



Geraldine Louise Bursley

April 7, 1925 - January 23, 2019

Geraldine Louise "Gerry" Bursley, 93, of Charlotte, MI, a caring and loving, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and great-great-grandmother died January 23, 2019. Gerry was born April 7, 1925 in Hammond, IN to Gerald and Frances (Ling) Niccum. She graduated from Charlotte High School in 1943, and soon after married Dale Bursley. Together they enjoyed Polka festivals in Indiana, Ohio, and all over Michigan. The Bursley's loved to dance every Saturday night at the Moose Lodge. While Polka music and dancing were two of Gerry's favorite activities, she also loved gardening, fishing, camping, traveling, crocheting, and crossword puzzles. Experimental meals were common in the Bursley household, she loved trying new recipes. Gerry will be remembered for her loved showed towards others, she never met a stranger.

Gerry is survived by her daughters, Carol (Larry) Hill of Nashville, MI and Connie (Al) Upright of Charlotte; 9 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren, 5 great-great-grandchildren; and beloved extended family members, Paul (Linda) Campbell, and sons. She was preceded in death by her husband of 67 years, Dale in 2011; grandson, Don Beck; and her parents.

Friends are encouraged to support the Bursley family at her celebration of life. Her celebration of life is Saturday, February 2, 2019 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at The Sunfield United Brethren Church. If desired, the family suggests

memorial contributions to Eaton Community Palliative Care or the Sunfield United Brethren Church. Friends and family are encouraged to share memories of Gerry on her Tribute Page at www.PrayFuneral.com. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Cemetery Details

Gresham Cemetery

4100 Mulliken Rd
Charlotte, MI 48813

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

FEB 2. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Sunfield United Brethren Church
8346 W. Grand Ledge Hwy.
Sunfield, MI 48890

Tribute Wall



“ Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Geraldine Louise Bursley



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - February 01, 2019 at 02:39 PM

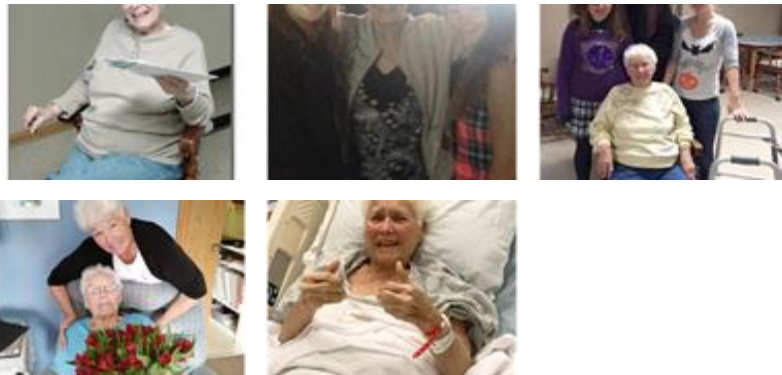


“ Oh my, so sorry to hear of Gerry's passing. I've lost touch with her over the years. I worked with her many years ago at Dr. Hillmans office. She was always a delight! We've lost another beautiful soul. I'm sure she is dancing in heaven right now! Mary Jo

Mary Jo Brimmer - February 01, 2019 at 02:09 PM



“ 40 files added to the album Life Tributes



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - February 01, 2019 at 01:35 PM

SK

“ I help care for Gerry at River Inn AFC home. We bonded together right from the start . She was a beautiful person. We always had great conversations. She went home with me sometimes after work. One time when she went home with me. Her great granddaughter Shilo came to. We took her on my husband Polaris riding in the fields and around the big town of Mulliken. She sure enjoyed that. She will be missed dearly.

Sandra Kelly - January 31, 2019 at 12:45 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Geraldine Louise Bursley .



January 30, 2019 at 08:37 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Geraldine Louise Bursley .



January 29, 2019 at 08:56 AM

CW

“ Chad & Carol Walker lit a candle in memory of Geraldine Louise Bursley



Chad & Carol Walker - January 28, 2019 at 11:32 AM

PB

“ I helped care for Gerry at River Inn AFC. Such a sweetheart. She will be missed. Prayers of comfort for her family.

Penny Bell - January 25, 2019 at 10:20 AM

AK

“ I am sorry sad to hear that Gerry has passed! She has been a part of my life for my entire life!! I am glad she can be reunited with Dale. R.I.P. Dear Lady!

Angela Kibbey - January 25, 2019 at 08:39 AM

GD

“ Carol and Connie I'm so sorry to hear of the loss of your mom she was such a sweet lady I think of you often Carol since I have moved away from the Charlotte area

Gloria DeLong - January 25, 2019 at 05:27 AM

JB

Such a wonderful lady. So kind to others.

James Balger - January 25, 2019 at 06:28 AM

CG

Connie, so, so sorry to hear about your Mom`s passing.

Carolyn Griest-Makin

Carolyn Griest'-Makin - January 25, 2019 at 11:35 PM