



Kathleen Ann Helsel

October 16, 1953 - July 13, 2020

Kathleen A. Helsel, 66, of Kalkaska entered into eternal life on July 13, 2020. She was born on October 16, 1953 to the late Homer and Joyce (Dewyre) Ingersoll in Detroit.

She was a member of Kalkaska Baptist Church and embraced her faith. Kathleen was a devoted and adoring wife, enjoying time spent with Jay, her best friend. She was a proud and supportive mother, always encouraging her children in all they did in life. Kathleen was an unbelievably dedicated and loving grandmother to her grandchildren. She loved each grandchild endlessly and went to many of their sports games, award ceremonies and graduations. She was an amazing cook that loved cooking and baking for her family and friends. Kathleen enjoyed her animals and being outside in her garden. Kathleen will be lovingly remembered by her husband of over fifty years, Jack "Jay" Helsel, children: Edward (Brandi) Helsel, Renee Helsel (Charles Walter), grandchildren: Kayla, Kyle, Jackson, Sonia, Jaycee, Kristin, Wyatt, Eddie, Jonathan, Dylan, great-grandchildren: Riley, Lily, siblings: Tina (Ralph) Groleau, Tim Ingersoll and brother-in-law Jim McDaniel. She was preceded in death by her parents and siblings: Fred Ingersoll, Freida McDaniel.

A visitation for Kathleen will be held on Thursday, July 16, 2020 at the Ingersoll Cemetery in Fife Lake at 10:00 AM, with a graveside service at 11:00AM. Pastor John Cotton of Kalkaska Baptist Church will officiate the service. Arrangements have been entrusted to Kalkaska Funeral Home and Cremation Services.

Cemetery Details

Ingersoll Cemetery

3434 W Sharon Rd SW
South Boardman, MI 49680

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 16. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Graveside Service

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Tribute Wall

SG

“ KAHTY WAS VERY DEAR FRIEND IN SCHOOL WE HAD A LOT OF FUN TOGETHER,REMEMBER WITH SHE SAW JAY FOR THE FIRST TIME ,SHE SAID MAN HE GOOD LOOKING, WE ALL LAUGHED BECAUSE SHE NEVER SAID THING SLIKE THAT ALOUD AROUND US. SO FIFTY SOME YEARS LATER SHE LEAVES HER GOOD LOOKING MAN. REST IN PEACE DEAR FRIEND, WILL ALL WAYS LOVE YOU. SANDY GRONER

SANDRA GRONER - July 16, 2020 at 01:43 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Kathleen Ann Helsel.



July 16, 2020 at 05:04 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kathleen Ann Helsel.



July 16, 2020 at 12:20 AM

KC

“ Jay, Eddie and Renee, I am so sorry for your loss. I was not able to see Kathy and her family often but when I did she always greeted me with that warm smile and kind words. I fondly remember her giggle and laugh. I just know that my dad Keith Marrow was one of the souls that welcomed her into heaven. I know her spirit will live on in your hearts until you see her again. God bless. Kelly Marrow Chapman.

Kelly Chapman - July 15, 2020 at 08:35 PM

RM

“ Jay ,Eddie &Renee So sorry to hear of your loss,I never ran into cathy that she didn't have time to say hello & find out how I was doing.She even came over to the house for bloe angles back when we were winning the Cherry festible softball touney's. R.I.P. Cathy Rickey &Linda Mcdowell

rickey mcdowell - July 15, 2020 at 12:37 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Kathleen Ann Helsel.



July 15, 2020 at 11:02 AM

SM

“ Cousin Kathy was a very fun loving person. Will always remember her laughter. She and Jay always attended the Ingersoll family reunions. God bless her family in this time of grieving.
From cousin Susan

Susan McClung - July 15, 2020 at 10:13 AM

BH

“ Rest In Peace. Barb and Dave. 🙏❤️🎈

Barb P and Dave Headapohl. - July 15, 2020 at 09:07 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Kathleen Ann Helsel.



July 14, 2020 at 08:58 PM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Kathleen Ann Helsel.



July 14, 2020 at 07:34 PM

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“ ❤️ Uncle Jay, Eddie, NayNay ❤️ XOXO ❤️

Tammy (Bottle) Rozenberg - July 14, 2020 at 07:18 PM

RI

“ COUSIN KATHY WE WILL MISS YOUR SMILE AND LAUGH AND ALL THE FUN TIMES WE HAD WITH YOU , YOU ARE NOW IN GOD'S HANDS , WITH YOUR PARENTS, BROTHER AND SISTER, MAY YOU REST IN PEACE, OUR SYMPATHY AND LOVE GO OUT TO ALL FAMILY.. YOU WILL ALWAYS BE IN OUR HEART. RICKY & STEVE

RICKY - July 14, 2020 at 06:48 PM

BB

“ *Bill & Renee' Ball purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Kathleen Ann Helsel.*



Bill & Renee' Ball - July 14, 2020 at 04:34 PM