



Karen Lynne Silcox

August 31, 1964 - December 15, 2021

Karen Lynne (Lojewski) Silcox, a loving, social, ray of sunshine, went to be with our savior with her daughters by her side, on Wednesday, December 15, 2021. Karen, 57, of Charlotte, was born August 31, 1964, in Charlotte, MI. Daughter of John Lojewski and Christel Hose. From an early age Karen developed a love for music, she began playing the piano at 3 years old, and this love continued throughout her life. Karen was a graduate of Charlotte High School and after became a Clerk for the Circuit Court at the Eaton County Courthouse, where she retired after 31 years in 2019. In 1994 Karen married Scott Silcox and together they created lasting memories. Each year following her retirement Karen and Scott enjoyed their anniversary trips around the country and state. Karen was very social, and she never met a stranger. She was very active at the First Baptist Church in Charlotte, serving as the church pianist and upon her retirement volunteering with kids for Mother's Day Out and Awana Club. Karen's hobbies included working in her flowerbeds, bird watching, watching MSU sports, watching the Lions lose, her evening campfires, working on family ancestry and most importantly spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren.

Karen is survived by her husband, Scott; children, Mindy (Richard) Mauck, Ashley (Joshua) Harris, Eric Silcox, and Kyle Silcox; grandchildren, Marisa, Sidenia, Mackenzie, Aubrey, Tooker, Addyson, Harmony, and Jameson; parents, John (Marsha) Lojewski, Christel (Mario) Taha; siblings, Michael

(Kelly Jo) Hancock, Robin Hancock, and Bryan Lumbert; in-laws, Dick (Martha) Silcox, and Darlene (Bill) LaHaie; sisters-in-law, Tracy (Brian) Marek, and Marcy (Devon) DeKett; and so many friends that were near and dear to Karen's heart. She was predeceased by her grandparents, Otto and Anna Hose.

Friends are encouraged to support Karen's family by attending services or sharing memories on her Tribute Page at www.prayfuneral.com. Visitation is Monday, December 20, 2021, from 3-5:00 p.m. and 7-9:00 p.m. at Pray Funeral Home. Funeral services are Tuesday, December 21, 2021, at 11:00 a.m. at First Baptist Church in Charlotte, with Pastor Pete Kroll officiating. If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions to the Charlotte Baseball Club, Potterville Athletic Boosters or the First Baptist Church. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **20**. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Pray Funeral Home
401 W. Seminary St.
Charlotte, MI 48813

Visitation

DEC **20**. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Pray Funeral Home
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Charlotte, MI 48813

Funeral Ceremony

DEC **21**. 11:00 AM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Charlotte
1110 S. Cochran Ave
Charlotte, MI 48813

Tribute Wall



“ *Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Karen Lynne Silcox*



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - December 18, 2021 at 05:06 PM

SS

“ *My deepest condolences to Karen's family and friends. We spent time together in our childhood with our moms being friends. I'll never forget laughs with Karen, her fiesty grandmother and beautiful mother Christel. Pics brought back memories. Thoughts and prayers are with you during this time of loss. Shannen (Tinkey) Sabino, Daytona Beach FL. I'll let my Mom (Brenda) know.*

Shannen Sabino - December 31, 2021 at 07:20 PM

LM

“ *Scott, Mindy and Ashley my heart breaks for all of you during this difficult time. Karen was one very special lady and I to have many memories of her from the Courthouse days. She was such a special person in so many ways. She will be truly missed by everyone whose life she touched. Rest in peace my dear friend. And may God wrap his arms around all of you during this heart breaking time.*

Linda L. McDonald - December 21, 2021 at 07:41 AM

DD

“ My dear dear friend. My condolences to Scott and family. I've known Karen since our days at the courthouse, playing music together at St Peter's. She had many gifts, music, empathy, compassion and loyalty. She will be missed.

Denise Dell'Acqua - December 21, 2021 at 05:11 AM

JM

“ Karen and I met through our mutual employment with Eaton County Circuit Court. We also discovered she graduated with my youngest sister and that we knew a lot of the same people. She was like a ray of sunshine with her blonde hair and beautiful smile. She also shared with me how very much she loved playing the piano at First Baptist Church, a mutual passion the two of us enjoyed at different points in our lives. Heaven has received another angel. God bless you Karen. And God bless the broken-hearted family and friends you left behind. Jody Miller

Jody Miller - December 20, 2021 at 10:31 PM

WB

“ Karen and I worked in different offices at the courthouse but had daily contact. With her outgoing and friendly personality we instantly became friends. We had so much fun outside of work too. I treasure our lasting friendship.

wendy Braford - December 20, 2021 at 01:37 PM



“ Heartfelt Memories was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.



