



Jacqueline Louise King

April 30, 1927 - January 29, 2025

Jacqueline "Jackie" (Fauser) King, passed away January 29, 2025 at Hope Landing in Charlotte, Michigan. Surrounded by the family she so dearly loved, she left this world with grace and a strong connection to her faith. She was born April 30, 1927 in Marshall, Michigan to Myrtle and Grover Fauser. Jackie graduated from Albion High School in 1944. She met the love of her life, John King, while working at a local lunch counter. John was smitten with Jackie at first sight. To win a first date he bet Jackie that he could run backwards faster than she could ride her bike. Needless to say, he won the bet and they were married in 1944. Jackie followed John to several places around the country while he was in the service. After he was discharged, they settled in Albion, Michigan where they bought 10 acres of the family farm and built a home. John worked as a machinist at Albion Industries during the day and planted and tended a massive garden when he returned home. Jackie spent many hours each day canning the fresh produce from the garden. Her dill pickles were a family favorite and later became a family tradition for a day of making them with her daughters and granddaughters.

Jackie was known as an outstanding cook and baker. Her pies and cakes were famous and each family member was rewarded with their favorite on their birthday. Jackie loved family get-togethers and she especially loved playing Euchre. The week before she passed, she played for two hours. She enjoyed going to the Senior Center two days a week to play cards. Jackie was

an outstanding bowler and enjoyed playing in many leagues in Albion and Marshall until she was in her 80s. Jackie was a loving mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. The family photo albums are full of sleeping babies in her arms. She glowed when she held the newest member of the family. Jackie was a woman of great faith and was a member of St. John Catholic Church in Albion for over 70 years. Jackie cooked for many dinners at the church and was one of the ladies who made thousands of cabbage rolls yearly for Albions Festival of the Forks to raise money for the church. When she moved to Charlotte in 2020, she attended St. Mary Catholic Church.

Jackie was preceded in death by her husband of 68 years, John King; her parents; and her two sisters, Lois Bowersox and Bonita Robison. She is survived by her seven children, Paul King (Jeni), Rosemary Berlin, Kenneth King (Sheila), Jan Anderson (Steve), Patricia Kulikowski (Victor), Joan Kulikowski (Sam), and Kathryn Griffin (Dave); 22 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren. She also leaves behind a special friend, Julia Coenen who cared for her medical and spiritual needs for the past few years.

Friends are encouraged to support Jackie's family by attending services or sharing memories on her Tribute Page at www.prayfuneral.com. Visitation is Sunday, February 2, 2025 at Pray Funeral Home in Charlotte from 6-8:00 p.m. Funeral Mass will be celebrated Monday, February 3, 2025, at St. Mary Catholic Church at 10:00 a.m. with Rev. Fr. Dwight Ezop officiating. Burial will take place at Riverside Cemetery in Albion. 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 Jackie'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 St. Mary Catholic Church or Hospice of Lansing. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Cemetery Details

Riverside Cemetery - Albion

1301 S. Superior St.
Albion, MI 49224

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 2. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Pray Funeral Home
401 W Seminary St
Charlotte, MI 48813

Funeral Mass

FEB 3. 10:00 AM (ET)

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

Burial

FEB 3 (ET)

Riverside Cemetery - Albion
1301 S. Superior St.
Albion, MI 49224

Tribute Wall



“ Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Webcast in memory of Jacqueline Louise King



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - February 03, 2025 at 09:38 AM



“ Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Jacqueline Louise King



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - February 01, 2025 at 07:50 PM

PK

My mother was such a wonderful role model. She loved us all unconditionally and would sacrifice everything she had just to give us 7 children a good life. Her heart is bigger than anyone I know. Her kindness and faith kept shining all the way to the end. She was the favorite patient at all the facilities she was in these last months. She is sweet all the way through and never made judgement just always accepts you as is. It will be very hard to say goodbye but I know she had a great 97 years and is now dancing with Jesus and my dad.

