



Mrs. Marilyn Ruth Russell

August 15, 1928 - March 8, 2015

Marilyn Ruth Russell, 86, of Port Huron passed away in her home March 8, 2015. She was born August 15, 1928 in Port Huron to the late Alfred and Ruth Burns.

She married Jack Russell May 21, 1948. Jack passed away May 25, 2008. Marilyn was an avid Detroit Tigers fan who looked forward to Spring Training every year which lead to 8 months of watching, or listening, to every game. She also looked forward to holiday and birthday celebrations with her family; the last one being her great granddaughters 16th birthday one month ago. She was a fantastic mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. Mary is survived by her son Jim (Cheryl) Russell of St. Clair, daughter Judy (Roger) Schaller of Lakeport, grandsons Chris (Kelly), Derek (Laurie), and Phil (Marlo) Russell, all of St. Clair, David Schaller of Lakeport, great-grandchildren Timothy, Kelsey, Autumn, Kaitlyn, Kylie, Sofia, and Lillian, nephews, cousins (including her special cousin Bob Burns) and her beloved cat "Lucy" Marilyn was preceded in death by her sister, and best friend, Neva Cornwell. Memorials can be made to the American Cancer Society on behalf of her great-granddaughter's (Kaitlyn) Relay for Life team "Kaitlyn's Krew", also to the Blue Water Area Humane Society.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 a.m. Thursday in the Jowett Funeral Home, 1634 Lapeer Ave., Port Huron. Pastor Dan Bakay will officiate.

Visiting hours will be 2:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Wednesday and 10:00 a.m. until the time of service at 11:00 a.m. Thursday in the funeral home.

There will be a luncheon immediately following the service in the Jowett Reception Center.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Mary was a nice lady whom lit up the room was her smile. I always enjoyed chatting with her and Jack when visiting my grandparents (Lorraine & Jim Hamilton), the neighborhood will not be the same without her.*

Attached is a picture of her and Grandma Lorraine when we shared a cobbler with her on her birthday 2013.

*Mary Khaddouma (Lorraine's Granddaughter/Chris's Daughter)
Tennessee*



Mary Khaddouma - March 10, 2015 at 09:00 PM



“ *to Judy and Jim, our neighborhood from chris Hamilton. We were younger! remember your dad[Jack] always riding a bike pass my house. Mary was a great person and loved the Detroit Tigers! Sorry for your loss. God Bless , Christine M Hamilton, Chartier, Richmond*

Christine Richmond - March 10, 2015 at 08:12 PM

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“ *She was an amazing person who I was so lucky to be able to call Grandma! She had the best laugh and always a great smile. She will be missed by all and remembered by many.*

*Love,
Kelly*

Kelly Russell - March 10, 2015 at 12:40 PM

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“ *In memory of a sweet, kind, lady ,who always had a smile. All my sympathy to Judy and Jim and all her family.God bless, Diannne Patterson*



Dianne Patterson - March 10, 2015 at 08:28 AM

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“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Marlo Russell - March 09, 2015 at 12:43 PM

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MARY WAS A GREAT PERSON! Jack was always riding his bike, from 1 of the kids in the neighborhood! Chris Hamilton,Chartier, Richmond

christine richmond - March 10, 2015 at 03:52 PM