December 20, 2021 at 12:47 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.*



December 20, 2021 at 12:21 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.*



December 19, 2021 at 04:51 PM



“ *I was blessed by regular contact with Karen since the day she started working for Eaton County . From 1997-2013 we served Eaton County together and usually had contact multiple times a day . Always uplifting and just a wonderful soul , Karen always made my job as an attorney and Circuit Judge easier . Just a joy to be around with her zest for life and other people . Just a marvelous human being . My condolences to family and friends . How ironic that I'm texting this 225 miles north of Charlotte in a room Karen and Lisa once sat and the Lion's are UP 27- 12 with under 4 to go - with the ball !!*

Cal Osterhaven

cal osterhaven - December 19, 2021 at 03:53 PM

TE

“ I began my tenure on the Bench about the same time Karen began her duties in the Circuit Court Clerk's Office. For 24 years we shared almost daily laughs and smiles and good cheer. She was someone you were always happy to see. I am deeply saddened by her passing and tender my heartfelt sympathy to her family and friends who loved her, as we all did.
Tom Eveland

Tom Eveland - December 19, 2021 at 12:55 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.



December 18, 2021 at 07:17 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.



December 18, 2021 at 07:14 PM



“ 61 files added to the album Life Tributes



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - December 18, 2021 at 05:04 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.



December 18, 2021 at 04:53 PM



“ Hugs to Scott, Mindy, Ashley and all the family. Karen was a ray of sunshine in the neighborhood. She was a like a daughter to my parents and her girls like their grandchildren. She helped watch over them in their elder years. Karen was sitting with me in my dad's room when he took his last breath. She was telling me how she prayed with my dad and brought him to Christ. What a wonderful person. My deepest condolences.

Deb Fredline Marquardt - December 18, 2021 at 09:57 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.*



December 18, 2021 at 09:57 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.*



December 18, 2021 at 09:10 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.*



December 17, 2021 at 07:52 PM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of Karen’s passing. She was a work colleague for many years. I was always inspired by her ability to smile and joke during times of stress and to rise above tough situations. She made me laugh and she definitely added lots of humor to our office Christmas parties. She was an amazing person who definitely leaves a huge void for many people. My condolences to her many family and friends. She will be missed. Deb Loveall*

Debra Loveall - December 17, 2021 at 03:27 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.*



December 17, 2021 at 02:09 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.*



December 17, 2021 at 01:05 PM



“ *Our family is so saddened to hear of Karen's too early death. She died exactly a month after our mother, Linda Culp Webb, died. I'm sure Mom was pushing in line to love on her and give her a huge mom hug in heaven. I remember as a little girl when Karen washed those beautiful blonde tresses in Grandma Culp's sink, and they turned reddish hued from the iron. :) I'm also suspecting Mom got the "Lynne" that is a few of us Webb girls' middle name from Karen. How sweet. Hugs and love to you, "Uncle John", and the whole family. - Cheryl (Webb) Dunn, Charlotte, NC*

Cheryl Dunn - December 17, 2021 at 11:01 AM

JD

“ I worked with Karen when she came to work for Eaton County Circuit Court. She had been working in another office when we asked her to work for our office. Karen was a delight to work with as we shared good times with not so good times. Karen was a very lively and caring person. My heart breaks for the loss of this lovely lady. Even though she was a hard worker, she also liked pulling a prank or two, but all in fun. She loved her family dearly along with special friends and her faith. Karen will be missed. Jean DeWalt

Jean DeWalt - December 17, 2021 at 09:54 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.



December 17, 2021 at 09:40 AM

LN

“ My dear Karen is my friend of 33 years. We started working together in 1988 at Eaton County. We became close friends as we shared raising our families together she had 2 girls and I had 2 boys. We had many adventures and oh there was so many fun times where we couldn't even catch our breath of laughing so hard. We also enjoyed traveling together. So many laughs, so many hugs are going to be truly missed.

Lisa Nolan - December 17, 2021 at 09:10 AM

LR

“ I remember playing with Karen at my grandparents house in Michigan when we would visit. We had so many good memories in that house and many shared feasts around the big family dining table. I have all good memories of Karen. Even back then she was a delightful, cheerful person filled with light. I’m so sorry to hear of her passing. My heart and prayers go out to her husband, children, and parents.

Lynette Webb Rambo - December 17, 2021 at 08:53 AM

KB

“ Karen played for our youth group masses and many years of Tuesday night prayer meetings at St Peters in Eaton Rapids. She was a beam of light everywhere she went. So sorry for your loss. May the angels welcome her to paradise. Kay Bumstead

kay bumstead - December 17, 2021 at 07:40 AM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.



December 16, 2021 at 11:05 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.



December 16, 2021 at 09:00 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.*



December 16, 2021 at 07:57 PM



“ *We were saddened to hear about the passing of Karen, she was indeed a ray of sunshine. Sending prayers to Scott, her girls and the entire family!*

John and Cecilia Saldana - December 16, 2021 at 07:54 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Karen Lynne Silcox.*



December 16, 2021 at 05:50 PM