Pat Kulikowski - February 03, 2025 at 08:07 AM

TF

“ Jackie was a great neighbor with a wonderful smile and great sense of humor. We were fortunate to be members of the neighborhood monthly Euchre group and enjoyed many nights together. Over several years our family was lucky to have the trust of the Kings to farm their land and Jackie usually had a treat for the boys when they came to plant and harvest. We will miss her infectious and spontaneous laugh.

The Vogt Family - February 04, 2025 at 03:10 PM

LN

“ What a great lady and neighbor. We met Jackie and John at our neighborhood monthly euchre party. I also was on a bowling team with her. And she raised 4 of the best babysitters. She was always happy to see you and had the best smile ever. She was missed when she moved. What a wonderful person. Linda and Dave Noggles

linda noggles - February 02, 2025 at 04:55 PM

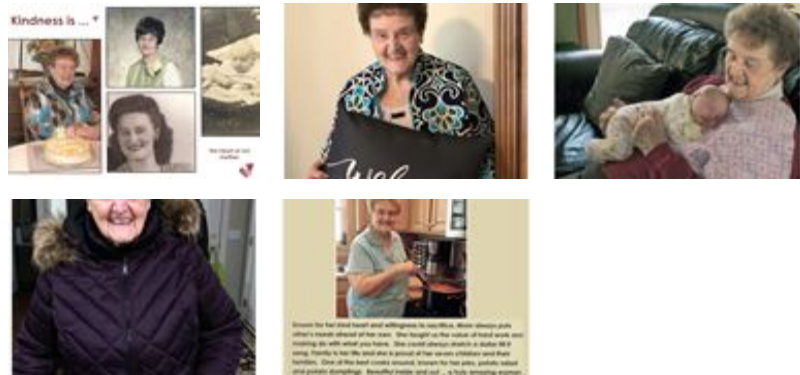


“ I remember my Grandma King as perhaps the most passionate and loving individual I've ever known. I recall my family's car drive from NC to MI during the summer as a young child. Looking back, I'm certain that the four of us from NC must have oozed anything other than calm after being in the same vehicle for 1 to 1.5 days. All of that melted away when we pulled into the driveway. Within moments we would be welcomed with Grandma King's amazing grace and energy. She would calmly sit us down and begin to feed us. The adults immediately wanted pie. I wanted one of Grandpa's tomatoes. I can't think of better place to be by setting alone. Their table, beside the kitchen, in between the "garden". Grandma would feed and love on is. Life couldn't be better. There is no better taste than Grandma's skill and love bringing Grandpa's garden to full culinary completion. I'm so proud of my Grandma King, a true Matriarch! I love you Jackie King, rest in peace.

Zachary King - February 02, 2025 at 01:42 PM



“ 39 files added to the album Life Tributes



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - February 01, 2025 at 07:46 PM

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Pat Kulikowski - February 01, 2025 at 08:39 PM

TD

“ Terry Arnold II, and Daughters purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Jacqueline Louise King.



Terry Arnold II, and Daughters - January 31, 2025 at 04:52 PM

TF

“ Tony and Kathy Sampson & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jacqueline Louise King.

Tony and Kathy Sampson & Family - January 31, 2025 at 04:02 PM

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“ Tony and Kathy Sampson & Family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Jacqueline Louise King.



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LH

“ Love, Rob and Sharon Hurd purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Jacqueline Louise King.



Love, Rob and Sharon Hurd - January 31, 2025 at 03:00 PM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Jacqueline Louise King.



January 31, 2025 at 11:49 AM

RS

“ Ryerson - Singer Steel purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Jacqueline Louise King.



Ryerson - Singer Steel - January 31, 2025 at 09:06 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jacqueline Louise King.



January 30, 2025 at 08:54 PM

KH

“ We all so enjoyed playing euchre with Jackie at the Eaton Senior Center, she will b every missed . We also got to meet some family members, she was so happy when they were there. Kathy Hubbard

Kathleen Hubbard - January 30, 2025 at 05:47 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Jacqueline Louise King.

January 30, 2025 at 05:37 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jacqueline Louise King.



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