



Denise Lee Baum

September 14, 1954 - July 29, 2022

Denise Lee Baum, 67, of Grand Ledge, a true social butterfly, died peacefully surrounded by family on Friday, July 29, 2022. Denise was born September 14, 1954, in Battle Creek, the daughter of Francis LaVern and Nettie Mae (Lee) Baum. Denise will always be remembered for her willingness to always help others. Denise served as a Girl Scout leader for many years as her daughter, Courtney, went through the program. She would do anything for anyone. She loved the Renaissance Fair, where she'd wear her own hand sewn outfits. Her talents as a seamstress extended to Halloween costumes for the grandkids, and she loved working at haunted houses. She also loved her cats. Above all, she loved her family.

Denise is survived by her son, Thomas (Rebecca) Pfiester; 2 grandchildren, Justin (Alexis) Pfiester and Jessica Pfiester; 2 great-grandchildren, Oaklyn Alizabeth Pfiester and Mabel Gene Pfiester; siblings, Joyce (Stewart) Taylor and David (Judi) Baum; and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her daughter, Courtney Lee Pfiester; her parents; sisters, Diane Cutting and Debra Baum; and brothers, Harold Baum and Rex Baum.

Friends are encouraged to support Denise's family by attending services or sharing memories on her Tribute Page at www.prayfuneral.com. A Memorial Service will be held at 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 4, 2022 at Pray Funeral Home with Rev. Jeri Baker officiating. Visitation will take place for two

hours prior to the service, from 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. at the funeral home. The service will be webcast so you may watch it from any computer, smartphone, or mobile device that has internet access. Go to www.prayfuneral.com, click on Denise'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 family in care of Pray Funeral Home for help with final expenses. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 4. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Pray Funeral Home
401 W Seminary St
Charlotte, MI 48813

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Webcast in memory of Denise Lee Baum*



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - August 04, 2022 at 10:03 AM



“ *Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Denise Lee Baum*



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - August 02, 2022 at 03:26 PM



“ *My partner in crime. You were more than just a friend. You were my sister, mentor, "memory maker" and overall my other half. At faire if someone saw Nellie they knew Polly wasn't far behind. Life isn't the same without your smile, laugh and hugs. Oh your hugs. Even when I didn't think I needed one you were there ready with your arms open. You helped me through some really dark days. I only wish I could have taken all this away for you. I will forever miss you Denise. Till we meet again in the great beyond keep smiling down on us. Forever in my heart. Love Nellie aka Dianna.*

Dianna Haueter - August 04, 2022 at 01:31 PM



“ 34 files added to the album LifeTributes



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - August 02, 2022 at 03:15 PM

WC

“ *My condolences to all of Denise's friends and family. May she RIP.*

Wilma Campbell - August 02, 2022 at 01:04 AM

PS

“ *My deepest condolences to Denise's family. We went to school together. It has been fun seeing her at the class get togethers monthly. She always made us laugh. She will be missed by all of us*



Pat Smith - August 01, 2022 at 10:39 AM

JF

“ *I am so sorry to hear about Denise. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*
Aunt Judy

Judith Froat - July 31, 2022 at 09:35 PM

LC

“ My condolences to the entire family. To say that Denise was a "true social butterfly" is truly accurate. She had an infectious laugh and a humorous wit. Rest in peace friend.

LAURA COOPER - July 31, 2022 at 12:16 PM

MC

“ Condolences to all the Baum family and her friends. I'll always remember Denise with a warm smile and ready to engage in friendly conversations anytime. She was indeed a very kind person. Prayers and hugs to all. Mary Jo

Mary Jo Campbell - July 31, 2022 at 11:43 AM

LI

“ Met Denise at Festival many years ago. Her and Dianna kept me coming back. Was a victim of her wench kisses a few years ago. Gave me the nickname of Flip Flop Lips. Her smile and wit will be greatly missed.

Linda - July 30, 2022 at 11:47 PM

SD

“ The lanes will not be the same without you. Please don't haunt me for all the times I harassed you. Even if you know I'd do it again in an instant

Stacer Damen - July 30, 2022 at 10:45 PM

KE

“ You were a true friend for sure. I miss you already. Our crazy times our road trips our dinners and movies. All the laughs we had will never be forgotten. You were there for the good times and the bad times. As the saying goes "THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND". I am so glad we met thru the theater / plays we have done. All our secrets will be kept tucked in my heart. Now rest easy lady you were a great Friend.

Kerri - July 30, 2022 at 07:14 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Denise Lee Baum.



July 30, 2022 at 06:56 PM

NT

“ Love you always, Aunt Denise! Thank you for all the laughs and memories. Sashay sashay....

Nikki Taylor-Vargo - July 30, 2022 at 05:57 PM