

Judith Catherine Lumm ^{6H-R} 2-13-2017



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Judy was born February 8, 1939, in Chicago, Ill., to Edward and Irene Jedlicka and later moved to San Diego, Calif., where on one fateful day she met a dashing United States Navy sailor. On October 29, 1960, they were married and the fairytale began. Over the next 56 years, Judy and Frank had three children: Frankie, Becky and Christina, and criss-

crossed the United States for job opportunities, adventures, but most importantly, a better quality of life for them to raise their kids. They have a love for the ages and truly are an illustration of all that is right and pure. They set an extraordinary example for their children.

Judy was a very giving person and always treated everyone with dignity and respect. She touched everyone she met and left them all with a profound sense of something special in having met her. Judy devoted her whole life to helping those around her. She helped so many individuals achieve what might have been missed opportunities had it not been for her influence. Her interests included family, gardening, and reading.

Judy is survived by her loving and devoted husband, Frank Arthur Lumm of Grinnell, Iowa; Brother Christopher Francis Jedlicka of Phoenix, Ariz.; son Frank Edward Lumm of Orlando, Fla.; daughter and son-in-law Rebecca Ann Lumm-Daffner and Brent Daffner of Goodyear, Ariz.; daughter Christina Marie Lumm-Marlow of Grinnell, Iowa; and grandchildren Sara Irene Belanger, Leo Jaieson Belanger, and Laine Edward Belanger of Goodyear, Ariz.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Edward and Irene Jedlicka; and brothers, Edward (Sonny) and George (Butch) Jedlicka.

Everyone that knew and loved Judy is left with a void for the rest of their lives; a void that will never be truly filled. We are all blessed to have had her touch our lives in many ways.

A celebration of life gathering was held from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. on Monday, February 13, 2017, at the Smith Funeral Home in Grinnell, Iowa.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Judy's two most passionate charities, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or the Paralyzed Veterans of America, and may be mailed in care of the Smith Funeral Home, PO Box 368, Grinnell, Iowa 50112.

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