



## Barbara Louise Haigh

June 17, 1932 - January 3, 2023

Barbara Louse (Pratt) Haigh, AKA Grandma Haigh, 90, of Charlotte died on Tuesday, January 3, 2023. She was born June 17, 1932, in Lansing, Michigan, to Romine E. and Lucille M. (Martin) Pratt. Barbara graduated from Charlotte High School in the class of 1950. She married her sweetheart, Stanley Haigh, on August 26, 1950, at the West Benton Methodist Church. Becoming a farmer's wife and raising five children wasn't always easy, but she loved that job. Barbara retired from the Eaton County Medical Care Facility; serving as a nurse's aide, housekeeper and finally laundry. Once she retired, she could be found helping students in the Potterville Elementary School with reading. Her title became "Grandma Haigh" to not only her grandchildren, but their friends and most everyone who knew her. After losing her husband of 56 years, she became "Grandma" again to her friends, and crew at Big Boy (her favorite restaurant). She was a Donald Duck fan, enjoyed playing BINGO at the senior center, watching soap operas, crocheting her "fancy work", sewing, cooking and baking, and watching hummingbirds.

Barbara is survived by her five children, Marilyn (Clark) Hulliberger of Dimondale, Carolyn (Doug) Armstead of Grand Ledge, Evelyn (Don) Kunst of Fowler, Ron (Linda) Haigh of Bellevue and Jackie (Jerry) Mire of Potterville; grandchildren, Dan (Stacey), George (Bullet), Kenny (Kelly), Jossie, Dawn, Donna, Douglas Jr., Jennifer, Paul (Hiroko), Crystal (Dale), Laura, Jodi (Rusty), Jessica (Marshall), Jamie; 21 great-grandchildren; 8 great-great-grandchildren with one on the way; siblings, Virgil Pratt and Nancy Mellor;

sisters and brothers-in-law, Elaine Pratt, Gerald Royston, Joan Pratt. She was predeceased by her parents; husband, Stanley; brothers, Jack, Ken, and Dale Pratt; sister, Joan Royston; son-in-law, Dan Bliesener Sr.; and great-great-grandson, Adaein.

Friends are encouraged to support Barbara's family by attending services or sharing memories on her Tribute Page at [www.prayfuneral.com](http://www.prayfuneral.com). Visitation is Tuesday, January 10, 2023 from 2-4:00 p.m. and 6-8:00 p.m. Funeral services are January 11, 2023 at 11:00 a.m. at Pray Funeral Home in Charlotte with Pastor Randy Royston 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), click on Barbara's tribute, then click on Photos and Videos from your computer (or Media from your smart phone). If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions to the Salvation Army. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

# Cemetery Details

## Deepdale Memorial Gardens

4108 Old Lansing Road  
Lansing  
Lansing, MI 48917

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 10. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Pray Funeral Home  
401 W Seminary St  
Charlotte, MI 48813

## Visitation

JAN 10. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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401 W Seminary St  
Charlotte, MI 48813

## Funeral

JAN 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Charlotte, MI 48813



# Tribute Wall



“ Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Webcast in memory of Barbara Louise Haigh



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - January 11, 2023 at 09:08 AM

JS

Wonderful tribute to Barb and her family life. To God be the glory!

Jill smith - January 11, 2023 at 08:57 PM



“ Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Barbara Louise Haigh



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - January 09, 2023 at 10:48 AM

JS

“ I'm sorry that I couldn't attend the visitation or service to hug the family that I know. She was a special lady to all who knew her. May the peace that passes understanding comfort you all. Jill Royston Smith

Jill smith - January 11, 2023 at 09:01 PM

MB

“ Family was everything to Aunt Barb, and you miss her greatly, no doubt. She was a nurses' aide at Eaton Co. Medical Care when my dad passed, she rode home with my mother so Mom wouldn't be alone. Mom and I drove her pack to work - her shift had just begun. So thoughtful! My sympathy to you all as you go along....

Mary Burman Benson - January 11, 2023 at 05:26 AM

CL

“ Barbara always had the best smile when she came for a haircut & the best hug when she left! I always smile when I think of her & Stanley in heaven together again! May they rest in peace.



Carol LaCross - January 10, 2023 at 09:46 AM

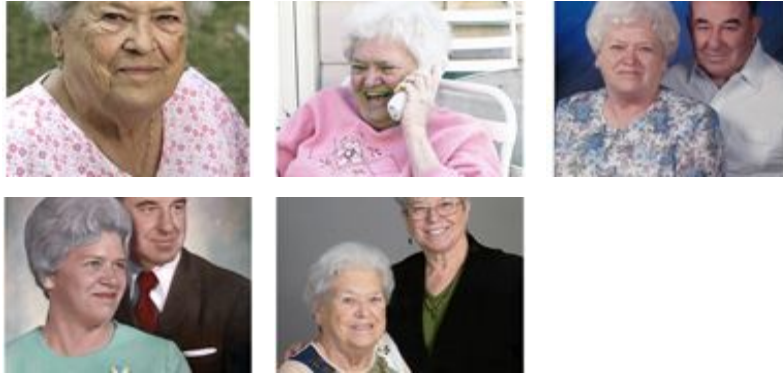
PM

“ Barbara, cousin to my Mom, Marie, was a welcome visitor/caller. Marilyn worked hard to keep both our Mom's in touch. My heart breaks for the family but heaven was waiting. No more pain for Barbara, she is flying high. Big caring hugs sent to the family.

Pam Martin - January 10, 2023 at 08:28 AM



“ 49 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Pray Funeral Home, Inc.** - January 09, 2023 at 10:46 AM

MB

“ Many fond memories of your mother from the old neighborhood, clear back to country school. We then reconnected when she played Bingo at the Senior Center. Very sweet and lovely lady.  
*Marilyn (Ells) Briggs*

**Marilyn (Ells) Briggs** - January 06, 2023 at 04:32 PM

FR

“ From Mark and Linda Royston purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Barbara Louise Haigh.



**From Mark and Linda Royston** - January 06, 2023 at 12:14 PM

CF

“ Marilyn, and family, so sorry for the loss of your mom. She sounded like a busy and hard working person. Our thoughts and prayers. Carol(Kuehn)Freer.



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**Carol Freer** - January 06, 2023 at 11:47 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Barbara Louise Haigh.



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January 06, 2023 at 08:57 AM

JG

“ I am so sorry to see that Barbara passed. I will miss seeing her. She was a Great Lady and dear friend of our family growing up. Hugs to you all. Love Julie.

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**Julie Getts** - January 05, 2023 at 09:31 PM

TR

“ Sorry to hear of your loss. Have some great memories when we were neighbors and I was just a kid.! Tom Raymond

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**Thomas Raymond** - January 05, 2023 at 06:28 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Barbara Louise Haigh.* ”



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January 05, 2023 at 05:09 PM