



Mary Helen Finley

November 1, 1948 - November 21, 2014

Mary Helen Finley, 68, of Lansing, died peacefully on Friday, November 21, 2014. Mary was born November 1, 1948 in Calera, Alabama, the daughter of Frances Finley. Helen was a long-time resident of Wilson Homes, first at Crestview in Bellevue and, most recently, Heritage in Lansing. She was the kindest, most loving person, leaving a lasting impression on all who met her and cared for her. Mary worked 14 years at Peckham Vocational Industries. Many will remember Mary's ever-present and lasting smile. Mary is survived by her family from Wilson Home Crestview and Heritage. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, December 2, 2014 at Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte. Visitation will be from 12:00-2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, December 2, 2014 at the funeral home, just prior to the service. Interment will take place at Kalamo Hillside Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Eaton County Adult Handicap Program. Her family and friends would like to thank Great Lakes Caring Hospice for all of their kindness. Mary thanks everyone who's ever touched her life.

Tribute Wall

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“ I had the blessing of caring for Mary. She always had a smile on her face and a positive energy that was contagious! She will forever be in my heart.

Calina Foster-Vandermoere - December 15, 2014 at 03:52 PM

JW

“ Mary will forever be in my heart. I will always remember her loving eyes, smile, and gentle hand shake when she would greet me. I am a better person for having her in my life.

Jack Westmoreland - November 30, 2014 at 06:28 PM

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“ I met Mary in 2005 when I started working at wilson homes...and she had an everlasting impact on my life. She was always full of smiles and unconditional love. She would pat my face and smile at me, or make gestures to make me laugh and would show me her baby dolls. She was and is a beautiful soul. She will be dearly missed. Rest in Peace sweet lady.

Danella Winters - November 26, 2014 at 09:18 PM

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“ I met Helen 25-26 years ago when I worked at Crestview. You couldn't be sad around her, she would not let you get away without a smile. She would pat my face and smile at me and wait for me to smile back. She lifted my spirits. It was what she did and who she was. Good bye, Helen.

Caroline Halliwill - November 25, 2014 at 11:06 PM

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“ You have a permanent place in my heart Mary. Beautiful smile, a beautiful soul. You are loved and will be missed.

Danella Winters - November 25, 2014 at 10:29 PM

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Never will I forget her smile and how much she loved her nails painted. Many many good memories from miss Mary, she will always be missed

Ashley dietzel - April 27, 2016 at 01:44 AM