



## Gladys D. Goreham

September 15, 1939 - June 25, 2024

Gladys D. Goreham, age 84 of River Falls, WI and formerly of Kankakee passed away on Tuesday, June 25, 2024, at Bay Harbor of River Falls. She was born on September 15, 1939, in Hamtramck, MI, the daughter of Walter and Lottie (Grzebyk) Baranowski. Gladys married Wilfred J. Goreham Jr., on June 6, 1959, at the St. Anne Catholic Church, St. Anne, IL. He preceded her in death on October 11, 2005.

Gladys became the publisher of the St. Anne Record newspaper following her husband's death in 2005.

Gladys was a parishioner at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Kankakee.

Gladys was a member of the St. Patrick's Church Choir, a lector at Mass, and an avid volunteer at the church. She enjoyed doing crossword puzzles, coloring, arts and crafts, knitting and crocheting. Most of all, she enjoyed volunteering at and attending all her daughters' music activities when they were young.

Surviving is one daughter and two sons-in-law, Janine (Mark) Reich of Beldenville, WI, Curt Benson of Janesville, WI; one sister, Joanne Yarneau of Beaverville, IL; one brother, Donald Baranowski of Bradley, IL; five grandchildren, Erik Benson, Kyle Reich, Brian Reich, Anna (Joshua) Raine, Elizabeth Benson; one cousin, Gary (Sue) Polonis of Clinton Township, MI; and several nieces and nephews.

Gladys is preceded in death by her husband, Wilfred J. Goreham Jr., one daughter, Julie Benson; one granddaughter, Kristin Benson; and one great

granddaughter, Hannah Huseman.

Visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 2, 2024 at Clancy-Gernon Hertz Funeral Home, Kankakee. A funeral mass will be celebrated at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, July 3, 2024 at St. Patrick Catholic Church, Kankakee. Burial will follow at Mt. Calvary Cemetery, Kankakee.

Memorials may be made to St. Croix Hospice ([www.hospicesupportfoundation.org](http://www.hospicesupportfoundation.org)) or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital

Please sign her guestbook at [www.clancygernon.com](http://www.clancygernon.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Mount Calvary

2000 E. Court St.  
Kankakee, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 2. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home  
1480 W. Court St.  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
(815) 932-1214  
cgfuneral@gmail.com

## Funeral Mass

JUL 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Patrick Catholic Church  
428 S. Indiana  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
(815) 932-6716

# Tribute Wall

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“ *The Blums lit a candle in memory of Gladys  
D. Goreham*



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**The Blums** - June 30, 2024 at 11:11 AM