

Sharon Marie (Hazzard) Johnson, 77, of Gladstone, passed away peacefully, Thursday April 21, 2016.

Sharon was born Sept. 25, 1938, in Bad Axe, the daughter of Lesly and Fern (Cutler) Hazzard.

She was raised in Bad Axe and graduated from Bad Axe High School in 1956. Sharon was employed at Northwestern Bell Telephone Company in both Minneapolis, Minnesota and Saginaw. She married Raymond Johnson on Dec. 19, 1959, and together they raised three children.

Sharon loved music, antique dishes, spending time with family and friends, baking, knitting, crocheting and traveling. She enjoyed a competitive game of Rook, shopping at Farmer's Markets and meeting new people. Friends were always welcome in her home. Sharon always wrote a poem to include with her Christmas cards and thoroughly enjoyed receiving cards from friends and family.

Sharon is survived by her husband, Raymond Johnson; son, Bruce (Corine) Johnson of Ramsey, Minnesota; daughters, Wendy (Rob) Manthey of Buffalo, Minnesota and Jennifer (Jeff) Haase of Kalamazoo; six grandchildren, Erin (Matt), Danielle (Nathan), Kaleigh (Justin), Zach, Kelsie (Cody), Nick; brothers, Ronald (Lucia) Hazzard of Stillwater, Oklahoma and John (Alison) Hazzard of Okemos; sisters, Phyllis (Bob) Seiler of Madison, Wisconsin, Janet (Roger) Crosthwaite of Lansing, Joyce Larsen of Racine, Wisconsin and Linda (Paul) Elandt of Port Hope and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Lesly and Fern.

Funeral services will be at 4 p.m. on Monday at the United Evangelical Covenant Church with Pastor Nathan Langager officiating. Sharon will be laid to rest in the Fernwood Cemetery in Gladstone. A luncheon will be served following funeral services.

Visitation will be from 2 to 4 p.m. Monday at the United Evangelical Covenant Church in Gladstone.

Memorial contributions may be directed to Grace on Wings P.O. Box 42788 Indianapolis, Indiana 46242 or the United Evangelical Covenant Church in Gladstone.

Envelopes will be available throughout visitation or at the Skradski Family Funeral Homes of Delta County.