



Janice K. Boley

February 28, 1948 - September 3, 2023

Dodgeville - Janice K. Boley, age 75, of Dodgeville, WI, passed away on Sunday, September 3, 2023, at UW-Madison Hospital after a long and courageous battle with Parkinson's disease. Janice was born to Wayne and Mary (Cavanaugh) Johnson on February 28, 1948, at St. Joseph's Hospital in Dodgeville, WI. Janice was raised in Fayette Township in Lafayette County, WI until 1967 when her family moved to rural Hollandale, WI, where they farmed until moving into the village of Hollandale. She graduated from Darlington High School in 1966.

Janice had done babysitting throughout most of her life, starting during her teen years. This became a future career for Janice as she babysat a multitude of children in her home while raising her own children. She especially loved taking care of her grandchildren. She loved having her coffee in the morning, baking and making puzzles. She loved to sew: bridesmaid dresses, curtains, doll clothing, and she would make alterations and clothing repairs as well. Dancing was a joy for Janice; that is how she and Ron first met, at Club 18 in Mt. Horeb. Janice and Ron spent about 18 years teaching dance classes together. She loved to go polka dancing with friends and family members whenever possible, including a trip to dance in St. Louis and Branson, MO, with her daughter, Amy. Janice loved getting together with family and friends to play cards. So many wonderful friendships formed due to caring for so many children, dancing, and card playing.

Janice is survived by her husband, Ron Boley of Dodgeville, WI, her son Jason (Jackie) Boley of Dodgeville, and her daughters Michelle (Trent) Venneman of Fort Collins, Colorado, and Amy (Jay) Dettman of Dodgeville; one brother Keith (Kay) Johnson of Hollandale; two sisters: Jean (Vern) Sauer of Hollandale, WI, and Shirley Johnson of Blanchardville, WI; her 8 grandchildren: Brayden, Nic, and Kinsey Boley; Anika, Mikala, and Alyssa Venneman; Grant and Emma Dettman; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one sister: Barb (Dean) Hendrickson; two brothers: Steven Johnson and Sheldon Johnson both from Argyle, WI; and a special cousin: Jackie Cavanaugh Polite.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 9, 2023 at ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, 305 E. Walnut St., Dodgeville. Burial will be at St. Joseph Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Friday, September 8, 2023, at GORGEN-McGINLEY & AYERS FUNERAL HOME in Dodgeville and from 10:00 a.m. to 10:50 a.m. on Saturday at the church.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph's Cemetery

Compassion Way
Dodgeville, WI 53533

Previous Events

Visitation

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

Gorgen-McGinley & Ayers Funeral Home
400 East Grace Street
Dodgeville, WI 53533
(608) 935-5222
gorgenfh@mhtc.net

Visitation

SEP 9. 10:00 AM - 10:50 AM (CT)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church
405 S. Dacotah Street
Dodgeville, WI 53533

Mass of Christian Burial

SEP 9. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

DJ

“ We were so very sorry to hear of Janice’s passing. She was such a lovely lady and wonderful neighbor. Our deepest condolences and prayers for peace to all.
Virginia Cayler and family.

Debra Jenkinson - September 15, 2023 at 02:44 PM

BI

“ Ron, So sorry to hear of Janice's passing. My deepest sympathy to you and your family. Barb Iverson

Barb Iverson - September 12, 2023 at 09:21 PM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Janice K. Boley.



September 07, 2023 at 03:57 PM

BF

“ Bob and Joanne Monson Family purchased the Rose Remembrance for the family of Janice K. Boley.



Bob and Joanne Monson Family - September 06, 2023 at 07:25 PM

KC

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you. I will have a Novena of Masses read by the Mariannahill Fathers for Janice.*

Karen Clough - September 06, 2023 at 08:46 AM

PB

“ *Janice always had the most beautiful smile. She loved serving others and you always felt welcome in her home. Truly a beautiful child of God.*

Pam Burke - September 05, 2023 at 08:37 PM