



Barbara A. Kohlmann

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Barbara Ann Kohlmann, a beloved mother, grandmother, sister, and friend, peacefully passed away at the age of 82, surrounded by her loving family, on May 8, 2026.

Born on March 14, 1944, in Richmond, Michigan, Barbara was the devoted daughter of the late Helen and Harry Kolts. She was raised in Richmond, where she formed lifelong friendships and graduated from Richmond High School. Driven by a passion for helping others, she pursued a nursing degree in Chapel Hill, North Carolina. Her compassionate nature and dedication to her profession led her to a fulfilling career at the Martha T. Berry Medical Facility in Mt. Clemens, Michigan.

Barbara lived a life filled with creativity and joy. She delighted in making beautiful stained glass, crafting wreaths, traveling, playing cards, spending time with family and friends and she loved orchids.

Barbara's legacy of love and devotion continues through her daughters Beth (Paul) Westrick and Lynn (Patrick) Kelley, and her step-children Marc

Kohlmann, Jeff (Marcia) Kohlmann, and Jon (Wendy) Kohlmann. She will be fondly remembered by her adored grandchildren Abbie (Matt Kukawski) and Tanner, and her step-grandchildren Ryan, Jordan, Jakob, Jonathon, and Christopher. Her sister, Victoria (the late Ralph) Reins, and nieces Ann and Chris also survive her, each with a special place in her heart.

Barbara reunited with her husband, Kenneth Kohlmann, who preceded her in death on May 3, 2024. She was also predeceased by her infant son, Scott Vincent Hudson, her step-daughter Lori Munoz, and her parents.

A memorial celebration of Barbara's life will be held on Thursday, June 18, 2026, from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. at Wasik Funeral Home, located at 35259-23 Mile Road in New Baltimore. Family and friends are invited to come together to honor the life of a remarkable woman who touched so many with her warmth, kindness, and vibrant spirit.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

JUN 18. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home - Gendernalik Chapel
35259 23 Mile Road
New Baltimore, MI 48047

Tribute Wall

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“ *The Pabian Family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Barbara A. Kohlmann.* ”



The Pabian Family - June 18 at 08:56 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Barbara A. Kohlmann.* ”



June 07 at 05:58 PM

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“ *4 files added to the album photos* ”



Beth Westrick - May 28 at 01:40 PM

KA

“ Karla A. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Barbara A. Kohlmann.

Karla A. - May 26 at 04:17 PM

KA

“ Barb lightened the load for many, including those in our own family who needed help. She had a knack for seeing what was needed and instinctively knew what to do to help. She was both friend and sister, the perfect counterpart for my brother, and a generous and loving aunt.

Karla - May 26 at 04:03 PM

AG

I met Barb about 60 yrs.ago.
We were full time working nurses,raising young children.
A bond was formed and a lasting friendship was made.
I was able to visit with her and Ken at every Church he was assigned to.
Her Christmas displays were spectacular.
Barb always had a creative craft going.She loved flowers.
My condolences to the family at such a great loss.
Rest in peace dear friend, I miss you.
❤️ Ann

Ann G. - June 04 at 03:58 PM

SF

“ Sincerely, The Johnson Family purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Barbara A. Kohlmann.



Sincerely, The Johnson Family - May 21 at 11:50 AM