



Julia "Judy" Elizabeth Olson

May 21, 1941 - October 29, 2025

Mineral Point - Julia (Judy) Elizabeth Olson, age 84, of Mineral Point, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, October 29, 2025, at Upland Hills Health in Dodgeville, surrounded by her loving family.

Judy was born on May 21, 1941, in Dodgeville, WI to James and Katherine (McCluskey) Mitchell. She was the sixth of seven children who proudly grew up on their two family farms in Dodgeville, one that is now part of Governor Dodge State Park. After graduating from Dodgeville High School in 1959, Judy married Delbert Olson of Mineral Point on January 23, 1960. Together they raised six children in Mineral Point and were blessed with eleven grandchildren, eight great-granddaughters, and one great-great-granddaughter.

Judy was a stay-at-home mom for much of her adult life. As the children became older, she worked at Borg Industries in Darlington, before working at and retiring from Lands' End in Dodgeville. Judy was a member of St. Mary's & St. Paul's Church in Mineral Point. She was a member of the MP Wrestling Booster Club, and a Boy Scout Den Mother. In retirement, Judy enjoyed volunteering with residents of The Mineral Point Care Center. Her greatest love in life was attending events of her children and grandchildren with Delbert. Judy was especially passionate about spending quality time with family during the holidays. Family get-togethers meant the world to her.

Judy enjoyed baking, reading, ceramics, and word searches. Baking with family during Thanksgiving and Christmas seasons was exceptionally special to her. Judy was incredibly fond of her cats while also enjoying gambling trips and scrapbooking with friends. Judy loved to travel, with Branson, New York City, San Diego, and New Orleans being some of her favorite places. Her trip to Ireland with her daughter, Sharon, and her Alaskan cruise with Delbert were at the top of her travel memories.

Judy will be forever missed by her devoted husband of 65 years, Delbert; her children, Julie Olson, Jeneene (Mike) McConley, John (Angie) Olson, Brian (Michelle) Olson, Gary (Jennifer) Olson, and Sharon Olson; her eleven grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren, and one great-great-granddaughter. She is also survived by her brother, Bill (Judy) Mitchell, and many special nieces and nephews.

Judy was preceded in death by her parents; her father and mother in-law John and Marion Olson; her siblings Rosemary (Joe) Zellers, Bob Mitchell, Charlie (Pat) Mitchell, Elaine (Stoney) Stonestreet, and Jimmie Mitchell; as well as her in-laws Mildred and Leslie Stephenson, and Bob Quirk.

The family would like to extend their heartfelt gratitude to the Mineral Point Rescue Squad, and the staff at Upland Hills Health for their exceptional and compassionate care of our beloved wife, mother, and grandmother.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11:00 AM on Wednesday, November 5, 2025 at Ss. MARY & PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH in Mineral Point. Fr. Alex Carmel will officiate. Burial will be in St. Paul's Cemetery. A visitation will be held on Tuesday, November 4, 2025 from 4:00 until 7:00 PM and on Wednesday from 9:30 until 10:50 AM at Ss. MARY & PAUL CATHOLIC

CHURCH.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Iowa County Humane Society, or the Mineral Point Public Library.

Cemetery Details

St. Paul's Cemetery

801 Ridge Street
Mineral Point, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 4. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

St. Mary's & St. Paul's Catholic Church
224 Davis St
Mineral Point, WI 53565-1113
(608) 987-2026

Visitation

NOV 5. 9:30 AM - 10:50 AM (CT)

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Mass of Christian Burial

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Tribute Wall



“ *'Miss my classmate...her positive attitude and ever-present smile.*

Jodean Grunow - November 16, 2025 at 11:46 AM



“ *John Cooney purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Julia "Judy" Elizabeth Olson.*



John Cooney - November 04, 2025 at 07:55 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Julia "Judy" Elizabeth Olson.*



November 03, 2025 at 08:39 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Julia "Judy" Elizabeth Olson.*



November 03, 2025 at 11:04 AM

FS

“ From your former students purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Julia "Judy" Elizabeth Olson.



From your former students - November 01, 2025 at 10:08 PM

SG

“ Scott, Kay, Mitchell family & Grandbill planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Julia "Judy" E. Olson.

Scott, Kay, Mitchell family & Grandbill - November 01, 2025 at 12:28 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Julia "Judy" Elizabeth Olson.



November 01, 2025 at 12:28 PM

RM

“ I share your sorrow Delbert and family in your loss of this lovely lady. I so enjoyed our chats when we met over the years. Keep your wonderful memories of her to sustain you in your healing. Rosalie R. May

Rosalie R. May - October 31, 2025 at 09:26 PM

YF

“ *Your Cuba City Elementary Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Julia "Judy" Elizabeth Olson.*



Your Cuba City Elementary Family - October 31, 2025 at 05:31 PM

SH

“ *Sympathy to Judy's family for their loss. She was a very pleasant person. I always enjoyed visiting with her.*

Sharon - October 31, 2025 at 02:44 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Julia "Judy" Elizabeth Olson.*



October 31, 2025 at 02:07 PM

ME

“ *Thinking of all of you. I enjoyed doing ceramics with Judy and a couple quick visits we had while I was out walking and stopped to pet Lucy.*

Melissa - October 31, 2025 at 11:57 AM

JU

“ *Delbert and family, saddened to hear of Judy's passing. Thinking of you all. Hugs.*

Judy - October 31, 2025 at 08:59 AM

DT

“ My sincere sympathy to the Olson family. I enjoyed working with Judy at Lands' End and ride sharing. May she Rest in Peace.



Donna Toay - October 31, 2025 at 08:29 AM

BS

“ Bill and Sue Stonestreet planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Julia "Judy" E. Olson.

Bill and Sue Stonestreet - October 31, 2025 at 03:07 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Julia "Judy" Elizabeth Olson.



October 31, 2025 at 03:07 AM

HN

“ I loved painting ceramics with Judy. She would always support my boys and bu boy scout popcorn. A very sweet lady.

Heidi Nelson - October 30, 2025 at 10:53 PM