



## Mary Louise Estes

December 12, 1935 - March 6, 2011

Mary Estes, of Charlotte, MI, formerly of Fowlerville, died March 6, 2011. Mrs. Estes was born December 12, 1935 in Detroit, MI, the daughter of William and Elvah (Dunn) Bogan. Mary loved dance and was an instructor at Arthur Murray's School of Dance. She was employed in the Medical Billing Department at Sparrow Hospital until her retirement. After moving to Charlotte she became a volunteer with Helping Hands. She is survived by her daughter Julie (Mike) McLeod, son Rex Estes both of Charlotte; her two grandchildren Cortney (Charles) Emerson, and Cari McLeod and Orande Shaw; and three great grandchildren Benjamin and McKenzie Emerson, and Dimitry Shaw. Friends and Family are invited to a Family Affirmation Service at 7 PM Wednesday March 9, 2011, at Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte with Rev. Rich Mitterling officiating. The family will receive visitors from 5 to 7 PM Wednesday preceding the service at Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte. If desired, memorial contributions may be made to Eaton County Medical Facility –Activities Department or to Helping Hands.

# Tribute Wall

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“ My condolences are with you in the loss of your wonderful mother. How she found me is unknown, but she stopped to see me at my job at the Eaton County Medical Care Facility as the receptionist and introduced herself to me and we were immediate friends. My late husband and I were great friends of your father and grandparents, Beulah and Rex in Toledo, Ohio. In fact your grandpa Rex boarded his horse at our house in Temperance, Mi in the early 1960's. We moved to Charlotte MI in 1963. Rex and Beulah came to visit us in October 1963 bringing our cat "Porky" up to us in the trunk of their car. He took care of Porky until we got moved into our house. For some reason he opened the trunk I guess to let the cat get some fresh air and Porky got loose. They chased him all over the town of Olivet, until finally catching him and then brought him to his new house, all our family was so grateful to them for their trouble in bringing Porky back to us.

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**Barbara Cummings** - March 07, 2011 at 12:20 PM