



Joyce Elaine Radel

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Joyce Elaine Radel, age 80, passed peacefully at her home on Tuesday, October 6, 2020. She was born on July 26, 1940 to Jeannette Rossman in Muskegon. Joyce cared greatly for her stepfather, Lewis Traulsen, and he provided a loving support in her life. After school Joyce went on to work for AR-Jer's and the county clerk's office until she moved to work for Lifesavers for 21 years. While working there she met the love of her life, Fred Radel. She and Fred were married on April 13, 1994 and went on many travels and color tours together. She loved spending time with her friends and family, especially her times being at the family cottage on Silver Lake. Earlier in her life Joyce had a passion for ceramics. You could often find her in the possession of an item or some clothing she purchased from QVC. She will be greatly missed by her loving husband, Fred Radel; children, Janet (Bill) Barnes, John (Amy) Smith; grandchildren, Josh, Jacob (Marilyn), Cathryn (Justin), Christine (Sam), Heather, Nicole; ten great-grandkids; daughter-in-law, Darlene Smith; siblings, Anne Henion, Darlene Kelsch; and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents; son, Michael Smith; brothers, Dick and Dale Rossman; and brothers-in-law, Bill Henion and Jerry Kelsch. AN OUTDOOR FUNERAL SERVICE for Joyce will take place on Friday, October 9, 2020 at The Lee Chapel of The Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services, 6291 S. Harvey St. Norton Shores, MI 49444 at 1:00 PM with A LIMITED SIZE INDOOR VISITATION taking place an hour prior to the service. Burial will take place in Egelston Township Cemetery. For a more lasting memory, donations in Joyce's name can be made to the charity of your choice. Feel free to share a memory on the family's tribute wall at www.sytsemaf.com.



Events

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Limited Size Visitation

Friday, October 9, 2020

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM ET

Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services - The Lee Chapel

6291 Harvey St., Norton Shores MI 49444



Funeral Service

Friday, October 9, 2020

1:00 PM ET

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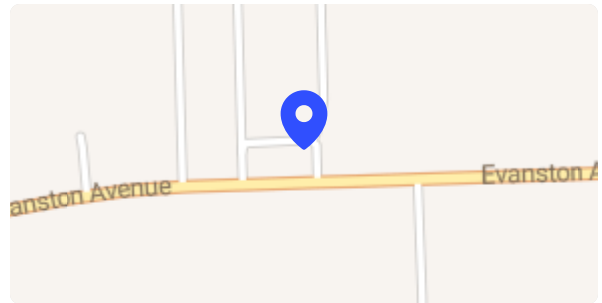
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Cemetery Details

Egelston Township Cemetery

5762 E. Evanston Ave, Muskegon MI 49442





Tribute Wall

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Jeffery Barnes posted:

My name is Jeffery Barnes and I am Janet and John's biological son. I remember every Christmas eve going to grandma's house on wolf lake and eating Turkey and ham and grandma's mashed potatoes, if you ever had grandmas potatoes then you will never want them Any other way besides with gravy or butter but, I dont think any of us liked her potatoes without her gravy. We spent so much time with her when I was a child. Always fishing and catching turtles in wolf lake. She taught me that if you have a hair in your throat to chew on some bubble gum. She always had the hard life savers for Jake and I when she would come to our house to visit. Out of everyone no matter how far I sank into darkness she was the only one there at the end who truly knew i got better.

October 20 at 5:08 PM



Deborah L Hyde posted:

Our prayers go out to the family for strength and comfort in the loss of a very special lady. Brad and Deb Morrison Hyde

October 8 at 5:08 PM



Melissa Knauss posted:

Sending our thoughts and prayers to John, Amy, Nicole, Heather, and the entire family. May God comfort you. Todd, Melissa, Zack, Anna, Sarah, and Wyatt Knauss

October 8 at 5:33 AM



Sharon Kay Kuipers posted:

FredSo sorry for your loss of Joyce. My sympathy goes to the family and prayers.Sharon Kuipers

October 7 at 1:27 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Joyce by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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