



## Dolores E. Suchy

December 28, 2020

Dolores E. (Sowa) Suchy, 91, passed away peacefully on Monday, December 28, 2020 at Mont Marie Healthcare Center. Born in East Hampton, NY, daughter of the late William, Sr. and Emilia (Wernik) Sowa, she was raised in Holyoke, was a communicant of Mater Dolorosa Church and attended its parish school. A graduate of Holyoke High School, Class of 1946, she continued her education at Bay Path College. Dolores married Robert, and after living briefly in Holyoke, they moved to Chicopee where they raised their family and shared their lives for seventy-two years. Dolores worked at Spaulding Sports Corp. as an executive secretary. She later moved on to the former Acme Chain (US Tsubaki Inc.) in Holyoke, where she worked for thirty years. She retired in 1992. Dolores always enjoyed her time at the Rhode Island shore, as well as her frequent visits with her husband to the Red Lion Inn in Stockbridge. She especially looked forward to visiting the Von Trapp Inn in Stowe, VT, remarking how beautiful and special it was. On a vacation to Austria she declared, "This is so beautiful! It reminds me of Stowe, VT." Needless to say, her favorite movie was "The Sound of Music". Dolores enjoyed her annual Christmas visit to New York City with special friends Helen and Pauline, taking in the excitement of the shopping, the lights, and the hustle and bustle of big city life. Above all else, the center of Dolores' life was her family and she prioritized her best times, those spent with her boys and grandchildren. Dolores was predeceased in April of this year by her beloved husband, Robert J. Suchy, and is survived by her loving sons, Bruce E. Suchy of Enfield, CT and Brian W. Suchy and wife Joyce of Chicopee; five cherished grandchildren, Mark A. Suchy and wife Lauren of Newton, David M. Suchy and wife Samantha of Longmeadow, Carolyn A. Suchy of Los Angeles, CA, Christopher M. Suchy (Carly) of Enfield, CT, and Emma E. Suchy of Springfield; caring brother, William Sowa, Jr. of South Hadley; nieces, Cathy Richard and Lisa Cardinal, and nephew, William Sowa, III and wife Brenda. Dolores' family would like to thank the entire staff of Mont Marie Healthcare for the kindness and exceptional care provided to their mom and grandma. Funeral services and burial for Dolores were held privately for the family. Memorial contributions may be made to the Dominican Monastery of the Mother of God, 1430 Riverdale St., West Springfield, MA 01089

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