

THOSE PASSED FROM THE CLASS OF 1962

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Sandra Lee NOSTRANT Love (2023 -- 11/1/2023)
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Peter J. Root (2018 — 6/18/2018)
Joyce Anne RUZGIS Lyon (2015 — 5/31/2015)
David W. Sawyer (2014 -- 9/8/2014)
Woody Schultz (NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE.)

Joanne Seymour (NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE.)

Patricia Ann SHOCKLEY Kelley (2019 -- 9/17/2019)

Floyd Donald Slocum (2021 -- 3/25/2021)

Donald Glenn Smith (2018 — 12/20/2018)

Daniel Sonnenberg (2018 -- 10/5/2018)

Richard Wallace (2011 — 12/26/2011)

Jennifer WILTON Colladay (2008 — 6/6/2008)



Class of 1962

Richard William Baker

DATE OF PASSING: December 9, 2023 (Aged 79)

Richard William Baker, 79, of Lansing, Michigan., passed away on December 9, 2023 in Eolia, Mo.

A Celebration of Life will be held in March.

Richard attended Grand Ledge High School graduating in 1962.

He worked for General Motors.

He served in the U.S. Army.

(NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE.)



John Kenneth Bauer

July 28, 1943 — May 12, 2021 (Aged 77)

John Kenneth Bauer was born in a Virginia Navy Hospital while his dad was deployed on July 28, 1943 to Raymond and Mildred Bauer. He passed away at home on May 12, 2021 after a long illness.

John was retired from Jet Engineering as a welder and machine repair machinist. He enjoyed travel, hunting, fishing and spending time on his boat the Eagle's Nest. John loved a good time with family and friends often while tipping a Miller High Life.

He was preceded in death by his parents; sisters Mary, Penny and Sandy, sister-in-law Pamela, and stepson John Rossow.

He is survived by his loving wife Patricia; brother Raymond; brothers-in-law Ray Knepp and Mike (Jan) Mowery; stepdaughters Lynn (Greg) Kiter and Jennifer Rossow; grandchildren Leann (Matt); Jake (Donielle); and Mark Schaefer; great granddaughters Lilah and Caroline Schaefer and many nieces, nephews and friends, including special friend Mike Cooke.

Private services will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to Sparrow Hospice, 1210 W Saginaw St, Lansing, MI 48915. The family has entrusted arrangements to Peters & Murray Funeral Home, Grand Ledge. For online condolences please visit www.petersandmurrayfuneralhome.com



Barbara Beech Thompson

DATE OF PASSING: 6/22/2017

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Barbara J. Thompson, 72, born September 28, 1944 in Grand Ledge, MI, passed away peacefully at home June 22, 2017 in Delta Township. Barb provided daycare in her home for many years; a member of the Lansing Moose Lodge, and a former announcer at the East Lansing Go Cart Track. She enjoyed square dancing, crossword puzzles; loved to knit, her dogs, and especially loved spending time with her grandchildren.

She is survived by her husband of 53 years, John, daughter Karen (Otto) Stokes, sons Kenneth (Laura) and Michael (Alisa); 9 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren; brother Melburn (Carolyn) Beech, sisters Sharon Beech and Carol Rogers. She was predeceased by her parents, Merlin and Marjorie (Rhoades) Beech.

A funeral service will be held Monday, June 26, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. at Peters & Murray Funeral Home, Grand Ledge. Visitation will be held at the funeral home Sunday 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. For those wishing, memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Assoc. or American Cancer Society. Online condolences may be shared at www.petersandmurrayfuneralhome.com



Roger Lee Bennett

DATE OF PASSING: 9/24/1997

Class of 1962

Birth 25 Dec 1943

USA

Death 24 Sep 1997 (aged 53)

Burial: Oakwood Cemetery

Grand Ledge, Eaton County, Michigan, USA



Mr. Bennett, age 53, passed away Wednesday, September 24, 1997 at his residence. He was born December 25, 1943 at Lansing; the son of Royal T. and Marie (Cushman) Bennett. Mr Bennett was a life time resident and owner of Asset Financial Services of Grand Ledge. He was a member of the Grand Ledge First United Methodist Church and the Grand Ledge Lions Club. A graduate of the Grand Ledge High School Class of 1962 and attended Lansing Business University. When he received his Eagle Scout award, he was the youngest person at the time to earn this honor. Mr. Bennett was an avid golfer and hunter. Survivors include his wife, Mary G; one son, Dale (Joanne) Bennett of West Bloomfield; 1 daughter, Lisa (Bob) Lefler of Lansing; mother, Marie Nunn of Lansing; 1 brother, Royal (Beverly) Bennett of Deer Lodge, TN; 1 sister, Carol Bennett of Pittsburgh, PA; father- and mother-in-law, Harold & Doris Maguire of Grand Ledge; brothers-in-law, Mickey (Donna) and Leo (Elva) Maguire, all of Grand Ledge; several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father, Royal; 1 brother, Barry; and step-father, Ray Nunn. Funeral services will be held Monday, September 29, 11 a.m. at the Grand Ledge First United Methodist Church, 411 Harrison St., with interment at the

Oakwood Cemetery, Grand Ledge. The family will receive friends at the Peters & Murray Funeral Home, Grand Ledge, Friday 7-9 p.m., Saturday 2-4 & 7-9 p.m., and Sunday 5-8 p.m. For those desiring, contributions to the Grand Ledge Lions Club, the Grand Ledge First United Methodist Church Memorial Fund, or to Hospice of Lansing would be greatly appreciated.



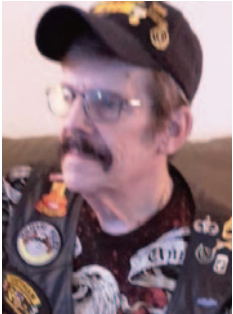
David Benson

DATE OF PASSING: January 11, 2020

David Benson passed away on January 11, 2020 in Florida. Dave was a 1962 graduate of Grand Ledge High School. After graduation he studied Political Science at Michigan State University. He was a Vietnam Veteran and a former Detention Officer at the city of Lansing Police Department.

He is survived by his wife Judie Huhn Benson.

(NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE AT THE TIME OF HIS PASSING.)



Carolyn Buonadono

DATE OF PASSING: UNKNOWN

(NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE.)



Phillip C. Briggs

Class of 1962

Phillip C. Briggs -- Monroe, MI

DATE OF PASSING: 12/12/2014

Phillip C. Briggs, 70 of Monroe, died at 11:58 am Friday in his home. He had been in poor health for one year.

Friends may call from 2 to 8 pm Monday at the Rupp Funeral Home where memorial services will be held at 11 am Tuesday with military honors provided by V.F.W. Post 1138 Monroe.

