



Edna M. Janderwski

October 8, 1928 - September 30, 2025

Edna M. Janderwski, age 96 of Farwell, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, September 30, 2025 at the North Woods Nursing Center of Farwell, surrounded by her family. On October 8, 1928, Edna was born the daughter of Alfred and Hazel (Liphard) Harrington in Midland, MI. Edna was a graduate of the Midland High School Class of 1946, and Midland remained home for her until she moved with her family to Clare in the 1980's. Edna found her first love shortly after graduating high school and was married to Harry D. Linton, Sr. on November 17, 1946 and together they enjoyed raising four children and thirty years of marriage until the time of Harry's passing in 1977. Years after Harry's passing, Edna was united in marriage to Max Rauschenberger in the late 1980's and together they shared companionship until Max passed in 2007. In 2010, Edna was married to Carl Janderwski, and for the third time she was able to have companionship until Carl's passing in 2015. During her working years, Edna prided herself in her homemaking and enjoyed time spent tending to her children. She had a passion for crocheting, baking, and cooking, and also loved dancing (especially square dancing) in her younger years as well as camping across the wonderful state of Michigan.

Edna is survived by children Larry (Beverly) Linton of Midland, Floyd Linton of Chicago, IL., Nancy (Lonnie) Johnson of Midland, and Cheryl Rauschenberger of Mt. Morris, MI, her daughter-in-law Karen Linton of Farwell, many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great-grandchildren. Edna was preceded in death by her husbands Harry D. Linton,

Sr., Max Rauschenberger, and Carl Janderwski, her parents Alfred and Hazel Harrington, her sons Harry D. Linton, Jr and Harold Rauschenberger, her daughter-in-law Aida Linton, and her siblings Alfred and Orva Harrington, Mary Hoverman, Frances Haney, Lillian Rinker, and Emil Liphard.

A memorial service in honor of Edna will take place at the Clare Assembly of God Church on Sunday, Oct. 12, 2025 at 3:00 PM. Private interment will take place in the Midland County's Lee Township Cemetery, where Edna will be laid to rest beside her first husband Harry D. Linton, Sr. Memorial contributions in honor of Edna may be directed to the Clare Assembly of God Church. For those unable to attend services, online condolences may be shared at www.stephenson-wyman.com

Cemetery Details

Lee Township Cemetery

724 S. Nine Mile Rd.
Midland, MI 48640

Previous Events

Funeral Service

OCT **12**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Clare Assembly of God
3557 E. Colonville
Clare, MI 48617

Tribute Wall



“ We moved to Mount Pleasant in 1997 and found Isabella Baptist Church a block from where we were renting. We loved the warm welcome from Pastor Max and Edna and never left that church. When we had our first child far from our own families in 1999, our church was our family. Edna was such a kind and loving grandma to us, always the example of fearless hospitality and boundless love for others.

We were family. Three states, 9 more children and 25 years later, we have kept this relationship with grandma Edna. In ‘21 we took a road trip, and she was able to meet all of the children and we lunched together at the Dougherty. That was our last time to see her — only phone calls and prayers since that summer, but Grandma Edna will forever be the inspiration of so many generations that called her “Grandma.” Always in our hearts— Love you, Grandma.

Hope Kuckel - December 16, 2025 at 10:35 AM

SJ

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Scott Jordan - October 03, 2025 at 04:46 PM

SJ

Edna was at Ruth's birthday party that we threw for her.

Scott Jordan - October 03, 2025 at 04:47 PM

MZ

“ Edna was someone I got to know in the apartments she and my sister lived in. She was so good to Mary. I loved going to visit her and enjoyed her stories. I lost track of her when she went to the nursing home. I know she will be missed by many in her family. Rest easy Edna and hug Mary as you reunite

maggie zinser - October 03, 2025 at 02:58 PM

KT

“ Too many memories to share, growing up she was a second mother, she got us into 4H square dancing when we were kids. Always enjoyed dinner there, she was a good cook. It was great to take dad over to see her and share memories before he passed. One spunky lady for sure! Rest in peace.

Karen Thurlow - October 02, 2025 at 09:47 PM

SS

“ I absolutely adored Ms Edna from the first moment I met her at Northwoods. She was super sweet and always took the time to come talk with me and give me a great big hug. She will be greatly missed!



Stephanie Steinert - October 02, 2025 at 07:19 PM

BL

“ Mamma, I Love you very much and Miss you. Tell Dad's and Dale and Uncle Orva we said Hi See you at the Gages.

Beverly Linton - October 02, 2025 at 05:55 PM

BA

“ *From the first moment I laid eyes on her at Northwoods nursing home, I knew we would be long lasting friends. I will miss her greatly. I love her with my whole heart.*

Bridget Adkins - October 02, 2025 at 04:57 PM