



Judy Suzanne Stanko

May 20, 1940 - January 23, 2022

Judy Suzanne Stanko, a longtime resident of New Baltimore, MI, died peacefully on January 23, 2022. She was 81 years old.

Judy is survived by her daughter Beth and son in law Jim Adelsperger. She was preceded in death by her husband of 31 years Stephen Stanko, her brother Brian Bricker, and her parents Eleanor and Warren Bricker.

Judy was born on May 20, 1940. She graduated from Anchor Bay High School in 1958 and went on to attend Eastern Michigan University where she graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in 1962 and a Master of Arts degree in 1966. Her area of focus was elementary education and she taught at Fraser Elementary School for several years.

In addition to her family, Judy was passionate about many things. Sports: her favorites were baseball and football with the University of Michigan football rising above all others. Animals: the deer, birds, and squirrels that frequented her back yard, but the most important animals were her fur baby cats. Nature: walking in the woods on a beautiful fall day or watching the waters of Anchor Bay and the St Clair River to spot a passing freighter.

Per Judy's request, there will be no funeral or memorial service. As an expression of remembrance, memorial contributions may be made to her

favorite charities: Best Friends (bestfriends.org/donate/memory) or Alley Cat Allies (alleycat.org/more-ways-to-give-3/pay-tribute).

Tribute Wall

EB

“ Beth, We haven't met but I worked with Judy at Hallmark for many years. Some of my best memories were talking with her about music, the arts, her cats, & you. She was truly a good friend to me. She treated this high school kid like an adult & I have never forgotten it.

Erin Buero - December 03, 2022 at 08:13 AM

DB

“ Beth, so sorry to hear of the loss of your mom! I always enjoyed talking to her when I saw her .
Again, we are so sorry for your loss.
David and Beth Biland

David Biland - January 28, 2022 at 05:43 PM

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“ I'm so very sorry to here of Judy's passing. We bowled together for many many years (she also bowled with my mom at the old Bay Lanes) she was always the life of the party! We shared a love of UofM football. Rest In Peace Judy.

stephanie hageman witkowski - January 26, 2022 at 02:39 PM