



Sandra L. Hassberg

March 10, 1941 - April 27, 2017

Mercer, Wis. – Sandra Engler Hassberg, of Mercer, died at her home on Thursday, April 27, 2017,

Sandra (Sandy) was born March 10, 1941 to Ethelynn Johnson of Waukegan, Illinois. She attended schools in Germany and in Waukegan.

On June 24, 1961, Sandy married Alan Engler of Webster Groves, Mo.

Following Alan's discharge from the US Navy they lived in Waukegan, Illinois.

In August of 1971 Sandy, Alan, and their two children moved to Mercer, Wisconsin. Throughout the years Sandy worked for Tri-State Homes, Northern Highland State Bank, and the Marshfield Clinic. She had a small day care in her home which welcomed numerous children and their families, and who eventually became extended family.

In addition to working outside the home, Sandy was a wonderful and loving homemaker for her family. She was involved in the Faith Lutheran Church in Mercer as well as a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church in Boulder Junction. In her younger years in Mercer, she played on the Mercer Shell Girls' Softball team, and bowled with friends in a weekly league.

After Alan's death in 1996, Sandy married Hubert "Dick" Hassberg. Together they enjoyed spending summers fishing in Detroit Lakes, Minnesota. And it was with Dick that she became interested in, and enjoyed fishing.

Survivors include her husband, Dick; a son, Todd (Mary) of Mercer; a daughter, Tammi (Bill) Burkart of Fond du Lac, Wisconsin; grandchildren, D'Kota and Lexi Engler, Alan and Sam Burkart; the children and grandchild of

the Hassberg family.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Alan, two infant daughters, and her mother.

Sandy was a wonderful loving wife, mother, and grandmother. She will be greatly missed by her family and friends.

Visitation will be held at the Faith Lutheran Church in Mercer on Saturday, May 6, 2017 at 10:00am. A memorial service will be held at 11:00am, the Rev. Paul Devenatier officiating.

Fellowship and luncheon will follow.

Memorials may be directed to either the Mercer Ambulance Service or Faith Lutheran Church in Mercer.

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering

MAY 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Faith Lutheran Church
2701 W. Kichak's Landing Road
Mercer, WI 54547

Memorial Service

MAY 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Todd, Mary & Family, We were so sorry to learn that Sandy passed away. We shall keep all of you in our prayers during this most difficult time. Sandy will be greatly missed. Sandy & Rich Gilarski*



Sandy & Rich Gilarski - May 08, 2017 at 05:21 PM

KJ

“ *I was so saddened to read of Sandy's passing. I first met her in 1996 at the Dr. Kate grief support group. She was always such a good friend to all, she will truly be missed. May she Rest In Peace. My sincere condolences to the family and many friends of Sandy.*



Ken Jacobson - May 07, 2017 at 01:13 PM

“ Is difficult to say in writing what's truly in my heart but my Prayers and love are there with her daughter Tammi, son Todd and all their family. My sympathies to her husband Dick and family also. Sandy help did teach me how to dance, gave me her scrap book of her Hollywood clippings, attended my Girls Athletic Association banquet because my mom hated going to those. So Sandy always went in her place. She gave me many special "sisterly" advice and lots of love. I was honored to have held her sweet daughter Carrie and later after she had Tammi, while we were in CO. she called to talk to my husband Michael, she didn't want to tell me that her sweet daughter Tracy went to the Lord to be with sister Carrie. I was due with my 1st daughter Lynn at this time. She told me "Tammi" will have a brother or sister, I promise. When Todd came into the family, I knew there would be a lot of fun laughter. Sandy went to Jewel and bought me a pink hooded sweatshirt, white gown, and socks for my daughter Lori to come home from being born there in Waukegan. We laughed because that was the only clothes she get in order for me to quickly go home that day. These are some of the stories that stay in my memories. There never ever was a time that I didn't laugh with her when we were together. Grandma Johnson, My folks Tom and Shirley Smith, brother Tom and family, My daughters families, Lynn, Mark, Ryann, Jason Eberle; Lori Ludas, Dr. Melissa LoPinto, Charlotte, Dylan, Juliette LoPinto-Ludas all loved Sandy dearly. That is how thoughtful she was. She had a heart that was overflowing with generosity and compassion for others. God answered my Prayers again and I believe she was guided to the Heavens by her Angels, (Her Mom, Alan, her daughters, her dad, and other family members who were waiting for her. Their spirits help her transition into another entity of living. I believe some of her 4 legged loves where there too, Lassie, Corky, Pumpkin etc.) I will in spirit see my sweet cousin Sandy again, just as I believe I will again be with my Michael and family. May her memories and stories continue through the generations with love. Peace and Prayers to all her family, and to all who were Honored to know her. With all my love, cousin Geraldine (Gerrie Smith) Ludas

Gerrie Ludas - May 06, 2017 at 01:39 AM

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Gerrie Ludas - May 06, 2017 at 12:48 AM

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“ To my cousins Todd and Tammi and Sandy's husband Dick.. You and all your families are in our prayers and we know how difficult it is when losing someone so wonderful and gracious as my cousin was. When I was growing up in Waukegan, she was always helping our grandmother and grandpa Johnson. She lived with them during her highschool years and many times played catch with me and tried to teach me how to dance the most popular dances of the times in the late 50s and early 60s. I know she was a loving and caring mother , grandmother and wife. She was an amazing softball player, bowler and very good at any other sport or game she knew how to play. She was also my most favorite cousin. Our loving condolences along with our prayers are with all of you . I'm sorry we are not at this time able to be there with you all but I know that she is in the arms of our Savior and Lord . Through Him and the Holy Spirit you will find comfort and peace. With our love Tom Jr and Norma

tom and norma smith (cousins to Sandy) - May 05, 2017 at 06:04 PM

RF

“ Riley Hassberg & Carolyn Doonan and family purchased the *Pretty Please* for the family of Sandra L. Hassberg.



Riley Hassberg & Carolyn Doonan and family - May 05, 2017
at 12:43 PM

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“ The Rand Family purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Sandra L. Hassberg.



The Rand Family - May 03, 2017 at 10:07 AM



“ Summer's Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sandra L. Hassberg.



May 02, 2017 at 09:18 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sandra L. Hassberg.



May 02, 2017 at 06:54 AM