



Ruth M. Kulig

February 11, 1937 - April 8, 2020

Ruth M. (Chalinowski) Kulig, 83, passed away peacefully at home on Wednesday, April 8, 2020, with her loving family at her side. Born February 11, 1937, daughter of the late Julian and Julie (Koczwara) Chalinowski, she was a lifelong Chicopee resident. Ruth was a communicant of the Basilica of St. Stanislaus, Bishop & Martyr, and retired after many years of service as an office administrator for Baystate Gas Co. She cherished special times with her family and greatly enjoyed traveling. Ruth is survived by her beloved husband, Joseph S. Kulig; loving children, Kimberly A. Kulig and companion Carlette Woods of Houston, TX, Christine R. Kulig- White and husband Michael P. White, Sr. of Glendale, AZ, and Stephen J. Kulig of Chicopee; cherished grandchildren, Michael P. White, Jr. and wife Alyssa of Oak Point, TX and Alexis K. White of Northampton; closest friends, Shirley Picard and Helen Bushey, both of Chicopee; special family friend, Sonja Grinuk of Chicopee; and her beloved dog, Molly. Funeral services for Ruth will be held privately, with a celebration of life at a later date to be determined. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or the Thomas J. O'Connor Animal Control and Adoption Center, 624 Cottage St., Springfield, MA 01104.