



## Mrs. Mary B. Fairbanks

October 1, 1945 - October 13, 2020

Mary Beth Fairbanks, 75, Green Bay passed away on , Tuesday, October 13, 2020 with her family near. Mary was born on October 1, 1945 in Muskegan, MI, the daughter of the now late Charles and Lovella (Fergeson) Poler. She was a graduate of West De Pere High School and furthered her education at U.W. G.B. with a CNA Degree. Mary was employed for many years at the Brown County Mental Health Center and later at Odd Fellow Nursing Home until her retirement. On December 31, 1979, she married Ron Fairbanks and the couple enjoyed over 40 years together. Mary had a love of the outdoors and greatly enjoyed the times spent camping, boating, gardening and simply enjoying the beauty of nature. She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother and a friend to many and will always be lovingly remembered and sorrowfully missed.

Mary is survived by her loving husband: Ron, one daughter: Chris (Dave) Simpson, Bessemer, MI; one son: Brian (MaryKay) Simpson, Neenah, WI; 5 grandchildren: Candice, Sabrina, Jason, Colin and Rachael, 6 great-grandchildren: Lillie, Valarie, Leon, Ava Jean, Ava and Noah. She is further survived by her 5 sisters and their spouses, nieces, nephews other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by 1 brother.

In accordance with Mary's wishes and due to the COVID-19 Pandemic private

services will be held for the immediate family. A Celebration of her life will be planned at a later date.

The family would like offer a warm note of appreciation to the 5th floor ICCVU Unit for all of the loving care and devotion shown to Mary's care. Also, a special thank you to the first responders for gently taking care of her~ your kindness and compassion meant so much.