



Karen Fraser

August 17, 1943 - September 17, 2015

Karen L. Fraser passed away on September 17, 2015 in Shelby Township, Michigan. Karen was born on August 17, 1943 to Albert and Mary Katherine (nee VanNoy) Fraser in Pontiac, Michigan. Karen is the beloved mother of Adrienne (Len) Covian and Kevin Strong. Proud grandmother of Matthew Strong, and Jessica and Thomas Covian. Loving sister of Bruce Fraser, Laurie (Gary) Legg, Doug (Maureen) Fraser, and Roberta Fraser. Dear aunt to several nieces and nephews. Visitation Saturday October 24, 2015 from 10:00 AM until time of 2:00 PM memorial service at the Wasik Funeral Home, Inc. 49150 Schoenherr Rd. (n. of 22 Mile Rd.), Shelby Twp.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

OCT **24**. 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“Karen was always so sweet to me and helpful. I remember her smile and laughter! She is missed. To her children, treasure all of your amazing memories, as they will give you joy! To Ann, her close friend and roommate, I know you have many wonderful memories of the times you have shared and helped each other through. I know she is with all of you in your hearts. God Bless!

Debbie Debbs - October 23, 2015 at 08:29 PM

JB

“ Adrienne, Kevin, Bruce and families ...

On behalf of Karen's HPHS classmates, I want to extend our deepest sympathy to your entire family. Words seem so inadequate to express the sadness we feel about the loss of Karen. Karen was our "ray of sunshine", always with a smile, grace and dignity and a positive reflection on whatever the situation may be. Fortunately we were able to spend many hours with her as we prepared for the 2011 HPHS Reunion, which she was a part of the Committee. One of the first words out of Karen's mouth when she called to tell me she had been diagnosed with stage 4 lung cancer, was to apologize for not being able to be on the committee for the 2016 HPHS Reunion and how much she had been looking forward to it. It is truly our loss and as we prepare for our next reunion, the memories of our beloved departed committee members (Laurence Leverett, Lillian McClary and Karen) will always be held dear in our hearts. Karen always spoke of how richly she was blessed with her beautiful daughter, son and grandchildren and how she enjoyed spending time with them; she was one proud mother/grandmother. Karen fought that tough battle with the Big "C"; not once but three times, but God had a bigger purpose for her and has called her to be with our Heavenly Father. So, until we meet again, may you all be surrounded by the love and support of family and friends and may you find peace from the beautiful times and memories shared.
Judy (Longley) Blackwell '61



Judy Blackwell - October 22, 2015 at 11:17 PM

JB

Karen at the 2011 HPHS Reunion.

Judy Blackwell - October 22, 2015 at 11:20 PM



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Wasik Funeral Home, Inc. - October 21, 2015 at 10:20 AM



“ So sad to hear that Karen has followed the path of many others in this family. My older brother and sister also passed on to be with the rest of the family. About the only people who will recognize me will be Bruce. and Lorrie, as I have lost contact with the family, during my travels. I am so sorry for your loss, and so it is with sadness that I can now reach out to part of my family and hopefully can maintain some contact with you all. Karen was an older cousin from my mothers family, and I remember many fun times we had getting together as children. I have often thought about her and Bruce and wondered how they were doing, but could never seem to find out anything about them. I am now living in Phoenix, and wish I could get back there for the service, but unfortunately I just don't have the ability to make it. Just know that my prayers and best wishes are with you all and hope someday to get to meet you. With love your cousin Karl M. Brooks

Karl Brooks - October 01, 2015 at 07:08 PM

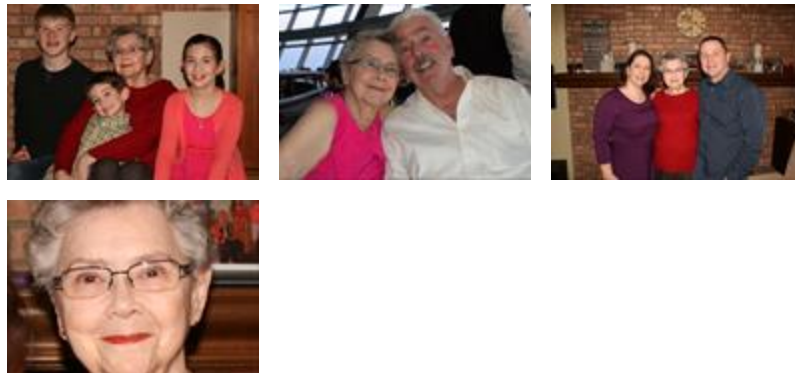
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“ Karen was my older cousin, and I remember having lots of fun at family reunions when we were kids and other family events. She was always so much fun. I remember the best of times. Adrienne and Kevin, I am so sorry for you loss. I know she loved you both so much. I'm sorry that she had more bouts with cancer as the first time should have been enough. I remembered how strong she was and it was an example for me when I faced cancer. I knew that she had made it and so would I. My family is living in FL so I won't be able to be there for the celebration of her life, but she was and is a shining light to all who knew her. All my love, Margaret Ann Brooks Patterson. My mother was Mattie Fraser Brooks and was her dad Albert's sister.

Margaret Brooks Patterson - October 01, 2015 at 06:50 PM

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Adrienne Covian - September 23, 2015 at 05:48 PM

LH

Thank you for posting the wonderful pictures of Karen with her family. She looks just like I remember her and her expression says it all - so much love for her family. She was a good friend and I am sorry we lost contact. I will miss her. Linne Haddock

Lyndon Haddock - October 07, 2015 at 08:23 PM

MR

“ *Adrienne, Kevin, and families: I am so sorry for your loss. I will miss your mom. She was a neat lady. Marla*

Marla Rudas - September 20, 2015 at 03:12 PM