



## Virginia Belle Eves

October 25, 1935 - October 7, 2022

Virginia Belle Eves, 86, passed away peacefully in Kalkaska, MI on October 7, 2022, surrounded by her family. Virginia was born October 25, 1935, in South Boardman, MI. She is the daughter of Mary Jane (Kirkendall) and Guy Reynolds Love. Virginia married Merle Mark Eves on September 1, 1956. She spent over 40 years married to the love of her life. Virginia graduated high school from Kalkaska High School. Following the marriage, Virginia was a homemaker at the beginning, until an injury to Merle in 1974 caused her to join the workforce. She volunteered a lot of her time as well, serving Kalkaska KAIR for over 20 years, and also volunteering for Garfield Township Fire & Rescue Auxiliary. Virginia just absolutely loved helping others, she was always the first to give the shirt off her own back. She was known by everyone simply as “mom”, she also served as the neighborhood grandmother. She was known to always have PB & J's for anyone in need of them, and also known for making the best potato salad. Virginia also had an open door policy for dinner, never turning anyone away from the table. Virginia and Merle were also quite the team, known as an inseparable duo, even though everyone knew Virginia was the boss over anything. She was a very caring and loving lady though, who never lacked for friends. Above all family came first, and was the most important thing to her, she loved spending time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Virginia will be missed by all and remembered as a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and friend. Virginia will be lovingly remembered by her sons Mark (Patty) Eves, and Timothy (Florence)

Eves; daughters Laura Eves, and Susan (Jerry) Schlattman; sister-in-law Dorothy Love; 16 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband Merle Mark Eves; daughters Vickie (John) Teron, Loretta Eves; mother Mary Jane (Kirkendall) Love; father Guy Reynolds Love; sister Freda (Harry) Thorne; brothers Charles "Buck" Love, Guy Reynolds Love Jr., Eugene Love, and Dennis (Wilma) Love. The memorial service will be held at Kalkaska Funeral Home on Monday, October 10, 2022, at 3:00 pm, the family will receive friends beginning at 2:00 pm until the time of service. Arrangements have been entrusted to Kalkaska Funeral Home and Cremation Services.

# Cemetery Details

## Boardman Township Cemetery

4668 Boardman River Rd SW  
South Boardman, MI

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

OCT **10**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Kalkaska Funeral Home  
152 S. Cedar  
Kalkaska, MI 49646  
(231) 258-3346

# Tribute Wall

LF

“ I am so sorry to learn of the passing of Virginia. I met Virginia while doing a veteran project on those who gave their lives protecting our country. Her brother, Guy Love, was one of those I researched with her assistance. She spoke at the American Legion presentation in 2013 about her brother. Virginia and I became friends and would run into each other throughout the years. We always shared a good visit even though they were short. May she rest in peace. I will miss her.  
Linda Forwerck

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Linda K Forwerck - October 29, 2022 at 10:46 AM

SD

“ My heart goes out to you all. Your mom was a beautiful person. May you find comfort in good memories, good friends, and our good Father in Heaven.

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Susan Kay DePeel - October 15, 2022 at 09:13 AM

RO

“ My deepest sympathy to all of Virginia's family. She was an all around lady who loved and cared for so many. You can all be proud of the MOM you had as she cherished each and everyone of you, while at the same time she also spread her love and care around the community. There wasn't anything Virginia wouldn't do for anyone. She ALWAYS paid her respects to every one that passed before her, and there were many. I don't think there was anyone she knew that was over looked by her as she was always present. She was a very kind soul and a very hard worker. She was devoted to her family and each one of you meant so much to her. Remember her always as the loving MOM she was, and may you rest in peace, Virginia!

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rodgers - October 14, 2022 at 02:26 PM

CC

“ *Cindy Campbell lit a candle in memory of Virginia Belle Eves*



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**Cindy Campbell** - October 10, 2022 at 07:27 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Virginia Belle Eves.*



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October 10, 2022 at 10:56 AM

LD

“ *Hey cousin, when we were kids you, Freda and I would play under the lilac bushes with dishes to make mud pies. I remember the garden was way out back behind the house. We always had fun when we visited your family. Virginia, you will be missed.*

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**Lu Dunham** - October 10, 2022 at 09:10 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Virginia Belle Eves.*



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October 10, 2022 at 08:57 AM

BF

“ Beckman Production Fmaily purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Virginia Belle Eves.



Beckman Production Fmaily - October 10, 2022 at 08:10 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Virginia Belle Eves.



October 09, 2022 at 08:04 PM

DN

“ Virginia was a great lady! Our condolences to her family. Sincerely, from the late Art & Elizabeth Nolff family.



Deborah Newell - October 09, 2022 at 07:09 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Virginia Belle Eves.



October 09, 2022 at 05:31 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Virginia Belle Eves.*



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October 09, 2022 at 05:12 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Virginia Belle Eves.*



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October 09, 2022 at 03:36 PM