



## Augusta Kay Hall

November 13, 1942 - May 20, 2026

Augusta "Gussie" Kay Hall, age 83, of Lansing, Michigan, a woman whose greatest joy was being a grandmother, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, May 20, 2026. Gussie was born on November 13, 1942, the daughter of Waldo Nelson and Edna (Kohler) Sweezey.

On September 19, 1962, Gussie married the love of her life, Lynn Wayne Hall, and together they built a life centered around family while raising three sons and a daughter. Gussie was known for her humorous spirit, kind heart, welcoming nature, and her wonderfully stubborn streak that those closest to her knew well and loved about her. She found happiness in life's simple pleasures and enjoyed reading, solving Sudoku's and puzzles, and shopping long before online retail became commonplace-she was an enthusiastic HSN shopper before she found Amazon. She loved spending time baking cookies, making homemade jam and salsa, and sharing those creations with family and friends. Gussie also enjoyed trips to Lake Michigan and cheering on the MSU Spartans during football and basketball seasons.

Gussie dedicated 20 years of service as a property manager with Midwest Management and was a proud member of the VFW Auxiliary. Above all else, she treasured her role within her family. Being a wife, mother, and especially a grandmother brought her the greatest pride and happiness. In one of her final conversations, Gussie shared how much she loved being a grandma, a

reflection of the deep love she carried for her family throughout her life. Her warmth, humor, and unwavering love will be remembered and treasured by all who knew her.

Gussie is survived by her husband, Lynn; children, Jeff (Tammy) Hall, Eric (Hilda) Hall, Jennifer (Paul) Pilon, and Andy (Maria) Hall; grandchildren, Emily (Josh) Perk, Ellaina (Kevin) Pung, Kaylan Pilon, Carissa Pilon, Dominic (Arizona) Hall, Everett Hall and Gracie Hall; great-grandchildren, Benjamin, Melanie, Bryson, and Miles; siblings Joyce Ells, Leo (Donna) Miller, and Cork (Lynda) Sweezey. She was predeceased by her parents; sister Jerilee "Cheech" Green; and brother-in-law, Mickey Ells.

Friends are encouraged to support Gussie's family by attending services or sharing memories on her Tribute Page at [www.prayfuneral.com](http://www.prayfuneral.com) <<http://www.prayfuneral.com>>. Visitation is Wednesday, May 27, 2026, from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Funeral services are Thursday, May 28, 2026, at 3:00 p.m. at Pray Funeral Home in Charlotte with Laura Cooper officiating. The funeral will be webcast so you may watch it from any computer, smartphone, or mobile device that has internet access. Go to [www.prayfuneral.com](http://www.prayfuneral.com) <<http://www.prayfuneral.com>>, click on Gussie's tribute, then click on Photos and Videos from your computer (or Media from your smartphone). If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions to Capitol Area Humane Society or McLaren Hospice. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

# Upcoming Events

## Visitation

MAY **27**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Pray Funeral Home  
401 W. Seminary St.  
Charlotte, MI 48813

## Funeral

MAY **28**. 3:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *I love you Mom and thank you for being my mom.* ”



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