



Patricia Ann Conklin

August 22, 1947 - June 30, 2025

Patricia A. Conklin, 77, of Bonita Springs, FL, died unexpectedly at her residence on June 30, 2025.

Patricia was born on August 22, 1947, in Harvey, IL, a daughter of the late Bruno and Lucille (née Hallberg) Samas. She relocated to Bonita Springs in 1973 from Des Plaines, IL, and had called it home ever since.

Over the years, Patricia pursued a variety of professional paths, but the work she cherished most was as a seamstress. Creative and independent, she took great pride in operating her own business and bringing beauty and practicality to others through her craft.

She was preceded in death by her beloved husband, James W. Conklin, who died on March 22, 2011, as well as by her parents.

Patricia is survived by her loving daughter, Nichol Lee Conklin, and her cherished granddaughter, Madison James Conklin, both of Bonita Springs, FL.

Known for her sharp wit and unapologetic sense of humor, Patricia left her family with clear instructions regarding a memorial service—“Hell no.” In keeping with her wishes, there will be no formal service. Her family asks instead that those who knew her remember her with a smile, a laugh, and a story that captures her spirited personality.

To sign her guest book or leave online condolences, please visit www.ShikanyFuneralHome.com.

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home, Family Owned and Operated Since 1978.