

JoAnne Ahlers

Visitation: 11am on Saturday, August 29, 2020
at the Gilman Funeral Home
Memorial service and inurnment : 1pm at
Meadowbrook Catholic Cemetery



JoAnne Ahlers, 70 of Chippewa Falls, formerly of Jump River, passed away peacefully with her family Monday, August 24, 2020 at Marshfield Medical Center-Eau Claire. She was born on November 5, 1949 at Victory Memorial Hospital-Stanley to the late Joseph and Elizabeth (Prasnicky) Komanec. JoAnne grew up in the Gilman area and graduated from Gilman High School in 1967. She married Jeff Ahlers on April 12, 1969 at Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church Gilman. JoAnne worked for the Gilman School District as a secretary and school bus driver, as well as the Gilman Bank and Gilman Feed. JoAnne enjoyed gardening, bird watching, and spoiling her only granddaughter. In her earlier years she would be found snowmobiling, bowling, playing softball and shooting pool. She was known for her sharp wit, sarcasm, and good practical jokes. Most of all, she loved her family and she was a true mother bear. She is survived by her husband of 51 years, Jeff, her children, Jason Ahlers of Denver, CO, Jahn (Anna Goebel) Ahlers of Eau Claire and Janna (Rhonda Renfro) Ahlers and their daughter, Zola Jo all of Prior Lake, MN, her siblings, Joe (Lynne) Komanec, John Komanec, Rose Reyzer and Tina (Roger) Nichols all of Gilman, Louise Komanec of Woodbury, MN and George (Roxanne) Komanec of Bloomer and many nieces and nephews. JoAnne is preceded in death by her parents and sister in law, Donna Komanec.

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The family asks that all in attendance please follow
social distancing and wear a mask at all times.