



Helen A Prostko

February 3, 1954 - August 24, 2021

Elgin - Helen A. Prostko, born February 3rd, 1954, passed away Tuesday, August 24th, 2021, in Elgin under the care of Unity Hospice.

She was born in Spring Valley, Illinois to Walter A. Prostko and Lucille (Schindel) Prostko. Having graduated from Princeton Township High School in 1972, she began her work history at Champion Pneumatic, Princeton, Illinois, before moving to Lisle, Illinois. She then worked for Chicago Blower where she met her significant other, Jose L. (Joe) Gaytan. In 1979 she and Joe moved to Houston, Texas, where she worked for Darcy Marius Advertising Agency. She moved back to Illinois in 1988 where she worked for the American Society of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeons and the American Society of Dermatological Surgeons. She most recently worked for Metropolitan Title Agency, in Rockford, Illinois.

Helen enjoyed gardening, bowling, flower arranging and taking care of her puppies. She loved traveling for work and with family.

She is survived by her significant other Joe Gaytan, Elgin, Illinois; stepdaughter Jennifer Gaytan, Cape Coral, Florida; two sisters Phyllis (John) Tobias, Rockford, Illinois; Florence Prostko and her significant other Jim Verstraete; one brother Walt (Debbie) Prostko, of Princeton, Illinois; and several nieces and nephews.

Helen was preceded in death by her parents Walter A. Prostko and Lucille I. Prostko.

Visitation will be held Friday, September 3rd, 2021, from 9:00AM to 10:30AM, at Norberg Memorial Home, Inc. & Monuments in Princeton, Illinois.

A funeral mass will be held at 11:00AM on Friday, September 3, 2021 at St. Louis Catholic Church, Officiated by Monsignor James Kruse.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be directed to Doctors without Borders.

Online memorials and condolences may be directed to www.norbergfh.com

Arrangements by Norberg Memorial Home, Inc. & Monuments.

Cemetery Details

VALLEY MEMORIAL PARK

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 3. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Norberg Memorial Home, Inc.
701 E. Thompson Street
Princeton, IL 61356

Mass

SEP 3. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Louis Catholic Church - Princeton
616 S Gosse Blvd
Princeton, IL 61356

Graveside Service

SEP 3. 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM.

VALLEY MEMORIAL PARK

Tribute Wall

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“ Want to send Walt an Deb and rest of family my deepest regrets for the lose of their sister!! I hope U will find peace knowing she is with her Mom and Dad and will be waiting for U when your time comes. May God bless U all!!



Joe Freeburg - September 21, 2021 at 04:07 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Helen A Prostko.



September 01, 2021 at 11:04 AM

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“ Condolences to the family.. Prayers sent



Barry Dugosh - August 31, 2021 at 08:14 AM

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“ Marilyn Braid & Family lit a candle in memory of Helen A Prostko



Marilyn Braid & family - August 30, 2021 at 03:15 PM