



Edna Marie Schumacher

January 17, 1939 - August 16, 2024

Edna Marie (Snider) Schumacher, an avid reader and very knowledgeable, wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother and sister, died on Friday, August 16, 2024 in Hale, MI. Edna, 85, of Charlotte was born on January 17, 1939 in Salem, West Virginia, the daughter of Arnold and Mabel (Swiger) Snider. Being one of 13 children, her older brother challenged her that if she did well in school, he would help her with college. Edna excelled in school and was the Reader High School Salutatorian which earned her a scholarship to Marshall University. She later earned her Master's from Western Michigan University. On September 26, 1962, she married William "Lee" Schumacher, and together they started a family and created many lasting memories.

Edna was a lifelong member of St. Mary Catholic Church in Charlotte. She was the school librarian for Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic School from 1993-2003 after being a high school librarian for the public schools for 35 years. Most of her career was spent at Olivet High School, where she also taught English; the students nicknamed her "Mrs. Kotter." Edna and Lee spent their summers on Long Lake in Hale, MI at the family cabin. Once she retired, they moved to the family cabin on Long Lake. Other hobbies that she enjoyed included thrifting, garage sales, watching history shows, Johnny Carson Late Night TV, traveling around the US, bird watching, cooking, and most importantly having visitors and spending time with her family.

Edna is survived by her husband, Lee; children John Schumacher, Tama (Fred Wieting IV) Boucher, and Shyla Taylor; grandchildren, Jessica (Greg) Adamczyk, Julie (Jason) Baker, Rhiana Taylor and India Taylor; great-grandchildren, Cole, Emma, Jameson, Carson; siblings, Mary Snider, Trixie J. Robinson, and Shirley Thorne; and several extended family members. She was predeceased by her parents; and several siblings.

Friends are encouraged to support Edna's family by attending services or sharing memories on her Tribute Page at www.prayfuneral.com. Funeral services are Friday, August 23, 2024, at 11:00 a.m. at St. Mary Catholic Church in Charlotte with Rev. Fr. Dwight Ezop officiating. Visitation will be held just prior to the service at the church from 10-11:00 a.m. Interment will follow at Maple Hill Cemetery in Charlotte. 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, click on Edna'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 Charlotte Community Library. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Cemetery Details

Maple Hill Cemetery

801 Tully Brown Rd.
Charlotte, MI 48813

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 23. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary Catholic Church
807 St. Mary Boulevard
Charlotte, MI 48813

Funeral Mass

AUG 23. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary Catholic Church
807 St. Mary Boulevard
Charlotte, MI 48813

Burial

AUG 23 (ET)

Maple Hill Cemetery
801 Tully Brown Rd.
Charlotte, MI 48813

Tribute Wall



“ Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Webcast in memory of Edna Marie Schumacher



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - August 23, 2024 at 02:19 PM

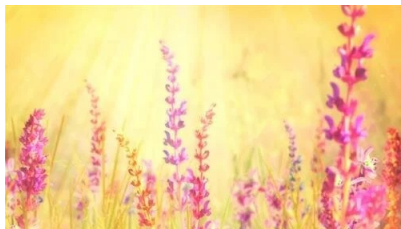
MW

Praying for you Shyla and your family. May your mom find eternal peace.

Meredith Weathers - August 23, 2024 at 03:12 PM



“ Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Edna Marie Schumacher



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - August 22, 2024 at 02:47 PM

CB

“ Cindy B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Edna Marie Schumacher.

Cindy B. - August 24, 2024 at 12:17 PM

RP

“ Ron Pipoly purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Edna Marie Schumacher.



Ron Pipoly - August 22, 2024 at 01:23 PM



“ 64 files added to the album Life Tributes



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - August 22, 2024 at 10:40 AM

JP

“ Janet L Pulliam planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Edna Marie Schumacher.

Janet L Pulliam - August 21, 2024 at 08:01 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Edna Marie Schumacher.*



August 21, 2024 at 08:01 AM



“ *Chad & Carol Walker lit a candle in memory of Edna Marie Schumacher*



Chad & Carol Walker - August 20, 2024 at 09:29 PM



“ *Good Vibe Tribe purchased the Simply Elegant S pathiphyllum for the family of Edna Marie Schumacher.*



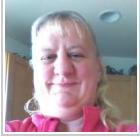
Good Vibe Tribe - August 20, 2024 at 05:27 PM



“ *Roxanne and Phil Krumel purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Edna Marie Schumacher.*



Roxanne and Phil Krumel - August 20, 2024 at 12:07 PM



“ Sorry to hear this. Had her for 12th grade English class. Have always remembered her excitement the first day of school telling our English class "the library is a treasure chest and I will show you it's treasures" . Such a sweet, kind woman. Bill taught me to drive back when drivers training was still done thru the school. He must have done alright too, cuz in nearly 50 years of driving I've never done anything other than a speeding ticket or two and hitting couple deer. I smile when I remember those days. Hugs to the family.

Jodie Watson - August 19, 2024 at 11:17 PM

AM

“ My sincere condolences to Lee and the entire family. I didn't know Edna very well till my senior year at Olivet High, I was one of her library assistants, she was a very kind and generous person. RIP my friend, She touched many lives in her time at Olivet. Aaron Maurer

Aaron Maurer - August 19, 2024 at 10:10 PM

TI

“ Dear Shyla ,
I'm so sorry for the loss of your mother. You have been an amazing daughter. Taking your parents in and helping the with all their needs! Then when it was time making the hard decision to mover her where her care could be provided and support her! It was so much fun to see all her smiles and how much she truly enjoyed her time there and her lady friends . Your adventures to take her to the lake , just a little drive to get out. Truly blessed to have you by her side and so committed. May she Rest In Peace, pain free ! With the smell and sounds of the lake

Tia - August 19, 2024 at 07:43 PM

RT

“ *Tama, Fred and family. I am so very sorry for your loss. although I did not know your mother, I do know how much you loved her. I wish you peace in the days ahead.*

renee tucker - August 19, 2024 at 04:27 PM