



## Mary Jane Martinez

June 9, 1945 - August 12, 2023

Mary Jane (Janie) Martinez, age 78, of Bad Axe, passed away on Saturday, August 12, 2023 with her children by her side.

Janie was born on June 9, 1945 in Marquette, MI, daughter of the late Wilbert and Carabelle (Smith) Eisinger.

Janie graduated from Bad Axe High School in 1963. She married Guadalupe (Lupe) Martinez on April 17, 1965. Janie held many occupations over the years ranging from factory work at the old "Seat Belt" in Bad Axe to retail work at Norman's and later retiring from Bad Axe Walmart.

Janie had an imagination that surprised all those close to her especially her children and closest friends. She was an expert of making much out of little to nothing. She enjoyed sewing and making Halloween and Christmas costumes for not only herself but family members, card boxes for weddings and graduations, cooking, doing word searches and was a collector of many things. She loved spending time with her family and friends no matter the function. One of her passions was dancing and she could always be found on the dance floor with friends and family wherever there was music. Her children and grandchildren were her life and she enjoyed spending as much time with them as possible.

Mary is survived by one son, Paul Martinez of Bad Axe, and three daughters, Kimberly (Vincent) Salcido of Cass City, Carla (Lauren) Langley of Bad Axe and Jayne Martinez of Bad Axe. Fifteen grandchildren: Thomas, Brianna, Nathaniel, Elizabeth, Marianna, Vincent, Kyle, Michael, Bradley, Cassandra, Loren, Logan, Landon, Liam and Alexis and sixteen great grandchildren. She is also survived by her siblings Ann Hubbard, Margart Baslock, Barbara Haag, Richard (Helen) Eisinger, William (Joan) Eisinger and David Eisinger.

She was preceded in death by her parents and siblings Robert, James, Wilbur and Beverly, brother-in-laws Robert Hubbard and Richard Baslock.

A funeral service will be held on Thursday at 11 am at the Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe. Burial will be in Colfax Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Wednesday from 4 – 8 or Thursday from 10 am until the service time at 11 am.

# Cemetery Details

## Colfax Township

Bad Axe, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **16**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Kaufman & Co. Funeral Home, Inc.  
84 Westland Dr  
Bad Axe, MI 48413  
(989) 269-3000  
kaufmanfuneralhome@gmail.com

## Visitation

AUG **17**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

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AUG 17. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Jane Martinez.* ”



August 16, 2023 at 10:58 AM



“ *Donna Storckle sent a virtual gift in memory of Mary Jane Martinez* ”



**donna storckle** - August 14, 2023 at 10:46 PM



“ *I'm deeply sorry for the loss of your Mom. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Lisa Wiley Ecker* ”



**Lisa Wiley Ecker** - August 14, 2023 at 01:09 PM



“ *Jayne and family, so sorry to her of your mom's passing. She was quite a lady! Keeping you in my prayers as you go thru this hard time. I'm sure she will be missed dearly.* ”

**Cindy Sturgis** - August 14, 2023 at 12:31 PM



“ *RachelMarie Ignash sent a virtual gift in memory of Mary Jane Martinez*



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**RachelMarie Ignash** - August 14, 2023 at 11:38 AM

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“ *Our Condolences to the Family! Heaven received such a sweet lady! Sending prayers during this difficult time!*



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**Amy & Isiah Sageman** - August 14, 2023 at 11:21 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary Jane Martinez.*



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August 14, 2023 at 11:07 AM

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“ *Marge Lemanski sent a virtual gift in memory of Mary Jane Martinez*



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**Marge Lemanski** - August 14, 2023 at 07:44 AM