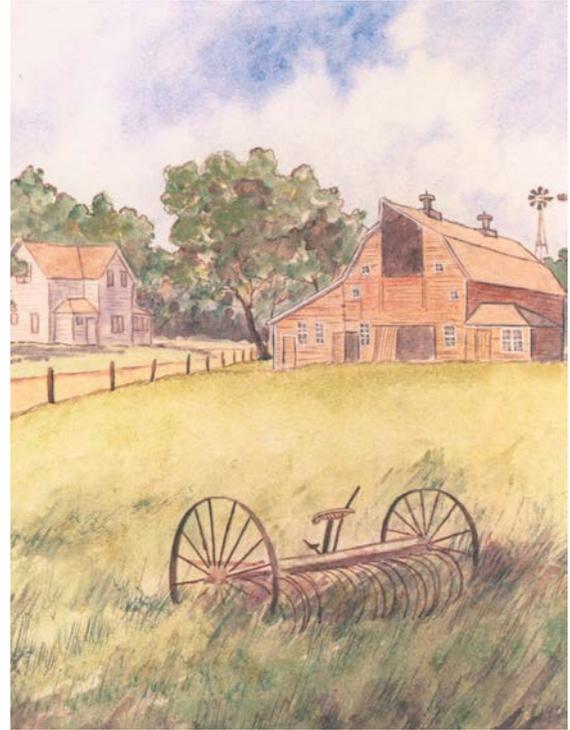


*A Mother holds
her children's
hands for
a while,
their hearts forever . . .*



*but I never knew
how much love
my heart could
hold until someone
called me GRANDMA.*

In Loving Memory



*Barb O'Kane
1945-2017*

Barbara L. "Barb" O' Kane, age 72 of Boscobel, passed away on Tuesday, October 31, 2017 at her home, surrounded by her family. She was born on February 10, 1945 in Boscobel. The daughter of H. Meade and Izora (Fossnow) Arms. She married Larry O' Kane on December 26, 1980 in Lancaster. He preceded her in death on June 16, 1998.

Barb started her own business, Superior Trophies, in 1989 and added Superior Storage in the late '90's. She started both of these business from the ground up into what are very successful businesses today. She was always willing to help and accommodate anyone's order-she was always there to please and help anyone she could. Barb started the youth bowling program here in Boscobel 38 years ago and was an active bowler herself for 40 plus years. She also enjoyed shooting pool on different women's pool leagues around the area. She implemented the Girl Scout program in Boscobel in 1972. She was also instrumental in starting the Head Start Program in 1968 here in Boscobel. She was active with the Boscobel Chamber for years. One of the biggest enjoyments she had was working the "Festival of Trees" for the Boscobel Community Christmas-the part that she enjoyed most was watching their eyes light up when the Boscobel Elementary School children came out to see the trees. That is what it is all about. She was always looking to help out or be active with so many different things. It was nothing for her to help out a young child who may have needed something, helping the youth was her passion. Her family was very important to her and she cherished them until the very end. Barb was the citizen of the year in 2016. Among several other awards, she also received the Chuck Yahn Memorial award from the Boscobel High School on June 4, 2006.

She is survived by her children, Crystal (Todd) Krachey of Wauzeka, Will (Lesley) O'Kane of Appleton, Trevor (Terri) O'Kane of Eastman; 10 grandchildren, Steven M. (Ashley) McKillip, Brady T. Krachey, Dayne L. Krachey, Ian M.T. Riley (Samantha Larson), Destiny N. Riley, Emery L. Patten, Jacob B. O'Kane, Hannah L. O'Kane, Brett P. O' Kane, Evan D. O'Kane; two great-grandsons, Jason M. Kvamme, Carter S. McKillip; a sister, Mary Jo (Allen) Curtis, Boscobel; a brother-in-law, Dennis McClimans; many nieces and nephews; other family members; and a host of friends. She was preceded in death by her parents; a grandson, Michael Staskal; a sister, Kathy McClimans; a brother, Charles Arms; and an infant sister, Janice Arms.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, November 4, 2017 at 11 A.M. at the Kendall Funeral Home in Boscobel. Pastor Lynn Schreck is officiating. Burial will be in the Boscobel Cemetery. Friends may call on Friday, November 3, 2017 from 5-8 P.M. at the Kendall Funeral Home in Boscobel, and also on Saturday from 10 A.M. until the time of service. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to the Boscobel Rescue Squad, Boscobel Fire Department, or the Boscobel Youth Bowling.

In Memory Of **Barb O'Kane**

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Tuesday,
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Boscobel, Wisconsin
Saturday,
November 4, 2017
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Officiating
Pastor Lynn Schreck

Soloist
Tom Jones

At Rest
Boscobel, Cemetery
Boscobel, Wisconsin

Arrangements By
Kendall Funeral Service
Boscobel, Wisconsin