Born May 9, 1944 in Lansing, he was the son of Eugene W. and Agnes R. (Bauer) Briggs. He married Kathleen Ann Conroy on April 19, 1969 in Warren, Michigan.

Phillip proudly served his country during the Vietnam War in the U.S. Army from July 31, 1969 to January 31, 1972.

He was employed by the Ford Motor Company at the Rouge and Monroe Plants in Industrial Relations, retiring in December 1998.

He was a 1962 graduate of Grand Ledge High School, earned his Bachelor of Police Administration in 1967 and his Master of Labor Relations in 1969, both from Michigan State.

Phillip loved back packing and hiking and hiked the Appalachian Trail. He also enjoyed Bonsol Trees. His greatest enjoyment, though, was to be with his six grandchildren.

Surviving are his wife Kathleen; children Christopher P. (Lisa) Briggs of Newaygo, Michigan and Shay K. (Aaron) Briggs-Sternaman of Coloma, Michigan; grandchildren Emma E. Briggs, Sofia M. Briggs, Jack P. Briggs, Hudson E. Briggs-Sternaman, Charlie E. Briggs-Sternaman, and Maxwell L. Briggs-Sternaman; brothers John (Ester) Briggs of Alpena, Michigan and Thomas (Deb) Briggs of Grand Ledge, Michigan; and sister Patricia (Dean) Bredwell of Potterville, Michigan.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Memorials may be made to the Center for Life Enhancement Scholarship Fund or the Mercy Memorial Hospice.





Doreen "Carol" Brunette O'Boyle

Class of 1962

Birth 2 Mar 1944
Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan, USA
Death 6 May 2010 (aged 66)
Grand Ledge, Eaton County, Michigan, USA
Burial: Oakwood Cemetery
Grand Ledge, Eaton County, Michigan, USA

DATE OF PASSING: 5/6/2010



Carol, 66, of Grand Ledge, died Thursday. She was the daughter of Russell and Lorina Brunette.

She was a loving mother, grandmother and sister, and was preceded in death by her husband, Duane, and brother Don.

She is survived by daughters, Kim (Mike) Spagnuolo, Lisa (Steve) Kill, and Marcy (Adam) Baumgartner; grandchildren, Dustin Meyers, Nick and Baily Miller, Collin and Erika Spagnuolo; brothers, Richard, Gary (Maggie), Charles (Joanne), Kenneth (Marlene), Roger (Pauline), David (Linda), Danny (Mercedes), and Greg (Leona) Brunette; sister, Mary (Floyd) Reid; sister-in-law Sally Brunette; and many nieces and nephews.

A funeral mass was celebrated Monday 5-10-2010 at St. Michael Catholic Church, Grand Ledge by Rev. Fr. James Eisele. Contributions in memory of Carol may be made to the Capital Area Humane Society or St. Michaels Church. Arrangements were by Holihan-Atkin Funeral Home, Grand Ledge, MI.



Marilyn Buckley Antcliff

Class of 1962

Marilyn Kay Antcliff -- Charlotte

DATE OF PASSING: 10/5/2013

Marilyn Kay Antcliff, age 69, passed away October 5, 2013 in Charlotte, MI. She was born April 14, 1944 in Lansing, MI, daughter of the late Harold and Betty (Lamphere) Buckley. Marilyn was a retired secretary for the Grand Ledge Public Schools Alternative Education at Sawdon and attended the Wattles Park Baptist Church. She devoted her life to caring for her special needs son, James; adored her grandchildren; her family meant everything to her. She is survived by her sons Ronald P. II of Charlotte and Brian E. (Mary) of Portland, daughter Kelli J. (David) Aungst of Sunfield; 5 grandchildren: David II, Elizabeth, Aaron, Olivia, and Katilyn; 3 step grandchildren: Cody, Shelbie, and Madison. She was predeceased by her husband of 47 years, Ronald, son James, and brother Gail Buckley. A Funeral Service will be held Thursday, October 10, 2013 - 11:00 a.m. at the Peters & Murray Funeral Home, Grand Ledge, with Pastor Richard Collins, Wattles Park Baptist Church. Interment will follow at Sunfield Township Cemetery. Visitations will be held Wednesday from 4 - 8 p.m. at the funeral home. For those desiring, memorial contributions may be given to the Eaton Community Palliative Care or the Capital Area Humane Society. Online condolences may be shared at www.petersandmurrayfuneralhome.com



Peter P. Cantine

Class of 1962

Birth 12 Nov 1944
Albion, Calhoun County, Michigan, USA
Death 22 Feb 2001 (aged 56)
Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan, USA
Burial: Evergreen Cemetery
Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan, USA

DATE OF PASSING: 2/22/2001



Peter Cantine passed away at the age of 56 at Sparrow Hospital in Lansing.

Pete began as a typesetter for his mother and father, owners of the Grand Ledge Independent. In 1969, they sold the newspaper to Milliman Communications. Pete's entire career was involved in the newspaper business, with a bit of a side journey when he and his wife purchased PJ's Party Store at the corner of Mt. Hope and Marcy Road in Lansing. 1984, his career hit its high point as he was named the vice president and general manager of Lansing Community Newspapers.

Pete was a graduate of Ferris State University in Michigan.



Lynda M. Caswell Lewis

April 21, 1944 — July 9, 2020 (Aged 76)

Lynda M. Lewis longtime Grand Ledge resident went home to be with the Lord July 9, 2020 at home surrounded by her loving family. Lynda was born April 21, 1944 in Lansing, Michigan to the late R.J. and Irene (Grant) Caswell. She graduated from Grand Ledge High School Class of 1962 and stayed at home and raised two wonderful daughters. Lynda enjoyed the outdoors whether it was working in her flower gardens or taking family camping trips to Aloha State Park in Northern Michigan on Mullett Lake. Lynda had a real passion and great love for people and this was evident from the many areas she served others by her faithful service to the Lord. She was an active member of Liberty Church for nearly 57 years and taught Sunday School, the Firm Foundation Class and held bible studies in her home.

She is survived by her husband of fifty-five years, Gilmer; daughters, Jodi (Ibrahim) Sesay and Amy (Mark) Suchecki; grandsons, Darin and Brent Suchecki; sister, Raylene Walsh along with special friend, Rita (Robert) Tyler.

A funeral service will be held Tuesday, July 14, 2020, 12:00 p.m. at The Liberty Church, 12745 Georgia Avenue, Grand Ledge, Michigan 48837 with Pastor Robert R. Fisher, officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday at the church from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. Please come prepared masks are required for the service and visitation. Interment will follow at the Portland City Cemetery.

