



Mrs. Carolyn E. Ichenberg

July 17, 1940 - August 28, 2014

Carolyn E. Ichenberg, age 74, of Worth Township, passed away on August 28, in McLaren Port Huron, with her family by her side. She was born on July 17, 1940, in Marysville, to the late William and Beulah Martin. She married Lyle T. Ichenberg on August 8, 1958, in Marysville.

She retired from Port Huron Hospital, where she was a switchboard operator. She attended Lakeport Wesleyan Church, she enjoyed spending time with her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

She is survived by her husband, Lyle of Worth Township, son, Russell (Christine) Ichenberg of Lincoln, Michigan, daughter, Carol (Paul) Dionne of Worth Township, several grandchildren and great grandchildren, sister, Bonnie (Bill) Phelps of Carsonville, brother, Michael (Beth) Martin of Carsonville, along with several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by two brothers; Jack Martin and Patrick Martin.

Services will be held at a later date.

Memorial tributes can be made to Lakeport Wesleyan Church.

Arrangements by: Jowett Funeral Home – 1634 Lapeer Ave. at 17th St., Port Huron.

View obituary and share memories at www.jowettfuneraldirectors.com

Tribute Wall

CL

“ One year. Without your smile. Without your hugs. Without your direction, your input, without your constant support. Hurts beyond words. Knowing I will again touch you, hug you, talk with you keeps me going. I will love you forever Mama.

Carol Lynn - August 28, 2015 at 08:26 AM

JO

“ My favorite person ever. She loved her family so much and always lit up when she got to see us. I will always cherish the special bond we had. Miss her everyday and always will.

joseph - September 30, 2014 at 09:14 PM

Jl

“ Where to begin ? Aunt Duny was wonderful , kind, & super loving and her sence of humor was unique to say the least , their will never be another godly woman like her we certainly will miss her. The 1st time i ever met her is when i married her nephew Jimmy & she hugged me & took me in like she had known me her whole life . The last thing she said to me just hrs before she went home to Jesus was Honor Your Husband I will never forget that , I LOVE YOU So Much ! I know you are having a wonderful time rubbing elbows with Jesus & your family :) Ritasue xoxoxoxo

Jim - September 30, 2014 at 05:37 PM

Jl

“ She touched so many lives with her smile, and her passing keeps on touching lives as she did mine. I will never forget you Aunt Duny, I love you very much and look forward to seeing you again soon. The Lord has blessed us so much with you and now your blessing Him just being their in Glory. I know the impact you had on my life was one I will never forget . And I am sure Uncle Pat and Uncle Jackie and Grandpa are glad to see you.

I don't know if I ever told you this but the first time I ever preached was at your house pretending to be a preacher when I was 10 years old, of course nobody was around but I remember it. It was one of the highlights of my life to be able to have one of our Sunday services dedicated to your memory, and I was amazed how it effected our entire congregation that day. There will be a day someday soon when complete strangers will come up to you in heaven and say, "O your Aunt Duny". There are so many story's, so many adventures that are charished forever in my mind with my Aunt Duny it will take another life time to tell them all. Be sure they will be told every time our family gets together with hers.

I know that we will all be together soon and I look up to the heavens as my redemption drawth nigh as it has with my Aunt Duny
.....Heb 11:16 But now they desire a better country, that is, an heavenly: wherefore God is not ashamed to be called their God: for he hath prepared for them a city.

"See ya soon"

Jimmy

Jim - September 30, 2014 at 05:23 PM

AJ

“ To many people she was Carolyn, but to me she will always be my “Aunt Duny.” I will remember her as the Sunday School teacher who taught me Bible stories before I could read, and looked the other way when we giggled in church. I will remember her as the mother who lined us up to check we had washed behind our ears, and pretended not to notice our tongues were purple from sneaking too many popsicles. I will remember her as the caregiver who comforted and cried with me when I was grieving, and joked and teased until the tears had turned to laughter. I will remember her as the supporter who listened to my plans with love and patience, and encouraged me to follow my dreams to the beat of my own music. They say the pain of losing someone gets better with time, but it never truly goes away, nor do I want it to. I carry her love and lessons with me each day and I will remember.

AJ - September 29, 2014 at 07:42 PM

AD

“ *Meema. How can I even begin to put into words how much I love you & miss you. You are loving, forgiving, dependable, accepting and so much more. There were times I thought I had disappointed you, but rather being angry you just held me and told me how much you love me.*

Last couple of days, you told me how blessed your life was. Being with Papa for 57yrs , having all ur great grand babies, knowing all your grand kids love you so much, and having amazing family that comes when you need them. But the truth is Meema, we are all so blessed to have had you with us. Could not ask for anyone better to call my Meema. I speak of you in present tence because you will always be alive. In Mom, Papa, Aurora, Joseph, Robert, Aunt Bonnie, Uncle Mike and Me. Every time I look in Rora's blue eyes, I see you. I love you Meema. With all my heart. I don't know how we're going to get through thanksgiving without you, I can't make apple pies like you so papa might be disappointed about that. And Christmas. I can't even imagine having a Christmas without you. I love you Meema. See you soon.

