



Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie

August 24, 1954 - November 15, 2024

Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie, 70, of Warren, passed away November 15, 2024. She was born and raised in Hamtramck to the late Stephen and Dolores Karas. Nancy is survived by her husband of nearly 48 years, Jay, and her children, Elizabeth (Jason) Herb, Rebecca (Eric Kieleszewski) McLuckie, Jimmie (Jenny) McLuckie, and sister Debbie Radtke. Nancy lived for, and is survived by her grandchildren Ford, Lucas, Hudson, Max, Oliver, Rosie and Owen. Her love for them was eternal. She was predeceased in death by her siblings, Patricia (Debbie Radtke) Karas, Mark (Cindy) Karas, and Donna (Gary) Gliniecki, as well as her grandson, Everett. She is also survived by many nieces, nephews, and countless friends she has made throughout her life.

Nancy actively participated in everything she was involved in. During her years of schooling at St. Florian, she was part of the yearbook club. Her love of music led to her involvement in school musicals and singing in a band, The Edge, in high school. She was also a member of the Babcia Club. She became the Secretary of the Class of 1972, and helped to plan High School reunions for decades following graduation. She forged lifelong bonds through her participation in Girl Scouts, later becoming a Leader for her daughters' troop, earning the title Mrs. McMom by the girls she led.

Motherhood was her true calling, and the abundant love she had for her children was deep and generous. Her love shined brightly through the participation in her children's activities and interests, sharing her love of

cooking and baking, and expressing her creative flair through arts and crafts. She was the Tacky Glue that kept her family and friends together. Nancy shared her outgoing spirit and genuine kindness with everyone she met. She was a social creature, enjoying things like hosting Tupperware parties. She loved finding a reason to celebrate. She single-handedly kept Hallmark in business, often sending everyone multiple cards for holidays and occasions we didn't even know existed... Christmas, being her favorite.

Nancy's caregiving nature led her to get her associate's degree later in life, renewing her passion for helping others. She took on various medical clerk roles in several area hospitals through the years. She was heavily involved in the Bariatric Program, helping to coordinate and educate patients.

Nancy will be greatly missed by her family and friends. The love she gave and kindness she showed will live on through all the lives she has touched.

Visitation at Rudy Funeral Home 25650 Van Dyke in Center Line on Wednesday, November 20, 2024 from 1-8 PM with a 4 PM scripture service.

Instate Thursday 9:30 AM at St Mary Our Lady Queen of Families Church (St Clement site) 25320 Van Dyke, Center Line for a 10 AM Mass. Please visit www.rudyfuneral.com to light a candle or to share a memory.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **20**. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Rudy Funeral Home
25650 Van Dyke Ave.
Center Line, MI 48015
(586) 757-3230
kathynovak@rudyfuneral.com
<https://www.rudyfuneral.com>

Scripture

NOV **20**. 4:00 PM - 4:20 PM (ET)

Rudy Funeral Home
25650 Van Dyke Ave.
Center Line, MI 48015
(586) 757-3230
kathynovak@rudyfuneral.com
<https://www.rudyfuneral.com>

Instate

NOV **21**. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

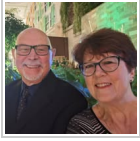
St. Mary, Our Lady Queen of Families Catholic Church (St. Clement Site)
25320 Van Dyke
Center Line, MI 48015

Funeral Mass

NOV **21**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary, Our Lady Queen of Families Catholic Church (St. Clement Site)
25320 Van Dyke
Center Line, MI 48015

Tribute Wall



“ God bless you, Shotzie. I miss your kindness. You are the one who got me the job at St. John Hospital and you are the one who introduced me to IAAP. You left a hole in my friendship circle but I know that you are whole, happy and healthy now.

Del Harris - November 24, 2024 at 08:59 AM

PB

“ Back in 1997, Nancy and I were making arrangements for the class 25th re-union at the Polish-American Century club in Hamtramck. My best memory is of her loud and lengthy laugh when the bartender carded us.

Salute,

Phil Biske

Philip Biske - November 20, 2024 at 02:03 PM

SH

“ Susan H. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.

Susan H. - November 20, 2024 at 12:57 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.

November 19, 2024 at 08:43 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.*



November 19, 2024 at 08:43 PM



“ *51 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Rudy Funeral Home - November 19, 2024 at 03:23 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.*



November 19, 2024 at 03:05 PM

SF

“ Sandy & Jim Kilcoyne & family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.



Sandy & Jim Kilcoyne & family - November 19, 2024 at 12:35 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.



November 19, 2024 at 10:54 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.

November 19, 2024 at 10:54 AM



“ Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.