Memorial contributions in Lynda's name may be given to the Liberty Church. Arrangements by the Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home, Grand Ledge.



Georgia Ann Davis Benham

November 18, 1943 -- December 16, 1981 (Aged 38)

Burial: Deepdale Memorial Park
Delta Township, Eaton County, Michigan, USA

(NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE.)



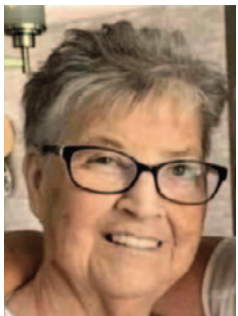
Sharyl Ann Dibeau Walling

May 13, 1944 ~ October 9, 2021 (age 77)

Sharyl Ann (Dibeau) Walling, passed October 9th at Sparrow Hospice House of Mid-Michigan, after a year-long struggle with liver cancer. She was born on May 13, 1944 and was raised on the family farm on Mt. Hope Hwy., between Creyts and Canal in Grand Ledge. Her passions included sitting in the sun, being at the beach, putting together puzzles, playing bingo and traveling. Although she was a private person, she loved to be social with those she let into her life. Her passing will be felt by many.

She was preceded in death by her parents John and Delorse Dibeau, her loving husband, Ronald Walling and her sister, Judy Sawyer. She is survived by her three children: Jackie (Charlie May) Franke, Jon (Suzanne Kuhn-Soper) Franke and Russell (Kathy) Franke, grandchildren, Josh and Abby (Shane Chandler) Franke and Brad and Lyndsi Teachout. Also surviving are her brothers, Jack, Richard and Robert Dibeau, sister, Dorothy (Jim) Pfister and many nieces and nephews.

Graveside services will be held at 12:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 23, 2021 at Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens, Lansing. Memorial contributions may be made to The American Liver Foundation in memory of Sharyl. Online condolences may be made at www.lehmanfuneralhomes.com.



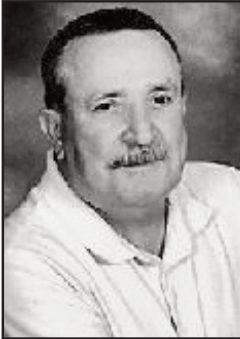


Terry Lee Duker

Class of 1962

DATE OF PASSING: 8/11/2013

Terry Lee Duker -- Grand Ledge



Terry Lee Duker, a loving father, grandfather and husband passed away on August 11, 2013. He was born December 23, 1943 in Lansing and lived in the Grand Ledge area. He loved his country, family and football. He believed in protecting his country and joined the Michigan National Guards just before he graduated from Grand Ledge High School in 1962. He served in the Guards for seven years. In 1963 he was one of the original co-founders of the Grand Ledge Pop Warner Football Program. It was important to him there be a great football program for his son to participate in. He coached in that program 14 years. Terry also coached JV football a few years and kept the varsity stats for over 35 years. He was very proud that Grand Ledge and Michigan wore the same colors! Terry's 2nd love was deer hunting. He never missed a year going north with his father and brothers. Later in life his greatest joy was taking his granddaughters hunting. Terry worked at GM and retired from EDS in 2005. Terry and Vicki celebrated 50 years of marriage on June 8th of this year. He is also survived by his son, Steven, daughter Kelly (Roger) Rueckert, grandchildren: Kayla (Shaun) Pohl, Stephanie and her fiance Kyle Beech, Ryan and Nick Rueckert and Madison Pohl; brother Richard, sisters: Barb (William) Swint, Deborah Fitchet, Suzanne Sparks; sister-in-law Deborah (Wilmot) Wood, brother-in-law John Hampton; several nieces and nephews, plus two foster daughters, Sarrah Azzawi and Susan Emfinger. Terry

was preceded in death by his parents, Howard and Maxine (Brown) Duker, brothers: Neil, Dean, Jerry and Kent. Funeral services will be held Friday, August 16, 2013 - 11:00 a.m. at the Grand Ledge First United Methodist Church, 411 Harrison St., with Pastor Betty Smith officiating. Interment will follow at Oakwood Cemetery, Grand Ledge. The family will receive friends Wednesday from 6-8 p.m. and Thursday 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. at the Peters & Murray Funeral Home, Grand Ledge. Memorial donations made to the Grand Ledge Quarter Back Club will be greatly appreciated. Online condolences may be shared at www.petersandmurrayfuneralhome.com.



James Heber Elliott

August 11, 1943 — March 2, 2002 (Aged 58)

DEATH: Allegan County, Michigan, USA

BURIAL : Deepdale Memorial Park

Delta Township, Eaton County, Michigan, USA

(NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE.)



Anthony James Farano

Class of 1962

DATE OF PASSING: 2018

NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE



Janet May Feldpausch Folkens

DATE OF PASSING: 7/28/2019

Class of 1962

Janet M. Folkens of DeWitt passed away July 28, 2019. Janet was born September 8, 1943 in Lansing, Michigan to the late John J. and Lucille M. (Lang) Feldpausch. She graduated from Grand Ledge High School Class of 1962 and went on to attend Lansing Community College. Janet retired as a Manager for the Michigan Secretary of State. She was the matriarch of the family and was the "glue" that kept everyone together. Janet enjoyed spending time with her family and was a proud mother and grandmother. She looked forward to spending time outdoors in the sun, shopping, traveling, watching westerns, enjoying the company of her cats and eating at restaurants with friends and family.

She is survived by her loving husband of over forty-one years, Dave; children, Tracee Slack, Melanie (Nathan) Lounds and Jason (Lacie) Folkens; grandchildren, Russell and Coty Slack, Quintin, Grace and Eliana Lounds and Clara Jaye Bloom Folkens. Janet was preceded in death by siblings, George Feldpausch, Evelyn Burleson, Anna Proctor, Pauline Lycos, Pearl Longanbach and Dorothy Eskilsen.

A Funeral service will be held Friday, August 2, 2019, 11:00 a.m. at the Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home,



Linda Finstrom Houseman

DATE OF PASSING: 1/30/2017

Class of 1962

Linda M. Houseman, 73, passed away at home January 30, 2017. She was born October 14, 1943 in Riverside, CA, daughter to Hartley and Delphine (Englehardt) Finstrom. Linda retired from the State of Michigan, Riverside Correctional Facility. She enjoyed plastic canvas sewing and baking with her grandchildren. Survivors include Mikjell I. Brown, sons Dennis Shaw and Scott Houseman; 8 grandchildren, sisters Carole VanEtten and Hilda Finstrom. She was preceded in death by her parents and brother Hartley Finstrom.

