



Karen A. Goodwine

May 13, 1958 - May 16, 2026

Karen Ann Goodwine, age 68, passed away peacefully with her family by her side at the Blue Water Hospice Home on May 16, 2026, in Port Huron. Born on May 13, 1958. She graduated from Port Huron Northern in 1976.

Karen lived a life centered on love, family, and kindness.

Karen devoted many years of her life working as a home health aide before retiring. She cared deeply for others and touched many lives through her compassion and gentle spirit.

She found her greatest joy in spending time with her family, especially her beloved grandchildren. She loved going to the beach, crocheting, baking her amazing apple pies, and collecting cow figurines. Her kind heart, loving nature, and beautiful smile will be missed tremendously by all who knew and loved her.

Karen is survived by her son, Jeffrey Goodwine; daughter, Pamela (Robert) Aaron; stepchildren, Wayne Goodwine, Wendy (Rick) Robb, and Melissa (Kenny) Tabor; grandchildren Ariannah, Avery, Keaton, Korbin, Weston, Delanie, Hayden, Colton, Wyatt, Lotus, and Miley; and a great-grandson Grayson expected to arrive in July.

She is also survived by her siblings, Deborah Schock, Marcia Quandt, Lisa Epley, Robert (Aimee) Brohl, and Daniel Brohl, along with many nieces and nephews who loved her dearly.

Karen was preceded in death by her parents, Robert and Ila Brohl; her brother-in-law, Richard Schock; and her niece, Jessica Fye.

Karen's memory will forever live on in the hearts of her family and friends, who will cherish the love, warmth, and happiness she brought into their lives.

A celebration of life will be held at a later date.

Arrangements in care of Jowett Funeral Home- Port Huron.

Tribute Wall

AA

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Avery Aaron - May 31 at 04:59 AM



i love you

Ariannah Doan - June 01 at 09:39 AM

AA

“ Avery Aaron lit a candle in memory of Karen A. Goodwine



Avery Aaron - May 30 at 11:11 PM

PA

“ My beautiful Mom. ❤️❤️ she was the best mom in the whole world, and I will forever miss her.. love you ma ❤️

Pamela Aaron - May 22 at 09:04 PM



love you mom ❤️

Ariannah Doan - May 26 at 09:27 AM

MK

“ *Mary kraus lit a candle in memory of Karen Goodwine*



Mary kraus - May 20 at 11:40 AM

DH

“ *Our family grew up next door to the Brohls. I was two years older than Karen, and two years younger than Deb. Karen and I were playmates, along with Marilyn and Ruth, who also lived nearby. The Brohls were like our second family; we were so close that our houses even shared the same driveway. We had so much fun growing up—playing kickball and badminton, playing records endlessly, baking cookies, playing neighborhood hide and seek, riding bikes, and even riding horses when we could get our parents to take us to the riding stables. We spent summers learning to play our guitars, often under the shade trees, and reading Nancy Drew mystery stories (Karen was a fast reader!). We also went to the beach and to the movies together. I only saw Karen a few times in our adult life, as I moved to Florida in the seventies. However, she came to my dad's funeral in Port Huron, and I have kept in touch with Marcia and Deb in recent years. I found it interesting that Karen took up crocheting. I did as well, and I am sure she could have taught me a thing or two. We will always remember Karen and the entire Brohl family. Our thoughts and prayers are continually with you all. I know Karen will never be forgotten. Rest well, my friend.*

Deborah Toles Haugen

Deborah Haugen - May 19 at 06:48 PM



“ Ariannah Doan sent a virtual gift in memory of Karen A. Goodwine



Ariannah Doan - May 19 at 02:09 PM



“ Karen was my sister, the second oldest of six, and was unique in every way. When we were growing up, and my parents picked her to babysit, we loved it, because she played with us and let us get away with a lot! She loved music (Bob Seger, The Beatles, Mellissa Manchester, and some really obscure bands!) and comedians, George Carlin being one. Later on, she was a great mom to her all her kids and was strict but loving. The happiest I ever saw her was when Jeffery and Pamela were born. Never one to just accept what was, she was also a fighter and proved that to the very end. There are so many stories that her kids and grandkids need to know and remember; above all, know she loved you all very much and lived for every one of you. I'm so glad us siblings all got together this past summer for the first time since mom and dad passed away, not knowing it was to be the last time we were all together. I'm so happy she is now at peace and had such a wonderful daughter, Pamela, to take care of her while she was leaving us. Love, you, Karen.

Robert Brohl - May 19 at 09:47 AM

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Deborah Haugen - May 19 at 01:52 PM

AD

“*Memaw, there have already been so many signs of you everywhere. You are already so missed. Fly high and give lots of love up there. Stay with us now, I love you*

Ariannah Doan - May 19 at 07:42 AM

PA

Love you

Pamela Aaron - May 19 at 08:05 AM

LI

“ I have so many fond memories of Aunt Karen. One of them was her buying me a pair of fake suede red shoes with a black bow on top from Payless Shoestore that I just HAD to have. 😊 So many pool days and holidays at Grandma and Grandpa’s house and even still think of her old house on Iroquois. Will miss her but know she is at peace now and came into heaven with the best welcoming committee ever. ❤️❤️❤️

Lindsay - May 18 at 10:25 PM

AA

“ Our grandma was a loving, kind, and caring person who brought comfort and happiness to everyone around her. She will always be remembered for her warm heart, her strength, and the love she gave so freely to her family and friends. Her memory will live on in the stories we share, the lessons she taught us, and the love she leaves behind. She will be deeply missed and forever loved.



Avery Aaron - May 18 at 03:14 PM

BS

“ Karen was a wonderful woman. She was very supportive of my family and loved to laugh. I’m going to miss her at the school pick up. Rest in peace Karen we miss and love you! -Bowdz

Bowdey Snyder - May 18 at 12:20 PM

LE

“ My sister. I will never forget all the first times we shared. So many memories flooding in my heart and head. I love you. I miss you already. I will even miss your facebook tags for the Trilogy of Terror movie and that freaky little dude in it. I would welcome it now. Give everyone my love up there and we will all be together again....someday.

Lisa Epley - May 18 at 11:24 AM

AN

My dear friend I love you and I miss you. We had lots of fun and laughs. I will miss our text messaging back and forth and sharing stories of our kids and Grandkids. I know your laughing big time with Steph up there. This is not good bye but see you later.

Angie - May 18 at 12:27 PM



We will meet again my dear friend. I love you and I will miss you, especially your infectious laughter.

Kristine Kalaf - May 18 at 02:19 PM

AM

Karen aka Mama Goodwine was one of the sweetest people you'd ever meet, and so quick to make you laugh. I absolutely loved working with her. I'm so sorry for your loss Pam and Jeff.

Amanda Moses - May 18 at 07:47 PM

SS

My deep condolences. May you find comfort in the wonderful memories of Karen. My thoughts are with you during this difficult time.

Sarah Sullivan - May 18 at 09:07 PM

SD

I knew Karen from PHN class of 76. She was a kind person

Susan Marston Dykstra - May 20 at 11:58 AM