



## Marian Clare Rud

March 31, 1935 - January 9, 2023

Rud, Marian

Age 87, of Bloomington, Mn., passed away peacefully on January 9, 2023 at the

Presbyterian Home of Bloomington. She was born March 31st, 1935 to Wencel and

Bessie Pexa and grew up on farms near St. Patrick, Mn. She was wed to Don Rud on

August 3, 1957 and they were married for more than 63 years until his death in 2021.

They moved to Bloomington in 1960 and raised their four boys there.

Marian was preceded in death by Don; her parents; brothers: George, Leonard, and

Danny; son-in-law Jose Perez. She is survived by her sons: Glen (Crystal), Paul (Claire),

Mark, and Joel (Sandy); sister: Angie Singer; brother: Allen Pexa; sisters-in-law: Helen

and Diane Pexa; brother in-law: Stanley Rud (Wendy); grandchildren: Tanya, Briana,

Kara, Christopher, Lauren, Nathan, Hannah, Nicole, Levi, Steven, and Rachel; great

grandchildren: Kiriana and Alyssa.

Marian was the consummate homemaker and caregiver. She spoiled Don and

the boys

with her great cooking and baking. Her chocolate chip cookies were legendary. She

maintained her farm girl roots by tending a very large and successful vegetable garden.

In addition to managing the home front, she worked as an Avon Lady, house keeper,

and volunteer. Her Catholic faith was very important to her and she was a longtime

member of Assumption Catholic Church of Richfield, Mn. She enjoyed golf, reading, St.

Patrick baseball, fishing, and getting together with friends and family.

Her funeral service will be at the Washburn-McReavy Funeral Home located at 2300

West Old Shakopee Road in Bloomington on Saturday, January 14, 2023 at 2pm.

Family and friends may gather starting at 1pm. Memorials may be directed to the St.

Patrick Baseball Association or Assumption Catholic Church of Richfield.

Interment

with Don will be at a later date at the Fort Snelling National Cemetery.

Family and friends are invited to gather after the ceremony at The Sports

Page at 9014 Lyndale Avenue South in Bloomington, Service will also be Live Streamed

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 14. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Bloomington Chapel  
2300 W Old Shakopee Rd  
Bloomington, MN 55431  
(952) 884-8145  
info@washburn-mcreavy.com

## Memorial Service

JAN 14. 2:00 PM - 2:45 PM (CT)

Bloomington Chapel  
2300 W Old Shakopee Rd  
Bloomington, MN 55431  
(952) 884-8145  
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# Tribute Wall



“ Washburn-McReavy Funeral Chapels created a Chapel Service for Marian C Rud in memory of Marian Clare Rud



Washburn-McReavy - January 10, 2023 at 10:58 AM

TJ

“ Glen, Paul, Mark & Joel I am really sorry for your loss. I have fond memories growing up & knowing both Marian & your Dad. I spent a lot of time with them through Paul & all of you, they were a big part of keeping things on track and always with a smile! Once again I am sorry, she will be missed.

Todd Jorgensen - January 30, 2024 at 01:45 PM

EM

“ Marian was my neighbor growing up in the St Patrick area and a distant relative. She was a beautiful person inside and out. We had many fun times at St Patrick Irish baseball games in recent years. Dick and I offer our sincere condolences to her family.

Evelyn M Mushitz - January 12, 2023 at 01:35 PM

DK

“ I was lucky to grow up in the neighborhood. The Rud's were the fun parents. It's where you went when you wanted to tell stories and have a guaranteed laugh.

The stories of Marian's cookies are true. I was supposed to take care of the rabbits while they were out of town for a weekend and more than helped myself to the cookie jar. She busted me on it, and then gave me a wink and a smile. Everything was okay. She was everyone's cool mom.

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**Dan Kent** - January 11, 2023 at 04:30 PM

SA

“ St. Patrick Athletic Association purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Marian Clare Rud.



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**St. Patrick Athletic Association** - January 11, 2023 at 04:02 PM



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January 11, 2023 at 01:31 PM