In honoring Linda's wishes, no services will be held. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Capital Area Humane Society, 7095 W. Grand River Ave., Lansing, MI 48906 or American Cancer Society, 1755 Abbey Road, East Lansing, MI 48823. The family is being served by the Peters & Murray Funeral Home, Grand Ledge.



Class of 1962

Richard (Dick) Jenkins

January 1944 — November 26, 2022 (Aged 78)

Richard (Dick) Jenkins, age 78, passed away on November 26, 2022 at Blodgett Hospital in Grand Rapids. He was hospitalized on Thanksgiving day for multi-system organ failure complicated by COVID-19. It was Dick's last wish to have his body donated to the U of M medical school.

Dick was a member of GLHS graduating class of 1962. He served in the United States Marine Corp from May, 1969 until his Honorable Discharge as a Corporal in September, 1970.

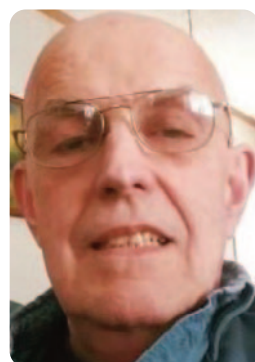
He was born on 17 January, 1944 to Richard H. and lola I. (Sawdy) Jenkins.

Besides his parents, he was predeceased by his Daughter, Erica Kristen Sharp.

Survivors include his son, Michael David Jenkins, his granddaughters, Madison Trule Sharp and Olivia Renee Sharp, and a great grandson, Eric James, all of Ohio.

Dick was a prolific artist and also spent untold hours researching the family genealogy.

In keeping with Dick's wishes there will not be any services.





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Linda Lou Johnson Kloepfer

January 17, 1944 — February 18, 2024 (Aged 80)

Linda Lou (Johnson) Kloepfer, age 80, went to meet the Lord on February 18, 2024 at Sparrow Hospital, after a battle with cancer.

Linda was born in Lansing, Michigan on January 17, 1944 to Verna and Leonard Johnson. After graduating from Grand Ledge High School, she was married to her high school sweetheart, Roger Kloepfer, from 1964 to 1980. She was employed by Michigan Mutual, Midwest Metal, and then Auto-Owner's Insurance Company for 30 years.

Linda lived in and around the Lansing area most of her life. She enjoyed reading, counted cross stitch, needlepoint, knitting, crocheting, scrap-booking, working on the computer and was an avid cat lover. Linda was a proud mother and grandmother and a devout Christian that loved the Lord as a member of the Seventh-Day Adventist Church of Lansing.



Linda is survived by her son, Brian (Kathlene) Kloepfer of Dimondale; daughter, Rebecca (William) Engelter of Parma; grandchildren, Christina (Kodi) Marsh, Spencer Engelter, Dustin Kloepfer and Allison Kloepfer; sister, Cheryl Johnson of Lansing; sister-

in-law, Dorothy of San Antonio; many nieces and nephews and former daughter-in-law, Deb Kloepfer. She is preceded in death by brothers, Harold and Lyle Johnson.

Family and friends are invited to a brief celebration of life service on Friday, March 1, 2024 at 2:00 PM at Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens, 4444 W Grand River Ave., Lansing.

In lieu of flowers, Linda would appreciate donations made to the Capital Area Humane Society, 7095 W Grand River Ave., Lansing, MI 48906, cahs-lansing.org



Andrew J. Kahlke

Class of 1962

Andrew J Kahlke (1943 - 2006)

Andrew J Kahlke was born on November 8, 1943. He died on November 9, 2006 at 63 years old.

We know that Andrew J Kahlke had been residing in Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan.

DATE OF PASSING: 11/9/2006



Betsy Jean Kebler Durham

July 14, 1944 — February 8, 2021 (Aged 76)

Betsy Jean Durham, born July 14, 1944 to Richard and Lola Kebler, passed away February 8, 2021. Betsy and her husband of 57 years, Allan, cultivated many friendships and good times as lifelong residents of Grand Ledge and Eagle.

Betsy graduated from Grand Ledge High School in 1962. One of Betsy's early endeavors was at The Eagle Inn, enjoying the people of the small town she cherished. She then spent 30 years as a Materials Handler for General Motors before retiring in 2006.

Betsy's most rewarding career was her Family. Whether it was hosting holidays, bringing our favorite foods to parties, or attending her grandchildren's many activities, she was always there to lend support and a helping hand.

As a longtime member of Grand Ledge Baptist Church, Betsy's faith, along with her family, guided her through a lengthy illness. Above all, her Grace will be remembered and admired by all who knew her. In this busy and chaotic world, Betsy was the steadfast strength and positive presence in our lives.

Her family was the center of her life and it was shown through the caring guidance and love given to her husband, Allan, children Brad (Wendy) Durham and Marcy (Jeff) Stump. She was a cherished and beloved Grandmother to Allan, Joshua, and Jason Durham and Allison and Madeline Stump. Also surviving are siblings Suzanne M. Cole and John (Doreen) Kebler and many nieces and nephews.

A private family service will be held. A public graveside service will be held at 2pm Thursday, February 11, 2021 at North Eagle Cemetery (12300 Grange Rd. Eagle, MI, 48822). A Celebration of Life will be determined at a later date. In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to Grand Ledge Baptist Church, P.O. Box 333, Grand Ledge, Michigan 48837 (<https://www.glbc.org/give-online/>) or The American Cancer Society, Mid-Michigan Office, 1755 Abbey Road, East Lansing, Michigan 48823 (<https://www.cancer.org/involved/donate/memorial-giving.html>). Arrangements by the Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home, Grand Ledge.



Karen Kenyon Remy

Class of 1962

DATE OF PASSING: 10/14/2013

Karen Remy passed away at her home in Seattle, on October 14th 2013 at the age of 69. Karen's passion were her children, grandchildren and being the best person who never quit living. Karen showered love on her family and friends while reaching out to strangers to learn their story and finding ways to help.

Karen attended Grand Ledge High School and went to Michigan State University to follow a path in theatre focused on acting. She left that path to focus on being a wife to Paul Remy and raising their children. While her husband was in the Army stationed in Washington D.C., Karen spent her time marching and standing up for various women's rights; this was central to her being, voicing what she believed.

Karen started sales in Tupperware in the late 70's with her husband Paul Remy. By the early 80's Karen was in the top 5 US managers in Tupperware and winning numerous awards and merchandise from her job. Eventually Karen, followed her passion for houses by starting her Real Estate career in the mid 80's when she had an opportunity to change careers.

