



LeAnn M. Murray

May 24, 1938 - April 26, 2019

LeAnn Murray of Fond du Lac entered the presence of her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on April 26, 2019 after a long battle with dementia.

LeAnn was born to Nels C. and Edna (Pommer) Jensen in Chicago, IL on May 24, 1938. She was reared in Waupaca, WI, and graduated from Waupaca High School in 1956. She graduated from the Milwaukee School of Nursing in 1959. She began her nursing career at Milwaukee County Hospital, then hospitals in Detroit and Eau Claire, and later worked many years as an RN at a nursing homes in Waupaca and Manawa, WI.

While attending nursing school in Milwaukee, LeAnn was invited by friends to attend Nurse's Christian Fellowship - a Bible study taught by a Mrs. Thielke. During those Bible study opportunities LeAnn repented of her sin and received Jesus as her Savior. She was later baptized as a testimony of her faith in Jesus.

LeAnn married Thomas Olaf Murray on August 6, 1960 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Waupaca, WI. They lived for a short time in Detroit where Tom was an Industrial Arts teacher before Tom returned to UW Stout to obtain his Master's Degree. For many years Tom taught Industrial Arts in Weyauwega, WI. In 1984 they moved to Des Moines, IA to begin Printing Press. During their years in Weyauwega, they had begun a ministry to missionaries and

churches called Bible Press Inc.

This ministry continued alongside a busy print shop.

During their years of running the business in Iowa, LeAnn worked as proof reader, accountant, purchasing agent, labeling, mail room, deliveries, and family manager. At the same time, children, grandchildren, or in-laws were often living in an apartment next door and demanded her attention.

Tom and LeAnn have three children: John (Lynna) Murray, Linda (Daniel) Leeds, and Beth (David) Harsh. LeAnn is survived by Tom, her children, their spouses, and 12 grandchildren - Andrew Murray, Amy Murray, Nathan Murray, Jeremy (Macey) Murray, Ezekiel (Hannah) Leeds, Sarah Leeds, Elizabeth (Tony) Braker, Charles (Brittany) Leeds, Nicholas Harsh, Jacob Harsh, Christopher Harsh, Mason Harsh, and 9 great-grandchildren.

Tom and LeAnn's home life was dominated by their faithful participation in Baptist churches including Faith Baptist Church of New London, WI when they were rearing their children and for the last 20 years Trinity Baptist Church of Fond du Lac. They served as Sunday School teachers, Awana leaders, and board members. LeAnn spent vacation weeks as a nurse in Christian camps.

LeAnn had a gift of mercy. Their home was often where missionary families would come to eat or stay. She always had a ready ear and a sympathetic heart. LeAnn loved gospel music and often would listen to WRVM or CDs of her favorite groups. She was quick with a smile and always ready to spar with her wits.

The family would like to thank Agnesian Adult Day Services and Liberty House for their loving care of LeAnn.

A Memorial Service and celebration of LeAnn's life will be held at 11:00 a.m.

on Thursday, May 2, 2019 at Trinity Baptist Church in Fond du Lac, WI. LeAnn's son (Pastor John Murray) and son-in-law (Pastor Dan Leeds) will officiate. A dinner provided by the church will follow the service.

The family requests that those wishing to give memorials in LeAnn's name designate them to Youth Mission Trips at Trinity Baptist Church, P.O. Box 1453, Fond du Lac, WI 54936.

Kurki-Mach Funeral Chapel & Crematory is serving the family, www.kurkimachfuneralchapel.com. 920-921-4420

Previous Events

Service

MAY 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

Trinity Baptist Church
400 E. Johnson St.
Fond du Lac, WI 54935

Tribute Wall

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“ *Tom and Family,
I am so sorry for your loss. LeAnn was a very special person. I am happy to have had the privilege to care for her when she attended the Adult Day Services. We had many special moments that will forever be in my heart. I loved her smile and wit, which sometimes came with a funny face. She was a caring person and that was something she was still able to show you to the end. I witnessed her strong faith and loved to listen to her sing along with some of the old hymns. She was always trying to get "home", she is there with now with God.
May God hold you in his arms and help through this difficult time with all Your special memories.
With Heartfelt Sympathy, Sandy*



Sandy - April 30, 2019 at 08:32 AM