Amber Dionne - September 03, 2014 at 07:42 PM

CD

Amber Lynn, Mema was always so proud of you. She loved being with you. So many times she said you are such a good Mama. She loves Aurora more than you know. Even now. She will eternally watch over you both with excitement and expectation to meet you with hugs and kisses at Heaven's gate. It may seem like a long wait for us but for her it will feel like just moments. It is so hard to understand this pain and seems impossible to know how to not be with her but she is with us still just differently. She passed down to me the need to be very close to my kids. I cherish my relationship with her; and what I have with you. Because of her, you and I will always have each other and will be the same for you and Aurora. She gave us this legacy. She gave us so much more than we can even express. I just thank the Lord he gave me her. Our family is so blessed. ..keep her love in you...pass it on...I feel her love from you. Love is eternal!

Carol Dionne - September 10, 2014 at 08:20 AM

RI

“ When i first met Mom i knew right away what a special woman she was, i feel in love with her and Dad from the first minute, she will always be in my heart and thoughts, what a very special, loving caring woman she was. I love you forever and can't wait til we meet again. Love always and forever, Robbin

Robbin Ichenberg - September 03, 2014 at 01:13 PM



“ Christine Ichenberg lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Carolyn E. Ichenberg



Christine Ichenberg - September 03, 2014 at 04:55 AM



My Mother-in-law was a very special women. She welcomed me and my daughter's into the family with open arms, I remember the card games we would play and the rides we would take when they lived in Lincoln and even when they moved down state and came up for visits. I have such beautiful memories of those times that I will cherish. I Miss her already and I will always love her, Thank you LORD for my Mother-in-law.

Christine Ichenberg - September 03, 2014 at 05:01 AM

FM

“ I have Loved Duny since the first time we met, We shared so many laughs as well as tears. My heart and prayers are with this wonderful family who opened their hearts to me years ago..... I will always Love You Duny.... We will laugh together again
Freda



Freda Martin - September 02, 2014 at 05:43 PM

FM

“ *Freda Martin lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Carolyn E. Ichenberg*



Freda Martin - September 02, 2014 at 05:33 PM



“ *For just the few years that I knew Grandma Ichenberg and the little time I got to spend with her; I'm thankful & feel blessed for getting the chance to meet one of the sweetest, coolest, & funniest ladies I will probably ever know. Her funny quotes I will never forget and will always be with me forever, I laugh now thinking about them lol. Its crazy how we don't realize the effect people can have on us until they're gone & out of our lives. Even when its just a small amount of time we got to spend with them but those are all the ones that matter most. She is definitely someone I wish I could have spend a little more time with but she's in a better place now and I will always be thankful & blessed for knowing her. My sincere condolence to the family..*



Love Richard.

Rick Heacock - September 01, 2014 at 04:19 PM

CD

Richard, As always your so kind. Grama did enjoy your visits. .takes me back to a hilarious Halloween Grama and I had watching you and Amber create your costumes. So many memories. ..it IS amazing how the people around us are who make us who we are. You are also a huge example of that to people that you aren't even aware of. Thank you for being so kind to Grama and Papa and for just being You!

*Hope to see you soon,
Carol*

Carol Dionne - September 11, 2014 at 07:15 AM

AH

“ *It only took meeting her one time to know how special of a lady she was :) Warm hug and telling us we have a beautiful family and to keep it up....words I will never forget <3 My heart breaks to see those the she loved and who loved her and the emptiness that she leaves in their lives...the beauty is found when you remember that as long as you keep her story alive she will forever live through you. Rest in Peace Grandma*

Amy Harmon - September 01, 2014 at 03:30 PM

LG

“ *Deepest condolences to her family, I have many wonderful memories of Grandma Ichenberg but he one I cherish the most is when I was young Grandma Ichenberg told her granddaughter Amber(my best friend) and myself that when she turned 21 and myself 23 that we could have a loft above her garage at her old house on Lapeer Rd. God has a beautiful angel with him. Love you Grandma Ichenberg!!!*



Laura Ganhs - September 01, 2014 at 02:15 PM

CD

Sweet LeeAnnie, You have always been an extended part of the family. Grama so enjoyed watching You and Amber grow up together. From giggly little girls to now such loving Mom's. I'm sure even now she's watching and smiling. Love you honey.

Mom Dionne

Carol Dionne - September 11, 2014 at 07:25 AM

CD

“ My Mama was so Loving right till her end here on earth. Now she is singing "it is well with my soul" walking with Jesus. Enjoying her parents and brothers. And no doubt she is pain free in a perfect body waiting for us all. I will see you again Mama and will Love you ALWAYS. Carol Lynn

Carol Dionne - September 01, 2014 at 01:42 PM

JA

It breaks my heart to hear of your passing. You were a second mother to me growing up. I ate so much of your cooking and loved your laugh. There will be a huge hole on earth that you used to fill but Heaven is a richer place with you there. Please hug my parents for me and tell them I miss them. I'll love you always....Jane

jane - September 03, 2014 at 05:12 PM