After her divorce, Karen spent the last 22 years being a very successful realtor and developing a strong network of friends and clients. Her career was filled with multi-million dollar years, awards, long lasting friendships with clients and numerous achievements: Leading Edge Society, Associate

Broker, ABR, CRS, and Graduate of Realtor Institute.

Karen's belief in community, gender equality and strong compassion for others was demonstrated in her daily actions: working on the line in soup kitchens, delivering presents to Detroit children in need, and encouraging everyone to vote even if it was not for her candidate.

Karen left behind two sons Josh Remy and Chris Remy, daughter in-law Stacy, four beautiful grandchildren Eric, Alyssa, Shannon and Evan and two lovely nieces Cynthia Lunder and Maggie Schultz.

A Memorial will be held in early summer of 2014 in Grand Ledge. Please visit this site to get updated information.

In lieu of flowers, you can make donations to the following organizations that supported Karen during her illness: American Cancer Society, Dream Foundation, Providence Hospice of Seattle or a charity of your choice.





Barbara Joan KRUGER Horton

March 3, 1944 — September 21, 2019

Barbara Joan Horton, 75, passed away peacefully at home on September 21, 2019. She was born March 3, 1944 in St. Johns, MI, daughter of Kenneth and Elaine (Kebler) Kruger. Barbara was preceded in death by her parents and sister Sharon Vaudry. She was survived by her husband of 54 years, Brian, daughter Kimberly Ann Horton of Morristown, NJ and sons, Bradley Horton of Portage, MI and Kevin Horton of St. Johns. Barbara graduated from Grand Ledge High School in 1962 and worked for the Michigan Department of Social Services for 40 years and retired in March of 2006. She was an avid gardener and maintained many beautiful flower arrangements at their home in St. Johns, MI.

A funeral service will be held Thursday, September 26, 2019 – 11:00 a.m. at Peters & Murray Funeral Home, Grand Ledge, with interment to follow at North Eagle Cemetery, Eagle Twp., Clinton Co. Visitation will be held Wednesday from 6-8 p.m. at the funeral home. Those wishing, memorial contributions may be made to the Capital Area Humane Society. Online condolences may be shared at www.petersandmurrayfuneralhome.com



Gary L. Lyon

January 10, 1944 — July 5, 1995 (Aged 51)

BURIAL: North Eagle Cemetery
Eagle, Clinton County, Michigan, USA

Gary Lyon of Grand Ledge, age 51, passed away July 5, 1995 in Ionia County from injuries resulting from a motorcycle accident. He has been a lifetime resident of the Grand Ledge area and a graduate of Grand Ledge High School. Former Journeyman machinist at Lindell Drop Forge; he attended L.C.C. and was an aviator; avid hunter and fisherman and a self-employed carpenter.

Survivors include his wife Joyce; 2 daughters, Corinne and Connie Lyon both of East Lansing; 1 son, Stephen Lyon of Grand Ledge; 2 brothers, Eric (Marianne) Dell of Eagle, Vince Dell of Portland; 2 sisters, Carolyn Dell of Grand Ledge, Rhonda Dell of Potterville; several aunts, uncles and cousins; parents-in-law, Paul and Phyllis Ruzgis of Grand Ledge; and was predeceased by his parents, Ronald and Louise Dell and brother Gerald Dell.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, July 8, 11 a.m. at Peters & Murray Funeral Home, Grand Ledge, with interment at the North eagle Cemetery, Clinton County. The family will receive friends at the funeral home, Friday, 2-4 and 7-9 p.m.



William H. "Mac" McCrumb

DATE OF PASSING: 11/30/2010

Class of 1962

William H. "Mac" McCrumb, 66, of Oshkosh, formerly of Portage, died Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 30, 2010, at his home.

Born Aug. 24, 1944, in Lansing, Mich., to Howard and Mary Lenneman McCrumb, Bill married Karen McConnell on Oct. 17, 1964, in Grand Ledge, Mich. Karen preceded Bill in death on Nov. 10, 1998.

Customer service was a big part of Bill's life, with his first 11 years working years spent employed by F.W. Woolworth Co. The next 30 years he was an employee of Ben Franklin Variety and Craft Stores in the Portage, Neenah and Oshkosh areas. For the last eight years before his retirement, he worked as merchandizing manager for the Fox Valley and Northern Illinois area.

Bill's nieces and nephews knew him as the "candy man" for supplying Skittles and M&Ms for birthdays, anniversaries, weddings and other family gatherings. He enjoyed the sport of curling and served on the board of directors of the Portage Curling Club. Bill was a faithful member of St. Mary Catholic Church in Menasha.

Left to mourn Bill's passing are his children, Kelly (Don) Garrigan of Portage and Bryan (Lisa) McCrumb of Lorton, Va.; seven grandchildren, Kyra, Dustan, Kaisey and Keagan Garrigan, and Melissa, Jacob and Allison McCrumb; his siblings, Karen (Jerry) Swathwood of Manistee, Mich., Judy (Wayne) Webb of Massillon, Ohio, Lynn (Betty) McCrumb of Lansing, Mich., Dennis (Debbie) McCrumb of Grand Ledge, Mich., Mark (Jennifer) McCrumb of Grand Ledge, Mich., and Michelle (Mike) Smith of Holt, Mich.; a sister-in-law, JoAnn Francisco of Florida; a brother-in-law, Raymond McConnell of Fla.; and many nieces and nephews.

Bill was preceded in death by his wife, parents and a sister, Debbie McCrumb.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 1 p.m. Wednesday in St. Michael Catholic Church in Grand Ledge, Mich. Interment will be in Oakwood Cemetery in Grand Ledge with full military honors. A time of visitation and sharing of memories will be held from 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday at Seefeld Family of Funeral Chapels, 1025 Oregon Street in Oshkosh and also from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Wednesday at the church in Grand Ledge, Mich. Expressions of sympathy may be given to the American Lung Association in Bill's memory.



Barbara McDaniels LaMere

DATE OF PASSING: 5/13/2012

Class of 1962

Barbara J. LaMere -- Grand Ledge

Barbara J. LaMere, age 68, passed away May 13, 2012 in Delta Twp., MI. Born Feb. 3, 1944 in Charlotte, MI to the late Kenneth and Dorothy (Musso) McDaniels, Barbara graduated from Grand Ledge H.S. in 1962. She was a long time member of First United Methodist Church. Barbara was a talented artist and appreciated the beauty of nature. She enjoyed taking walks, Elvis Presley music, and her Chihuahua "Paco". She is survived by her loving family: Husband of 43 years, Gerald; daughter Sue Ann (Doug) Twigger of Nixa, MO; son, Michael Patrick (Toni) LaMere of Culpeper, VA; grandchildren, Jamel, Amber, Trevor, Shelby, Julia, Winston, Vincent; great grandchildren, Miles and Helena; sister Ruth Ann (Gene) Conley of Charlotte and brother Donald (Shirley) McDaniels of Mulliken; several nieces and nephews.

