



## Patricia M Stitak

February 27, 1947 - June 25, 2024

Patrica M. Stitak (nee Gonas), 77, formerly of Beecher passed away on Tuesday June 25, 2024, at her residence after a lengthy illness.

Patrica was born February 27, 1947, in Lorain, Ohio, the daughter of Edward and Mary (Settle mire) Gonas. She was a graduate of Admiral King High School of Lorain.

Patricia retired from Old Plank Trail (formerly First United Bank) in Crete where she was employed as a teller. Patricia enjoyed the customers. After retirement, Patricia moved to Manteno. She enjoyed spending time with her family. Her hobbies were cooking, gardening, and exercising. She always looked forward to playing cards and socializing with her friends. She was known for her bubbly personality and her infectious smile that lit up the room.

Patricia, loving mother of two daughters Jennifer (Harry) Schmidt of Manteno, and Karen Sendera of Orland Park; devoted grandmother to Shayne, Nicole, Sara and Joshua; and dearest sister Linda (Jim) Teets of Lorain, Ohio.

She is proceeded in death by her late husband, Jarrett in 2001; father, Edward Gonas in 2006, mother, Mary Gonas (nee Settle mire) in 2007.

A visitation to celebrate Patricia's life will be held on Sunday, July 21, 2024, at

Hack-Jensen Funeral Home in Beecher starting at 1pm until the memorial service at 3pm. Patricia will be laid to rest privately at Skyline Memorial Park in Monee beside her loving husband, Jarrett.

In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting donations be made in her honor to [ALSUnitedChicago.org](http://ALSUnitedChicago.org).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 21. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Hack-Jensen Funeral Home  
753 Hodges Street  
Beecher, IL 60401  
jensenfuneralhomes@yahoo.com  
<http://Hackfuneralhome.com>

## Memorial Service

JUL 21. 3:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

ED

“ Hello old friend, I miss you dearly.



Edith Douglass - October 22, 2024 at 11:23 AM

DD

“ Dresden Security Department purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Patricia M Stitak.



Dresden Security Department - July 11, 2024 at 08:01 AM

DD

“ Dresden Security Department planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia M Stitak.

Dresden Security Department - July 11, 2024 at 08:01 AM



“ Celebration of Life Heart Ash Holder 18" Necklace was purchased for the family of Patricia M Stitak.



July 09, 2024 at 02:31 PM

JS

“ Jennifer S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia M Stitak.

Jennifer S. - July 09, 2024 at 02:31 PM

UL

“ Uncle Jim & Aunt Linda purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Patricia M Stitak.



Uncle Jim & Aunt Linda - July 09, 2024 at 11:29 AM

AG

“ Dear Jen and Karen,  
I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your mom. You and your families were her pride and joy. She shared pictures showing your visits and displaying her fun loving attitude and smile even during her battle with ALS. She handled the disease with grace and peace. She shared her faith in Jesus which was an inspiration to me. HE is our Hope. May HE give you HIS peace during this time and the days ahead. You will be in my prayers.  
Love in Christ,  
Albert Gonas

Albert Gonas - July 05, 2024 at 10:04 AM

DN

“ Pat was so sweet, and I would talk to her when she lived next to Roy and Pat Stamp in Beecher

Dorie Nurmi - July 05, 2024 at 09:24 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Patricia M Stitak.*



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June 28, 2024 at 07:51 PM



“ *Dearest Jen, Karen and family, Peace and love during this difficult time. From aunt Dolly (Darlene) and children,*



*(cousins) Frank, Pamela, Lisa, Mary, Melanie, Deidrie, Monica and their families.*

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**mary margaret jachym** - June 27, 2024 at 05:16 PM

MJ

“ Dearest Jen, Karen and Family, So sorry to hear the news about our beloved Aunt Pat. She was a blast...Always including us during holiday parties and impromptu gatherings when living in Lorain .I will never forget how classy she dressed and her frugal ways! When she first obtained her drivers license, she packed us up in Jarrets car and took us all for a ride, way before you kids were born. She was such a great listener and never judged..but had a way to light the way for the correct route in life's experiences. Her laugh and zest for life was wonderful. She always was kind to her sister in law, our mother, Darlene and her brother in law, Walter. She would come over for coffee, sometimes with your dad, Jarrett. Her love for you kids and our family was evident! We will always keep praying for her, Jarrett and you, the Stitak family tree. May God hold all of you close during this tough time. You are loved! Sincerely, your cousin Mary Margaret Jachym



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mary margaret jachym - June 27, 2024 at 04:57 PM

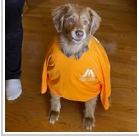
RH

“ We are sorry to hear of Pat's passing. She was my mother Geraldine Hagenow's neighbor. We always talked with Pat when we visited my mother. Later she would be my mother's neighbor again when they were both at Bickford House. We made a point to always see Pat when we were there as well. We know Pat went through a lot in the past few years so take solace to know that her suffering has ended. Our sympathy to all.

Ron and Mary Ann Hagenow

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Ron Hagenow - June 27, 2024 at 07:56 AM



“ *Deepest sympathy to Pat's family from the staff at Main Street Pharmacy. She was a sweet woman and it was an honor to take care of her.*

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**Eric Urbanowski** - June 26, 2024 at 04:55 PM