

Mary Jane Yaroch, 64, of Saginaw, died Friday, Sept. 27, 2013, at her home.

She was born Nov. 21, 1948, in Bad Axe, the daughter of the late Edwin and Christine (Byarski) Yaroch.

Mary Jane was a 1966 graduate of Marlette High School and earned her bachelor's degree and master's degree in education from Central Michigan University.

She was an elementary teacher and principal at Carleton Public Schools. She also taught at Escola Graduato Do Sau Paolo in Brazil and for the past five years she worked for the Saginaw Valley Rehabilitation Center.

Mary Jane was a member of St. Michael's Catholic Church in Port Austin and volunteered at the Port Austin American Legion.

She is survived by brothers, Robert and Joanne Yaroch of Marlette, and Ronald and Jeanette Yaroch of Marlette; nephews, Tom and Tricia Yaroch of Marlette, Doug Yaroch of Novi, Justin Yaroch of Camp Pendleton USMC; nieces, Katie Yaroch of Lansing, Chelsea Yaroch of Marlette; special friends, Lynda Miller, Sharon Martin, and Mary Carriveau; many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 1, 2013, at the Holy Family Parish, St. Elizabeth Church in Marlette. Fr. Donald Eppenbrock will be officiating. Burial will be in the Marlette Cemetery in Marlette.

Visitation will take place from 2 to 8 p.m. on Sunday and from 4 to 7 p.m. on Monday at the Marsh Funeral Chapel in Marlette, and from 10 to 11 a.m. on Tuesday at the Church. A Rosary Service will take place at 7 p.m. on Monday at the funeral home.

Memorial suggestion to the American Cancer Society or any organization of the donor's personal choice.

Arrangements by Marsh Funeral Chapel, Marlette, www.marshfuneral.com.