A Funeral Service will be held Wednesday, May 16, 2012, 11:00a.m. at Holihan-Atkin Funeral Home Grand Ledge, Reverend Molly Turner officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday 2-4 and 6-8p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to First United Methodist Church, Grand Ledge or Capital Area Humane Society. Online condolences can be shared at www.holihanatkin.com





Howard K. Misener, Sr.

April 15, 1943 — July 28, 2021 (Aged 78)

Howard K. Misener Sr. of Potterville passed away at home surrounded by his loving family. Howard was born April 15, 1943 in Grand Ledge, Michigan to the late Russell B. and Lone E. (Aseltine) Misener. He graduated from Grand Ledge High School Class of 1962 and worked as a book-keeper for a property management company. Howard proudly served his country in the Michigan Army National Guard and was a faithful member of Delta Mills United Methodist Church where he enjoyed serving on numerous committees over the years. He was a very handy guy and was known to be able to fix almost anything. Howard loved to travel with his wife and soulmate, Beverly, and they traveled to every state in the union except Alaska. He looked forward to spending time with his family and friends, especially during special occasions and holidays. His grandchildren and great grandchildren brought him great joy. Howard will also be missed by his Chihuahua Chloe, who was his constant companion.



He is survived by his loving wife of 58 years, Beverly (Russell); children, Howard K. (Janine) Misener Jr., Karen (Theodore) Younts and Kathy (Brad) Briggs; 9 grandchildren; 6 great grandchildren; siblings, Mary (Donald) Jorgensen, Linda (Rick) Booher. Howard was preceded in death by sister Liddie Zimmerman and sister Betty Schneider.

According to Howard's wishes cremation has taken place and there will be no services.

Arrangements by the Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home, Grand Ledge.



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Ruth Ann Misener Wells

August 4, 1944 — January 28, 2024 (Aged 79)

Ruth Ann Wells of Grand Ledge passed away January 28, 2024, in Delta Township. Ruth was born in Grand Ledge, Michigan to the late Elmer A. and Mary K. (Adams) Misener. She graduated from Grand Ledge High School in the Class of 1962, and worked as a Cashier at Meijer for over thirty years. She loved to travel with her late husband and after retirement kept busy with the grandkids. She would often take them to school or pick them up, babysit or attend their sporting events. Ruth also loved animals. She was a proud mother of her three children and cherished her role as a grandmother. Her memory will live on in those lives that she touched.

She is survived by her children, Benjamin F.P Wells Jr.; William E.M. (Samantha) Wells and Victoria L. (Lance) McNally; grandchildren, Trevor Wells, Alice Wells, Taylor (Taran) Redman, Tony Wells, Alec Rogers and Brandon Rogers; 10 great-grandchildren; siblings, Ed (Denise) Misener, Terry Misener, Marlene Lewis and, Katherine VanNortrick. Ruth was preceded in death by her husband, Benjamin F.P. Wells; brother and sister-in-law, Elmer and Sherry Misener; sisters, Darlene Kerr and Dorothy Garrett and brothers-in-law, Bob Kerr, Larry Lewis and, Jon VanNortrick.

A visitation to celebrate Ruth's life will be held Friday, February 2, 2024 from 11:00 AM until 3:00 PM at the Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home, Grand Ledge. A luncheon will follow the visitation at the American Legion Cole-Briggs Post 48, 731 N. Clinton Street, Grand Ledge, MI 48837. Memorial contributions may be given to the Capital Area Humane Society, 7095 W. Grand River Avenue, Lansing, Michigan 48906 (<https://interland3.donorperfect.net/weblink/weblink.aspx?name=casdad&id=23>) or to the American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 7023, Merrifield, Virginia 22116

(https://diabetes.org/ways-to-contribute?form=Donate&gclid=Cj0KCQiA2eKtBhDcARIsAEGTG42rhcrMkgahQ-Zz5RFKBFZd2DUUdeWFQCsIV5lrm_B-iYS2g8EeFuaAklvEALw_wcB&utm_campaign=in-honor-brand-campaign&utm_content=sitelink-extension&utm_medium=paidsearch&utm_source=google&utm_term=fundraising) Share your memories and condolences online at www.holihanatkin.com



Sandra Myers

DATE OF PASSING: UNKNOWN

(NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE.)



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Sandra Lee Nostrant Love

May 24, 1944 — November 1, 2023 (Aged 79)

Sandra Lee Love of Grand Ledge passed away November 1, 2023. Sandy was born May 24, 1944 in Lansing to Ernest and Gertrude (Maier) Nostrant. She graduated from Grand Ledge High School in the Class of 1962 and worked for Auto Owners for a number of years but after her daughter, Kelly was born she was a stay-at-home mom. Sandy was a life-long member of Immanuel Lutheran Church and descendent of one of the founding families. Sandy was incredibly creative and artistic. She enjoyed photography, woodworking, painting and making jewelry. In the last several years, she especially looked forward to making Stampin' Up Cards which could turn into little pieces of art.

She is survived by her husband of over 52 years, Roger; daughter Kelly Love; dad, Ernest Nostrant; sister, Nancy Nostrant; aunt, Ella Renney; numerous nieces and nephews, great nieces and nephews and cousins; dear friends who were like family, her Stampin' Up sisters, and treasured MUFS crew. Sandy was preceded in death by her mom, Gertrude in 2006.



A funeral service will be held Monday, November 6, 2023, 11:00 AM at Immanuel Lutheran Church, 517 S. Clinton Street, Grand Ledge, Michigan 48837 with Pastor Chuck Foerster, officiating. Interment will follow at Oakwood Cemetery. Visitation will be Sunday from 2-5:00 PM at the Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home, Grand Ledge and Monday at the church from 10:00 AM until the time of the service. Memorial contributions may be given to the Immanuel Lutheran Church.



Larry D. O'Boyle

Class of 1962

Birth 1 Oct 1944
Michigan, USA
Death 14 Sep 2006 (aged 61)
USA
Burial: Wacousta Cemetery
Wacousta, Clinton County, Michigan, USA

DATE OF PASSING: 9/14/2006





June Ann Philips Robbennolt

Class of 1962

DATE OF PASSING: Unknown

NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE.



Anna Rasmussen

DATE OF PASSING: UNKNOWN

(NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE.)



