



Peggy Darlene Ward

February 25, 1951 - April 4, 2025

Peggy D. Ward, 74, of Benton Township died Friday, April 4, 2025, at the Corewell Lakeland Hospital in St. Joseph.

Family services will be held at a later date and cremation has taken place. Arrangements are by the Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Service and Cremation Service in Benton Township.

Peggy was born on February 25, 1951, in Benton Harbor to Ambrose and Ellen Stump. She married her husband, Ed, in 1972 and they had 36 years of marriage until his death in 2008. Her husband was the longtime foreman of the Benton Harbor Water Distribution Department. Peggy was a homemaker and many of the neighborhood children called her "Mother". In her younger years she was a volunteer for multiple civic and social groups. Her hobbies included video games, stamp collecting, and painting. Peggy was also a great animal lover. She loved baking and liked to give her holiday cookies to everyone. Peggy will be missed by her family and her friends.

Her family includes her 2 sons, Edwin Ward, Jr. of Benton Harbor and William Ward of Coloma, her granddaughter, Da`Ineska, and her great-granddaughter, Moana.