



Betty Jane Lavery

January 3, 1929 - November 29, 2014

Betty Jane(Walker) Lavery, 85, of Charlotte, passed away on November 29, 2014 in Lansing, MI. She was born on January 3, 1929 to Guy and Etta (Hance) Walker in Lansing, MI. She attended Potterville High School, graduating in 1947. Betty was most proud of her work in the community through Capital Area Community Services, Head Start program and Helping Hands. Betty is survived by her three Sons, Chris Aaron Lavery of Lansing, MI, Guy Lynn(Debbie) Lavery of Eaton Rapids, MI, Ralph Jerry Lavery (Ann Diamond) of Winthrop, WA; Five grandchildren: Erica, Aaron, Dustin, Cade and Corey. Three great grandchildren: Hannah, Aiden and Asher. Visitation will be held Tuesday from 9:00 to 10:00 am at Pray Funeral Home, Inc., Charlotte, Michigan. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday December 2, 2014 at 10:00 am at the Pray Funeral Home with Rev. Chuck Jenson officiating. Burial will take place in the West Windsor Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to: Helping Hands, Capital Area Community Services and the Humane Society of Eaton or Ingham County. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte. Family and friends are encouraged to share remembrances and condolences online in Betty's Book of Memories at www.prayfuneral.com.

Tribute Wall

GB

“ Chris, I'm so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. My thoughts are with you and your family, now and in the days ahead.

Gary Blasius - December 04, 2014 at 10:01 AM

KD

“ Prayers for all of the family at the passing of your mother and grandmother. May your memories be a comfort at this difficult time.

Kathy (Casey) Dobie - December 01, 2014 at 11:38 PM

MC

“ Chris so sorry for your loss. To all my Lavery family...sorry. I am Jack Casey's daughter...he was a first cousin to Betty. Etta Mae Walker and my Grandma Lillian May (Ruhf) Casey we're sisters. I always enjoyed Betty's sharp wit and keen sense of humor. She was a 'people person" for sure. And I thought she was beautiful. I had the opportunity to get to know her better when I hired in at the old Casa Nova restaurant. She was my "leader" and I was her "follower". We had fun....she made it appear so easy as the customers loved her so.Peace be with you..... RIP in cuz....until we meet once again....

Marcia Casey-Cole - December 01, 2014 at 07:53 PM

ML

“ To Betty's family - I would go to Holt Rehab Center on Mondays & have lunch with your mom. I enjoyed going to visit your mom & listening to her stories & hearing her laugh. We met when my Uncle Bob was in the home. He passed about a year ago. He & Betty were great friends. I was showing them pictures from my I pad last Monday when we realized we had all taken dance lessons from Virgiline Simmons School of Dance. I have a new little Yorkie named Bubba. Betty just loved him. He loved her also. I took a picture of her holding him & he was covering half of her face, but she didn't care she wanted me to get it printed off, so I did & gave it to her. I also had a picture of myself & Bubba taken at a photo shoot. She also wanted that which I gave her. She was such a great lady with a lot of class. I enjoyed every minute I had visiting with her. I will miss her very much. My condolences to Betty's family. I am so glad I knew Betty.

Marijo Lifford - December 01, 2014 at 07:18 PM

MK

“ Chris, I am so sorry to learn about your mother's passing. Prayers and good thoughts for you and your family. Take care of yourself. mj

Merry Jo Kerekes - November 30, 2014 at 08:14 PM