



## Shirley L. Donaghue

June 24, 1932 - August 26, 2020

Shirley L. Donaghue, of Warren, passed away Wednesday, August 26, 2020, at the age of 88. She was born in St. Clair Shores, Michigan on June 24, 1932 to the late Raymond and Delina Busha. Beloved wife of the late Frank. Cherished companion of Gene Geisz. Dearest mother of Sherry (Linden) Calder, Michael (Mary), Patti (the late Ronald) Thrash, and Linda (Joe) Donohoe. Loving grandmother of Justin, Dr. Jason (Carrie), Jeffrey (Stacy), and Michael Donaghue; Katy Thrash, Olivia (fiance Reed Testy) Mariani, Sophie Mariani, and Amelia Donohoe; and great grandmother of Emerson, Duke, Eviana, and Eli.

Shirley was an avid golfer who enjoyed hitting the links at Maple Lane Golf Course, possibly enjoying her favorite drink, a margarita, on the 19th Hole. She was also a fantastic seamstress, from drapes to clothes to furniture, if it was made from cloth, Shirley could sew it.

Visitation Friday 4-8 p.m. at the Wasik Funeral Home, Inc., 11470 Thirteen Mile Road (West of Hoover) Warren. Interment White Chapel Cemetery in Troy, MI. Please note masks or face coverings are required in the building. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in Shirley's name may be addressed to the American Cancer Society.

# Cemetery Details

## White Chapel Cemetery

621 W. Long Lake Rd.  
Troy, MI 48098

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 28.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



Michele  
LaDuke  
Ball

“ *My first memory of Shirley was many, many years ago when she was dating my cousin, Frank, who lived with our family. Frank was more like a brother to me so when he married Shirley she became my sister. I loved her as much as I did Frank.*

*I remember Shirley was so beautiful. Her clothes were right off the fashion magazine. Little did I know she probably made them herself. The one curiosity of her was when she would sit down she would cross her long legs and her toes always pointed down. I was probably in my teens and I had never seen anyone sit so elegantly. I tried it but my toes always pointed up. As hard as I would try I could never mimic Shirleys' poise.*

*To her credit I have heard only loving sentiments about her. Everyone loved Shirley and Frank. What a couple!*

*I will miss Shirley. She was kind, loving, beautiful and she dearly loved her family. This is a sad time for all of us who absolutely loved her.*

*One last note. She and Frank were our witnesses at my wedding. Missing you already, Michele LaDuke Ball*

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**Michele LaDuke Ball** - August 28, 2020 at 05:35 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Shirley L. Donaghue.*



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August 28, 2020 at 12:33 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirley L. Donaghue.*



August 28, 2020 at 10:19 AM



“ *70 files added to the album Life Tributes*



**Wasik Funeral Home, Inc.** - August 27, 2020 at 02:51 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirley L. Donaghue.*



August 27, 2020 at 01:47 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Shirley L. Donaghue.*



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August 27, 2020 at 07:52 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirley L. Donaghue.*



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August 27, 2020 at 07:41 AM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Shirley L. Donaghue.*



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August 27, 2020 at 07:37 AM