



## Suzanne Marie Matuska

July 29, 1953 - July 16, 2024

### Suzanne Marie Matuska

Suzanne made her transition the morning of July 16, 2024, after succumbing to her second stroke. She spent the majority of the last 25 years of her life in Isanti, Minnesota, enjoying the scenic views of the rural countryside. Suzanne spent the final months of her life under the care of her son Nathan, and with the company of her granddaughter, Gwen (17).

Suzanne is survived by her sons Nathan and Aaron, as well as her only grandchild. She was preceded in death by her mother Neva, father Arthur, stepfather John, and sister Lynette.

Suzanne was a creative at heart. She enjoyed painting and prided herself on the opportunity to do murals in the bedroom of her grandchild. She loved to look at the beauty outside and marveled at wildlife such as deer and swans. Her final thoughts were that of immense appreciation for her family and friends.

A memorial service will be held at Monday, July 29, 2024 at Washburn-McReavy funeral home in Hopkins, 1400 Main Street, Hopkins, MN. The family will receive guests at 1:00 pm with a service at 2:00 pm.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 29. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Hopkins Chapel  
1400 Mainstreet  
Hopkins, MN 55343

## Memorial Service

JUL 29. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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1400 Mainstreet  
Hopkins, MN 55343

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Darlene Matuska Benham purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Suzanne Marie Matuska.*



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**Darlene Matuska Benham** - July 28, 2024 at 10:22 PM

KW

“ Dear Family of Suzi:

*I am writing to you on behalf of the Lorraine Vierling family concerning the very recent sad news of Suzi Matuska's passing.*

*Suzi was a live in caregiver for our Mom, Lorraine, during some of the last years of Lorraine's 95 years of life and we feel that we came to know her well.*

*Suzi was an empathetic and experienced caregiver and became an oh so welcome member of our family. She looked after Mom carefully and well.*

*Suzi was the first and longest live in caregiver for Mom. You can appreciate what a fraught time that was for our family. We will forever be grateful for Suzi's service to Mom. She helped all of us make a smooth transition to live in home care with her consistent loving attention to Mom, her helpful suggestions for us and her pleasant and reassuring ways. She was truly a godsend to us when we desperately needed one and she will live as one in our memories.*

*Sincere sympathies to those who had the great good fortune to know Suzi.*

*Tom, Kathy, Mark and Terry*

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**Kathleen Willette** - July 28, 2024 at 04:02 PM

TF

“ The SAUVAGEAU Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Suzanne Marie Matuska.



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**The SAUVAGEAU Family** - July 27, 2024 at 07:33 PM

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“ *The SAUVAGEAU Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Suzanne Marie Matuska.*

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**The SAUVAGEAU Family** - July 27, 2024 at 07:33 PM

JF

“ *Suzi was a best friend since we were 4 yrs old. We always had fun getting together and talking about our formative years. We remained best of friends as we grew older with dinners, shopping, overnights, talking on the phone...everything girlfriends do. She had a sweet, caring, and creative spirit. Suzi was a gift and a ray of sunshine in my life. I will miss her. Bless your heart, Nathan, for taking care of your mother. My deepest heartfelt sympathy to her family. ❤️ With Love, Joanne Ferkinhoff*



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**Joanne Ferkinhoff** - July 26, 2024 at 02:35 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Suzanne Marie Matuska.*



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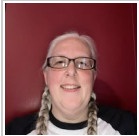
July 25, 2024 at 07:29 PM

BR

“ Suzanne was always so welcoming to our loud group of friends hanging out with Nathan at the house. Some of my best childhood memories were there and Suzanne would greet us all with a big smile and ask us how we were doing before we'd scurry downstairs. I remember that she wasn't asking just to be polite, she honestly cared how we all were doing and would stop and listen if we had a story to tell. It really means more than I can express that we had that time and that place growing up. 'The Guys' owe her a huge debt of gratitude for that. I will miss her very much.

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**Bryan** - July 25, 2024 at 07:18 PM



“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Suzy took care of my great-aunt Gayle the last year or two of her life. She was fun to visit with! She even took time to help me learn to crochet.

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**Kari Andrs** - July 25, 2024 at 04:58 PM

DT

“ Nate, Toni, Aaron. My deepest sympathies on Suzy's passing.  
Dale Thompson

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**Dale Thompson** - July 23, 2024 at 06:15 PM