@aol.com*

Peggy Virnig Mnich - August 29, 2022 at 02:33 PM

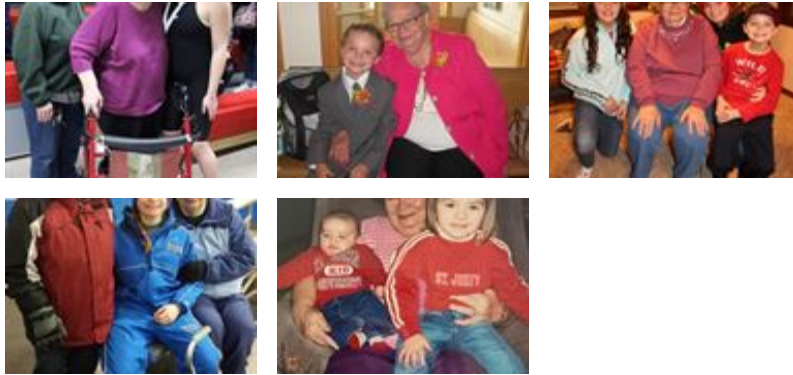
PL

“ Sending our condolences to the Welinski family.
Dave and Patty

Pat Lutzwick - August 08, 2021 at 04:58 PM



“ 9 files added to the album Life Tributes



Lemieur Funeral Homes - August 08, 2021 at 12:33 PM

DS

“ Our condolences to all of the Welinski family. Rosemary was a special Aunt to me and thinking of her brings back a lot of good memories. I spent a lot of time way back at their house when I use to come to Swanville to hunt with the boys and Harry. Rosemary always made sure there was plenty of good food on the table to feed the bunch of us. She was a serious and great card player and she usually won. RIP Rosemary. Dave and Marty Sapletal

Dave & Marty Sapletal - August 07, 2021 at 01:06 PM

CC

“ Craig And Shelley Chapiewski lit a candle in memory of Rosemary J. Welinski



Craig and Shelley Chapiewski - August 06, 2021 at 10:12 AM



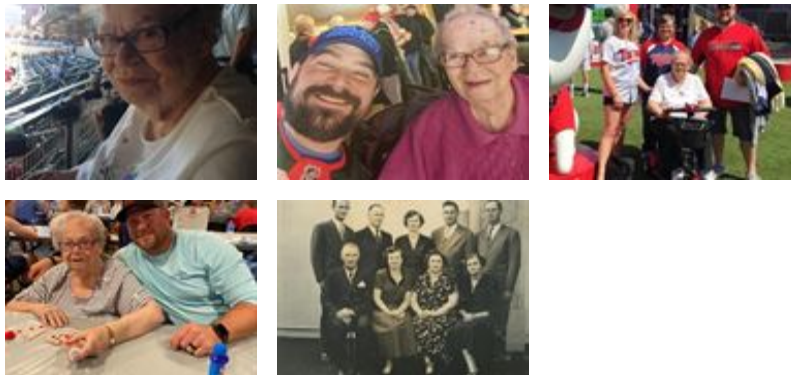
“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Rosemary J. Welinski.



August 06, 2021 at 10:09 AM



“ 5 files added to the album LifeTributes



Lemieur Funeral Homes - August 05, 2021 at 02:10 PM

KM

“ My sympathy to the Welinski family in the loss of your mother.
Kim Mielke

Kim Mielke - August 05, 2021 at 12:45 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Rosemary J. Welinski.*



August 05, 2021 at 11:29 AM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Rosemary J. Welinski.*



August 04, 2021 at 05:20 PM



“ *Heidi Thieschafer lit a candle in memory of Rosemary J. Welinski*



Heidi Thieschafer - August 03, 2021 at 06:13 PM



“ *I SO enjoyed working with Rosemary at the school!! We shared some 'special laughs" !! RIP Rosemary!!*

JoAnn Olson - August 03, 2021 at 01:27 PM

LJ

“ Lee & Bunny Johnston lit a candle in memory of Rosemary J. Welinski



Lee & Bunny Johnston - August 03, 2021 at 01:24 PM

JG

“ I will always remember the smiles and laughter from both Rosemary and Harry. We used to play in the park in Swanville by their home when we would come back home from Wisconsin to visit mom and dad's family. Great fun with all the cousins. "Good times and great memories"

You will truly be missed Rosemary

Jerry and Marcia Gross
Neillsville WI

Jerry and Marcia Gross - August 03, 2021 at 10:39 AM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rosemary J. Welinski.



August 01, 2021 at 10:15 PM

HP

“ She was usually in the lobby of Highland to say hello when I came in. We would catch up on Twins sports and her grandkids events. She treasured each and everyone of you. I treasure the lifelong friend that I grew up with in Swanville and into her final years of life. My sympathies to all of her family

Helen Pfeffer - August 01, 2021 at 09:33 AM

RO

“ Romelle lit a candle in memory of Rosemary J. Welinski



Romelle - July 31, 2021 at 12:58 PM

RO

Love and prayers to aunt Rosemary and her family.

Romelle - July 31, 2021 at 01:02 PM

JF

“ Jeanne Beam Family lit a candle in memory of Rosemary J. Welinski



Jeanne Beam family - July 31, 2021 at 10:07 AM

SA

“ Rosemary’s Family, We’re so sorry to hear about your Mom and Gramma. She was a very friendly and wonderful lady. We will all miss her. We want you to know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. May she Rest In Peace. Sandie and Glenn Klimmek

Sandie - July 30, 2021 at 10:48 PM

JH

“ A great person-RIP Rosemary.

John Hanowski - July 30, 2021 at 05:12 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rosemary J. Welinski.



July 30, 2021 at 05:08 PM

SJ

“ Scott Jackson lit a candle in memory of Rosemary J. Welinski



Scott Jackson - July 30, 2021 at 03:46 PM

LD

“ Prayers to all the Welinski Family in your loss.
May God be with you all! Lynn (Class of 77)



Lynn Duxbury - July 30, 2021 at 12:14 PM

CE

“ Collette And Vern Ehrenberg sent a virtual gift
in memory of Rosemary J. Welinski



Collette and Vern Ehrenberg - July 30, 2021 at 11:39 AM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of
Rosemary J. Welinski.



July 30, 2021 at 07:48 AM

MK

“ I enjoyed taking care of Rosemary the last few years. She will also
hold a very special place in my heart. She will be missed every day.
She is a very special lady. I live yiu Rosemary

Mary Koetter - July 29, 2021 at 09:17 PM

LO

“ *My sympathy to the family I am so glad I got to spend the time with your mother I sure will miss her.*

Laurie Ochoa - July 29, 2021 at 08:02 PM

LO

“ *Laurie Ochoa lit a candle in memory of Rosemary J. Welinski*



Laurie Ochoa - July 29, 2021 at 07:59 PM

BB

“ *RIP Rosemary, sending prayers to the family.*



Brenda Baum - July 29, 2021 at 07:48 PM

PH

“ *Peggy Hoheisel sent a virtual gift in memory of Rosemary J. Welinski*



Peggy Hoheisel - July 29, 2021 at 06:50 PM

CA

“ *Chris Anderson lit a candle in memory of Rosemary J. Welinski*



Chris Anderson - July 29, 2021 at 06:46 PM

CJ

“ *The ladies card club is now complete in heaven! My sympathies and prayers to all of you during this most difficult time. Rosemary was a jewel!!*

Carol Johnson - July 29, 2021 at 03:19 PM