



Catherine H. Newman

June 17, 1937 - May 12, 2021

Catherine (Kay-Kathy) H. Doherty Newman, age 83, of Kimball Township, went to be with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on May 12, 2021. She was born June 17, 1937 in Port Huron.

Kay married her husband Franklin M. Newman Jr. on March 17, 1984.

Franklin passed away on May 11, 2019. They were married for 35 years. In that 35 years, they loved to camp and do special projects for people who needed help in other states. They were also involved in several camping clubs and they were even King and Queen of Michigan for all the camping clubs. She loved doing crafts with all the crafty ladies at Northgate Bible Church in Fort Gratiot where she was a member for several years. They would crochet hats for babies in Guatemala, and make hats and scarfs for the homeless, lap robes, and prayer shawls. Kay volunteered at the rescue mission in Port Huron. She was a very giving person.

Kay is survived by her sons; James (Robin) Kirby of Owosso, Rodney Kirby of Kimball, Thomas Mitchell of Port Huron, Brian (Misty) Newman of Newton, Kansas, Franklin Newman III and Jay Newman, both of Chesterfield, Larry (Janice) Black and Steve (Gail) Black, both of Bracebridge Ontario; daughters; Ronda (Steve) Parker of Kimball, Dawn (Larry) Lorenzi of Northglenn, Colorado, Cynthia Newman of Alto, Becky (Tony) Sutton of Roscommon, and Amy Paradine of Lake; 29 grandchildren, 42 great grandchildren, 2 great-great grandchildren with one on the way, along with several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Franklin M. Newman Jr, father William Joseph Doherty, mother Helen A. Black, step-father Harold Black, daughter Helen Jo Kirby, grandson PVTE2, Cameron J. Kirby, and brothers Leon and James Doherty.

Visiting hours will be from noon until time of service.

Memorial services will be held on May 22, 2021 at 1pm at Community Baptist Church, 1620 Wadhams Rd. in Kimball. Pastor James Jones will officiate.

A private burial will be held at Sunset Memorial Gardens Cemetery.

Memorial tributes can be made to the Breast Cancer Society.

To view the obituary and share memories, please visit www.jowettfuneraldirectors.com

Tribute Wall

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“ *I only knew you a short time, but shared a few sweet memories.*



Rita Berens - May 19, 2021 at 02:34 PM

JH

“ *Aunt Kay you were one of the best.
When we were all small kids mom and dad and you and Uncle
Ronnie. Going camping in the woods in St.Helen ... The bear hit our
camp site got into your tent .
You and Uncle Ronnie was the only ones who invited us to your
home to stay when visiting. No matter when you always had room
for the Deem family.
Will Miss you so much.
Love you Auntie
Give Mom Dad Dave Dj and Jolene all a Big Hug from me and tell
them all I Love them and Miss them. They will be waiting at Jesus's
Feet for when it's our turn to go live with God that's where they will
meet us. Fly High With The Angels.*

Jodee Hall - May 16, 2021 at 09:19 AM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the
family of Catherine H. Newman.*



May 16, 2021 at 09:11 AM



“ *Kay was such a sweet lady. She was my second mom, I was always at their house on Broadway. Her and my mom were best friends and her daughter Ronda and I are best friends and have been for over 50 years. Rest in Heaven Kay and I hope you and my mom are having coffee together. Love you*

Jeanie Rust Mcnamara - May 15, 2021 at 03:16 PM