



## Norma Jean Waldsmith

March 9, 1932 - October 14, 2021

Norma J. Waldsmith, 89, of Richland Center passed away peacefully on Thursday, October 14, 2021, at Pine Valley Community Village in Richland Center. She was born on March 9, 1932, near Dayton Ridge Richland County, the daughter of William and Alma (Wenzel) Duhr. On October 8, 1955, she married James Waldsmith and he preceded her on death on December 2, 1999. Norma worked at the Richland Medical Center as an X-ray technician.

Survivors include many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; 2 sisters, Doris Hentschel, Dorothy Thiede; 3 brothers, Robert, Arnold, and Raymond Duhr.

Funeral service will be held on Thursday, October 21, 2021, at Noon at the Clary Memorial Funeral Home in Richland Center. Burial will follow at the Basswood Cemetery. Friends may call on Thursday, October 21, 2021, at the Clary Memorial Funeral Home from 11:00 AM until the time of services. Memorials can be made to a charity of your choice. [www.clarymemorialfuneralhome.com](http://www.clarymemorialfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Basswood Cemetery

30274 County Hwy E  
Muscodas, WI 53573  
Pam Hanson

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 21. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Clary Memorial Funeral & Cremation Service, LLC  
26777 Jelland Drive  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ Aunt Norma helped me through some painful (at least I found them to be) medical procedures when I was an early grade schooler. I was in the hospital for an appendectomy. Because my appendix had been close to rupturing, the surgeons inserted a tube that had to be tugged out a bit several times a day. It hurt, a lot! After the first couple times, I decided that nobody could touch that tube until Aunt Norma could leave her medical post, come to my room, and let me hold her hand. I'm guessing those "clench marks" lasted a long, long time.

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Vicki - October 20, 2021 at 05:10 PM

JR

“ I am so sad to hear of Norma's passing. I always enjoyed talking to her.

Norma and Jim were our next door neighbors in Richland Center. In fact they purchased their house from my grandmother when I was very small. It was always fun to see them and hear about their trips in their camper. I remember their beagles Bonnie Lee and Silky Sullivan.

One of the last times I was in Richland Center I stopped by Norma's house and we had a very nice chat. A very nice friend.

I will miss you Norma.

Jim Rinehart  
Indianapolis, Indiana  
Jrrinehart@aol.com

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Jim Rinehart - October 17, 2021 at 11:16 AM

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Steve and Lori Beatty - October 16, 2021 at 08:40 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Norma Jean Waldsmith.*



October 16, 2021 at 02:50 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Norma Jean Waldsmith.*



October 15, 2021 at 11:36 PM

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“ *A memory that I cherish the most is when Great Aunt Norma and Great Uncle James came down to Arizona to visit. We meet them at a Chinese food restaurant, I wore a blue silk shirt and Aunt Norma gave me a huge and she loved my shirt. I love you Aunt Norma you are in a better place and back together with Uncle James.*

*Love your Great nephew  
Christopher*

Christopher Smith - October 15, 2021 at 02:23 PM



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Clary Memorial Funeral Home - October 15, 2021 at 11:11 AM