Sheila Robinson Packer

Class of 1962

DATE OF PASSING: 7/16/2016

Sheila Robinson Packer, born July 29, 1943 in Lansing, MI, passed away July 16, 2016 at the age of 72. From Lansing, Sheila moved to Ionia, then to Grand Ledge where she graduated from Grand Ledge High School; then to Virginia. She would often talk about her experiences living in Morocco, Africa and Panama, before coming back to Cadillac and finally Grand Ledge. She was a former employee of Tendercare and McDonalds; also a former waitress at Hilltop Restaurant. She liked doing puzzles, going to fairs, garage sales; watching westerns and game shows; also liked to bake, especially pies. Sheila had to have her glass of iced tea and her candy jar was always filled with mini peanut butter cups. Special thanks to her caregivers, Jan and Joan for her final days.

Sheila is survived by her daughter, Shellie (Ken) Himebaugh, grandchildren: Mallory Himebaugh, Holley (Paddy) MacDonald and Stephaney (Kelsey Pohl) Himebaugh; great grandchildren, Journey and Vada MacDonald, and sister Darla (Jack) Swan. She was preceded in death by her parents, Ordale and Phyllis (Gee) Robinson; infant son Randy and son David Packer.

A private graveside service will be held. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be given in memory of Sheila Packer to McLaren Hospice or Capital Area Humane Society. The family is being served by the Peters & Murray Funeral Home, Grand Ledge.



Peter J. Root

Class of 1962

DATE OF PASSING: 6/18/2018

Peter J. Root, 74, lifetime resident of Delta Mills, born February 1, 1944, passed away on June 18, 2018. Peter was a motorcycle enthusiast and enjoyed going to bike and car shows. After his retirement from General Motors, he enjoyed nature and was an avid gardener. Peter loved spending time with friends and family, he will be truly missed by so many.

Peter is survived by his sons, James (Karen Jaye) Root and Merritt (Renee Showers) Root, 3 grandchildren: Travis McCullough, Nate and Rachel Showers; Papa Pete's special grand-niece, Akayla, and sister Mary Lou Bignall. He was predeceased by his parents James and Jean (Pearson) Root and his former wife, Maxine (Zipple). Memorial services will be held Tuesday, June 26, 2018 - 2:00 p.m. at Peters & Murray Funeral Home, Grand Ledge. Visitation will be Monday 4-8 p.m. and Tuesday 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Online condolences may be shared at www.petersandmurrayfuneralhome.com





Joyce Anne Ruzgis Lyon

DATE OF PASSING: 5/31/2015

Class of 1962

Joyce Anne Lyon -- Grand Ledge

Joyce Ann Lyon, 71, passed away May 31, 2015 in Charlotte, Michigan. Joyce was born January 19, 1944 in Ludington, MI, daughter of Paul and Phyllis (Courtland) Ruzgis. She was retired from the State of Michigan; member of North Eagle Cemetery Society, Cole-Brigg's Ladies Auxiliary and Red Hat Ladies; also enjoyed traveling, camping, fishing, and spending time in Ludington.

She is survived by her son, Stephen, daughters Corinne and Connie; two grandchildren, Morgan and Phyllis Feldpausch; parents; sisters Janice (Donald) Smith and Jean (Paul) Lynch; brothers, Jack (Patti) Ruzgis, James and Joseph; also many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. She was preceded in death by her husband of 32 years, Gary Lyon, brother Jerry Ruzgis and sisters, Jill and Julie Ruzgis.

Funeral Services will be held Thursday, June 4, 2015 - 11:00 a.m. at Peters & Murray Funeral Home, Grand Ledge, with interment to follow at North Eagle Cemetery, Eagle Twp., Clinton Co. Visitations will be held Wednesday from 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. at the funeral home. For those desiring, memorial contributions may be made to the Eaton Community Palliative Care. Online condolences may be shared at www.petersandmurrayfuneralhome.com.



David W. Sawyer

September 16, 1944 -- September 8, 2014 (Aged 69)

David W. Sawyer lifelong Grand Ledge area resident passed away September 8, 2014. He was born September 16, 1944 in Grand Ledge, Michigan to the late William and Viola (Jones) Sawyer. David was a Grand Ledge High School Graduate Class of 1962, proudly served his country in the U.S. Navy during Vietnam and retired from Oldsmobile after thirty- eight years of service. He was a member of the American Legion Cole-Briggs Post 48 and the VFW Post 3293, Grand Ledge. David is survived by daughter, Robin (Jim) Sheren; grandsons, Brendan, Connor and Keegan; brother, Harold (Anise) Sawyer; sisters, Betty (Dale) Bingar, Grace Lingerfelt, Rose (Ray) Hammell; brother-in-law, Terry Stadheim and numerous cousins, nieces, nephews and in-laws. David was preceded in death by wife Judy who passed away April 2, 2009; brothers, William, Robert, Richard, and John Sawyer; sisters Barbara Ann Keller and Martha Stadheim. A funeral service with military honors will be held Friday, September 12, 2014, 11:00am at the Holihan-Atkin Funeral Home, Grand Ledge with Pastor Andrew Ford of the Grand Ledge Baptist Church, officiating. The family will receive friends at the funeral home Thursday from 2-4pm and 6-8pm. Memorial contributions may be

given to the Disabled American Veterans Memorial Program, P.O. Box 14301, Cincinnati, Ohio 45250 or the Cleveland Clinic, P.O. Box 931517, Cleveland, Ohio 44193.



Woody Schultz

DATE OF PASSING: UNKNOWN

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NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE.



Joanne Seymour

DATE OF PASSING: UNKNOWN

(NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE.)



Patricia Ann SHOCKLEY Kelley

March 11, 1944 — September 17, 2019 (Aged 75)

Patricia Ann Shockley Kelley, age 75 of Grand Ledge, passed away Tuesday, September 17, 2019, at her home. Patricia was born March 11, 1944 in Washington, D.C., a daughter of Walter and Lillian (Furlough) Shockley. She was a 1962 graduate of Grand Ledge High School and retired from General Motors. In retirement she pursued her love of plants and birds. Surviving is a former dear husband, Norman Kelley; son, Will (Kelli) Kelley of Ft. Storey, VA; daughter, Colleen Kelley of Lansing; grandchildren, Samatha (Taylor) Broderick, Bailey Cox, Tabitha and Hannah Storrs; great-grandchildren, Isla, Marlowe and Alba Broderick; Keith, Lillie and Karia Storrs; father, Walter Shockley of Lansing; brothers, Michael (Sherri) Shockley (her twin) of Potterville and Richard (Karen) Shockley of Lansing; nieces and nephews.

Services 1:30 P.M. Friday, September 20, 2019, at Deepdale Memorial Park Mausoleum (Lansing). The family will receive friends for 30 minutes prior to services. Arrangements by Field & Leik Funeral Home, Dimondale.



