



Helen Malinowski

March 15, 1929 - April 10, 2024

Helen Malinowski (nee Zapotochny), 95, of Lorain, died Wednesday April 10, 2024 at Mariana's Adult Home Care in Avon Lake.

She was born March 15, 1929 in Lorain to Michael & Mary Zapotochny (nee Artomovitz) and had been a lifelong Lorain resident.

Helen graduated from Lorain High School. She was a member of Nativity BVM Catholic Church in Lorain. She enjoyed polka dancing, gardening, sewing, crafts, cooking, decorating for the holidays and collecting dolls. She also sold Bee Line Clothing and had worked for JoAnn Fabrics for many years.

She is survived by her children: Dale Malinowski, David Malinowski (Kim) and Debra Malinowski; grandchildren: Leanne Malinowski, Dale Malinowski Jr, Jan Malinowski (Melanie), Justin Malinowski (Cindy), Jordan Malinowski and Brian Malinowski and 10 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Joseph L. "Joe Ski" Malinowski in 2022, daughter Sharon Malinowski in 2002, 2 infant sons, granddaughter Kristen Malinowski in 2017, her parents, sisters: Anna Zapotochny, Olga Engel, Mary Zapotochny and Julia Demich and brother Walter Zapotochny.

The family will receive friends Monday April 15, 2024 from 10:00 am until the

time of the mass of Christian Burial at 11:00 am at Nativity BVM Catholic Church, 1454 Lexington Ave, Lorain. (please meet at the church) The Rev Craig Hovanec, pastor will preside. Burial will follow in Calvary Cemetery in Lorain.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

555 N Ridge Rd
Lorain, OH 44053
<https://clecem.org/Cemeteries/CalvaryLorain.aspx>

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 15. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Nativity BVM Catholic Church
1454 Lexington Avenue
Lorain, OH 44052

Funeral Mass

APR 15. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Nativity BVM Catholic Church
1454 Lexington Avenue
Lorain, OH 44052

Tribute Wall

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“ Dale, Debbie and David
I was saddened to hear of your mom's passing she is at peace with God. Many memories of her working at Joann fabrics with my mom Julia and growing up in the neighborhood God bless you all with memories of comfort She is welcomed by your dad and Sharon Mary Sawzin Barnard

Mary Barnard - April 16, 2024 at 08:07 PM

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“ My condolences to Debbie, Dale and David for the loss of your mom, and to the rest of the Malinowski family for your loss. I grew up nearby and always remember Helen as being very glamorous whenever I would see her. Not many left from the old neighborhood, unfortunately.

Sue Burgett Mendez - April 14, 2024 at 11:21 AM

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“ I will always remember Helen, coming to the campground for lunch, with her daughter Deb and niece Mary Engel. I was smoking and drinking Pepsi in a can cover. Helen joked she should just stay there and smoke& drink with us. I became very inventive with dog hair removal, cuz Jerzee Engel(pug recuse of Mary's) was happy to visit with Helen also. I was so lucky to see her in a happy place.

I wish, I could transport, Helen's daughter to that day, when ever she wanted. Thank you Mary and Deb for the many good memories to take to my golden years.

Lara Riffle - April 12, 2024 at 11:50 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Helen Malinowski.* ”



April 12, 2024 at 02:11 PM