November 19, 2024 at 09:57 AM

DH

“ I had the privilege of meeting Nancy when our son met their daughter and fell in love. From our first meeting I knew family was the most important thing to Nancy. Whenever we were together she shared her love for her kids and the grandkids! Her smile when she talked about them shared with me the depth of her love for them. I felt blessed to be able to call family! She will be truly missed !

Debbie Herb - November 19, 2024 at 06:04 AM

DO

“ 1 file added to the album Family and Friends



Damian Ochab - November 18, 2024 at 09:45 PM

LM

“ Nancy was a wonderful sister in law to us. Her smile lit up a room and her kindness was second to none. We will cherish her in our hearts forever 💜

When I first became a mom, she was a role model to me because of her unending love and involvement in her children's lives. I will always remember our many lunches together at the Big Boy in Grosse Pointe. And our weekend together in Goderich, Canada this past July was truly magical!

You will be dearly missed and we love you 💜

Lorri and Rob McLuckie

Lorri McLuckie - November 18, 2024 at 03:30 PM

JF

“ Jeff and Michelle and Frydlewicz family purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.



Jeff and Michelle and Frydlewicz family - November 18, 2024 at 01:01 PM

BB

“ Beth Bennett purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.



Beth Bennett - November 18, 2024 at 09:27 AM

RD

“ Rob, Lorri, Greg, Meghan, and David purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.



Rob, Lorri, Greg, Meghan, and David - November 17, 2024 at 06:58 PM

TG

“ The Garver's planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.

The Garver's - November 17, 2024 at 04:55 PM

TG

“ *The Garver’s purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.*



The Garver’s - November 17, 2024 at 04:55 PM

S7

“ *St. Florian HS Class of 72 purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.*



St. Florian HS Class of 72 - November 17, 2024 at 01:32 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.*



November 17, 2024 at 01:14 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Nancy Anne McLuckie.*

November 17, 2024 at 01:14 PM

WC

“ Nancy was a dear classmate throughout the years, but it wasn't till the planning for the 50th reunion that we became very close friends. From early texts about the reunion, our communications evolved to include family, health struggles and her love of the Polish culture. Her last text spoke of her desire to start a bucket list with a visit to Poland being at the top. I'm sorry I couldn't help you with that one old friend.

May you Rest in Peace.

Wally and Angie Czarnik

W. J. Czarnik - November 17, 2024 at 01:03 PM

TK

“ Tom, Amanda, Luke & Caleb Kakareka planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nancy Anne McLuckie.

Tom, Amanda, Luke & Caleb Kakareka - November 17, 2024 at 11:21 AM

TK

“ Tom, Amanda, Luke & Caleb Kakareka purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Nancy Anne (nee Karas) McLuckie.



Tom, Amanda, Luke & Caleb Kakareka - November 17, 2024 at 11:21 AM

DO

“ I have known Nancy for most of my life (1st Grade) and love her dearly. Nancy was my chair partner for most of the five year reunions we celebrated as a class. I have tons of wonderful memories as we grew old together. I'm glad she made it through our 50th Class Reunion. Nancy loved all of us as classmates and friends. Nancy enjoyed life to the fullest and acted like our "McMom" for most of it.

I am so glad that she had the chance to see her family grow and enjoyed her grandkids. She was so very proud of all of them. Our condolences to Nancy's family.

Eternal Rest Grant onto Her Oh Lord and May the Eternal Light Shine Upon Her.

May She Rest in Peace, Amen!

Damian and MaryAnn Ochab

Damian Ochab - November 17, 2024 at 10:20 AM

JM

“ From our blind date on August 10th, 1975, to your final breath, I was there for you.

You're loving Husband,

Jay

James A. McLuckie - November 16, 2024 at 06:07 PM

MG

*Nancy was always smiling as I remember her.
My condolences to her beloved family.
Mary Guzik*

Mary Guzik - November 17, 2024 at 02:48 PM

RJ

You complimented Nancy so well, Jay. May God bless you and hold Nancy close. I'm sorry for your loss.

Roberta Maciejewski Janas - November 18, 2024 at 11:44 PM

DU

I had the privilege of attending St. Florian High school with Nancy, becoming friends with her when we were in the band "The Edge" together, and remember her singing her first solo, the Beatles' "Things We Said Today" (on which she did a great job!) To echo the sentiments of some of my former classmates who have already posted, she worked tirelessly as co-chair of our class reunions, in particular our 50th, though I was fortunate enough to see her one more time after that at a luncheon a group of our classmates had last year. Nancy also was kind enough to always share emails with our classmates regarding when my band was playing next, and came out to see us when she could through the years. Always the thoughtful one, no matter how much she was going through, Nancy sent me a "Happy Pierogi Day" email on October 8th. May God rest Nancy's soul; she was a sensational individual who'll be missed by so many.

Dave and Gail Uchalik - November 20, 2024 at 01:33 PM