Floyd Donald Slocum

August 10, 1944 — March 25, 2021 (Aged 76)

Floyd Donald Slocum, 76, of Owosso, MI, passed away on March 25, 2021. He was born August 10, 1944 in Grand Rapids, MI son of Floyd and Edna (Slusser) Slocum. Floyd was a Grand Ledge High School graduate of 1962 and served in the United States Navy during Vietnam. Floyd retired from Davis Cartage in 2009. He enjoyed working on old cars.

Floyd is survived by his brothers, David Slocum of Naples, Florida and Terry (Lola) Slocum of Portland, Michigan, 4 nephews: Troy (Jackie) Hedlund/Slocum, Aaron Hedlund, Jerromy (Angie) Slocum, Nick (Caroline) Slocum, niece, Jennifer Knoll, and several great-nephews. He is preceded in death by his parents.

No services will be held at this time. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Valley Hospice Care, 3175 Christy Way, Saginaw, MI 48603 in loving memory of Floyd Slocum. The family has entrusted arrangements to Peters & Murray Funeral Home, Grand Ledge. Online condolences can be shared at www.petersandmurrayfuneralhome.com





Donald Glenn Smith

DATE OF PASSING: 12/20/2018

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Donald Glenn Smith a longtime Grand Ledge resident passed away December 20, 2018 surrounded by his loving family. Don was a loving father, grandfather and brother and will be missed by his family and the many lives he touched. He was born March 1, 1944 in Lansing, Michigan to the late Earl J. and Vivian M. (Birdsall) Smith. Don graduated from Grand Ledge High School Class of 1962 and had a long successful career working for Auto Owners Insurance. Don was involved for many years in the Boy Scouts of America Troop 55, Grand Ledge.

He is survived by daughters, Michelle Locher and Nicole Smith; granddaughters, Megan Locher and MacKenzie Richards; brothers, David (Terri) Smith and Jay (Lorrie) Smith. Don was preceded in death by sister and brother-in-law Shirley and Daniel Abfalter.

A memorial service will be held Friday, December 28, 2018, 11:00 a.m. at the Plymouth Congregational Church, 125 S. Pennsylvania Ave. Lansing, MI 48912. Visitation will be Friday at the church from 10:00 a.m. until the time of the service. Memorial contributions may be given to Great Lakes Hospice, 900 Cooper Street, Jackson, Michigan 49202 (<https://secure.blueseasonline.net/great-lakes/>) or Plymouth Congregational Church. Arrangements by the Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home, Grand Ledge.



Daniel Sonnenberg

June 25, 1944 -- October 5, 2018 (Aged 74)

(NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE AT THE TIME OF HIS PASSING.)



Richard B. Wallace

DATE OF PASSING: 12/26/2011

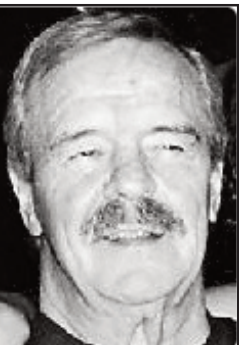
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Richard B. Wallace -- Lansing

Richard B. Wallace, age 67, our loving brother, father and grandfather passed away December 26, 2011 at home with his family, Born March 13, 1944 in Lansing, MI. Richard retired in 1995 from Fisher-Body in Lansing after 31 years of service, and he was a member of U.A.W. Local #602. Wally loved NASCAR and races at M.I.S. He enjoyed gardening and was a skilled carpenter building the home his children were raised in.

Surviving are his 2 children, Richelle (Michael) Apple, and Ricky (Lisa) Wallace; granddaughters, Jessica Ann Omer, and Alexandria ?Allie? Mae Wallace; 3 sisters, Darlene Lawhorn, Patsy (Fred) Kohagen, and Sandra (Marvin) Klein; 2 brothers Rev. Roger (Clara) Wallace, and Kevin (Kris) Cochran; many nieces, nephews, and friends. Richard was preceded in death by his parents, Lois & Edgar Cochran. A special thanks to Aunt Patsy, and special friends, Tim & Karla Reilly for all their love and support.

Services will be 11:00 A.M. Thursday, December 29, in the Tiffany Funeral Home, 3232 W. Saginaw, Lansing with Rev. Roger E. Wallace officiating. Visitation is from 6:00 to 8:00 P.M. Wednesday and 10:00 to 11:00 A.M. Thursday in the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the St. Vincent DePaul Society or the American Cancer Society in memory of Richard. Friends may visit the guest book at www.tiffanyfuneralhome.com





Jennifer Wilton Colladay

Class of 1962

DATE OF PASSING: 6/6/2008

Jennifer Wilton Colladay of Tellico Village, Loudon, TN, formerly of Big Rapids.

Jennifer went to be with her heavenly Father on June 6, 2008. Jennifer was born on October 25, 1944 in Grand Ledge Michigan to Jerry and Juanita (Biddlecome) Wilton. She was a graduate of Grand Ledge High School and received both her Bachelors degree and a Masters of Psychology degree from Central Michigan University. Jennifer taught elementary school for several years before joining the counseling staff of Ferris State University. She retired from Ferris in 2003 after 22 years of service.



On April 9, 1988 Jennifer was married to Thomas R. Colladay, Ph.D. who survives to cherish her memory. Jennifer and Tom enjoyed time at their cottage on Higgins Lake and traveling in their motor-home. She also enjoyed spending time with family and friends, boating, reading, and crocheting. Also left to honor her memory are her children, David (Lupe) Fitch of Marshall and Nicolle (Rick) Tanguay of Trenton, her step-daughters Laura (Bob) Mancini of Saginaw, and Sarah (Chad) Montgomery of Petoskey, grandchildren Mason and Alexis Fitch, Brady, McKenna, and Aleah Tanguay, Victor Mancini, and Libby and Charles Montgomery, sister Sandy (Roger) Warner of Lansing and their children Shey and Kalli, sister-in-law Terrilyn Wilton of Grand Ledge and her children, Tyler and Clay, aunt Jeri Shu-berg of Saginaw and uncle Jack Biddlecome of Battle Creek, and several cousins. Jennifer was preceded in death by her parents and two brothers, Stephen and Michael.

Cremation has taken place and memorial visitation will be held at Holihan-Atkin Funeral Home Grand Ledge, Michigan on Friday, June 13th 11:00 a.m., followed by a memorial service at 1:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society Capital Area Service Center 3100 West Road Building B Suite 110 east Lansing, Michigan 48823 or Covenant Homecare and Hospice 3001 Lake Brook Blvd. Knoxville, Tennessee 37909.