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**M**rs. Eva Dawn Oliva, age 62, passed away Thursday, April 13, 2006 at a local hospital. Mrs. Oliva was born January 11, 1944 to Joseph and Elizabeth (LaFaunce) Stefanich in Muskegon. On August 5, 1959 she married John Oliva in Chicago. He preceded her in death on February 26, 2002. Mrs. Oliva was employed as a nurse at DeBoer Nursing Home for 10 years and loved her worked there. She was previously employed at Hackley Hospital Intensiva. She liked bingo, shopping and eating. Mrs. Oliva's SURVIVORS include her 4 children, Glenn Oliva of Ocala, FL, Jon Oliva and Monica Oliva of Muskegon and Teresa Oliva of Ocala, FL; 10 grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren; special aunt and uncle, Paul and Mary Duell of Muskegon; sister, Patricia Hartman; and special cousin, Carol (Gene) Gardner. She was preceded in death by her son, Mark Oliva and her brother, Robert Stefanich. A FUNERAL SERVICE will be held 11:00 AM, Monday, April 17 at Sytsema Funeral Homes, Inc.

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with Pastor Jonathan Rager officiating. Interment: East Dalton-Oakhill Cemetery. VISITATION will be one hour prior to the service. Memorial contributions may be made to the family. Share memories with the family at their on-line guestbook at [www.sytsemafh.com](http://www.sytsemafh.com).



## Tribute Wall

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**Anonymous** posted:

Eva touch the lives of so many of her fellow nurses and friends. She was easy going, kind, loving and most of all accepting of each person's individuality. I have not yet fully accepted that Eva has passed from our midsts. Yet, I know that she will never really leave us. Her great sense of humor, her goodness and kindness and intense love for her family will always be with us in our hearts. To her children, I would like to say that your mother was a fine and good person. She believed in you and loved you with a deep passion and commitment. You have been blessed by having such a fine woman in your life. Always carry her with you in love and respect. She would not want you to suffer in your grief but rather celebrate the unique and beautiful experience of having known her. You can be so proud of her and who she was. For me, I will miss her deeply. It has been my profound honor to have called her a friend. May our Lord Jesus be with you now and always. In our brokenness - He alone can bring healing. In our sorrow, He alone can bring joy. And, in our loneliness, He offers us the truest and deepest love that we will ever know. And, today our precious Eva is with Him in Eternity.##imported-begin##Mary H. Goryl##imported-end##

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