



## Barbara A Hood

May 23, 1933 - October 18, 2016

Manitou Beach—Barbara Ann Hood, 83, formerly of Adrian, passed away Tuesday, October 18, 2016 at Allegiance Hospital, Jackson, surrounded by her loving family.

She was the only daughter of Roland B. and Anna M. (Puchalski) Atkinson, born on May 23, 1933 in Springfield, MA. She graduated from Springfield Classical High School in 1951 and went on to Bay Path University to become a medical assistant. On May 26, 1956, Barbara married Dr. Herbert Hood Sr. in Ann Arbor, MI., they celebrated 60 years of marriage. She worked as a field manager, doing radon and electrical magnet field studies for the US Public Health Services.

Barbara lived a full wonderful life, she loved her family and friends. She was a member of Civitan of Lenawee, serving as past president, Adrian and Lakeland, FL Red Hat Society and was the first woman president of Island Park Association of Round Lake. She enjoyed shopping, gardening, reading, especially Bill O'Reilly's books, and fashion. Caring for her family and friends was very important to Barbara, she would often volunteer to take friends to their doctor's appointments. While wintering in Lakeland, FL, Barbara and Dr. Hood would volunteer as ushers at the Tiger's spring training. She never knew a stranger, she loved talking with anyone, especially about politics.

Survivors include her husband, Dr. Herbert Hood of Manitou Beach; her children, William A. Hood of Manitou Beach, Kimberly A. (Steve) Williams of Sand Creek, James M. (Karen W.) Hood of Littleton, NH, Dr. Richard K. Hood of Naples, FL, Dr. Scott C. (Raelynn) Hood of Adrian; grandchildren, Marissa, Harper, Nicole, Rachelle, James, Daniel, Michael, Sue, Matthew and Steven; great grandchildren, Angela, Colin and Natalie; and her siblings, Richard R. Atkinson of Farmington, CT and Howard L. Atkinson of Goodyear, AZ.

Barbara was preceded in death by her parents and a son, Herbert Hood, Jr.

Funeral services will be 1 pm on Saturday, October 22, 2016 at Wagley Funeral Home, Adrian. Burial will follow at Lenawee Hills Memorial Park. Visitation will be Friday from 4 to 7 pm.

Memorial contributions may be made to Civitan of Lenawee. Envelopes will be available at the funeral home. Online condolences and memories may be shared at [www.WagleyFuneralHome.com](http://www.WagleyFuneralHome.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Barbara A Hood*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *Herb & family...Sending our sincere condolences to you and your family on the loss of your wife, mother and grandmother. Jill Vescelius Ashley, John and family*

**Jill Vescelius Ashley** - October 25, 2016 at 07:53 PM

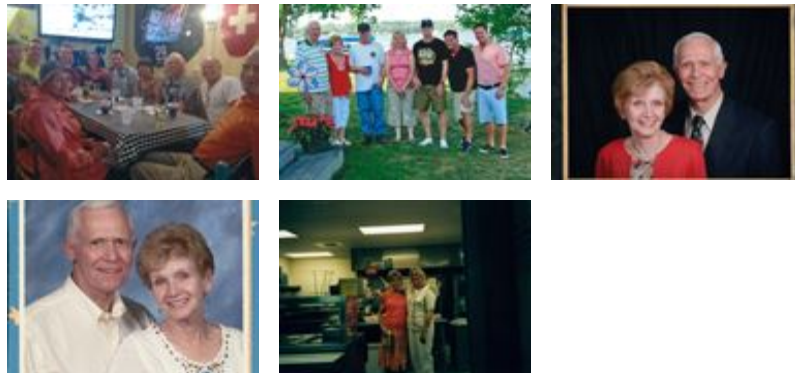


“ *May our condolences bring you comfort and may our prayers ease the pain of your loss. Steve & Rhonda Ross*

**Rhonda Ross** - October 22, 2016 at 11:21 AM



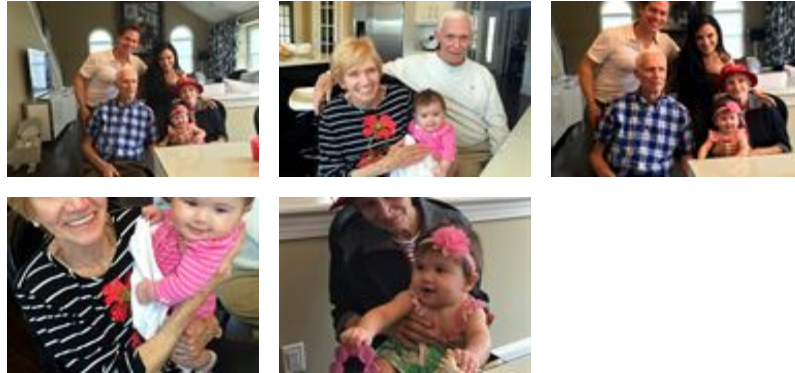
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**Wagley Funeral Home** - October 21, 2016 at 02:35 PM



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**Wagley Funeral Home** - October 21, 2016 at 07:49 AM

SG

“ *Our deepest sympathy to Herb and the family. We became part of the IPRC neighborhood at Round Lake 8 years ago. We always enjoyed seeing Herb ride his bike around the neighborhood and Barb would always stop and visit when we were sitting on our porch. She always had a smile on her face and was involved in every event and played a large part in the warmth of our community. She was such a sweet lady and we feel fortunate to have know her for the past 8 summers. It will not be the same in Island Park without her. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time.*

*Denny and Sheila Gunter*

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**Sheila Gunter** - October 20, 2016 at 08:30 PM

Rob  
Treviño

“ *Sending our deepest condolences from all my family to the Hood family. May Mrs. Barbara Hood rest in heaven and may all who loved her have peace. Mrs. Hood was always so kind and a very loving person. Prayers for all who loved and knew her.*

*Respectfully,  
Rob Trevino & family.*



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**Rob Treviño** - October 20, 2016 at 05:06 PM

BS

“ *Bob, Carrie, and Frank Sr. Soellner purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Barbara A Hood.*



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**Bob, Carrie, and Frank Sr. Soellner** - October 20, 2016 at 04:14 PM

YF

“ *Your Riverwalk Surgery Family.... purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Barbara A Hood.*



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**Your Riverwalk Surgery Family....** - October 20, 2016 at 01:13 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Barbara A Hood.*



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October 20, 2016 at 12:33 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Barbara A Hood.*



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October 20, 2016 at 10:32 AM



“ *Beautiful Whisper was purchased for the family of Barbara A Hood.*



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October 20, 2016 at 09:46 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Barbara A Hood.*



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October 20, 2016 at 09:32 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Barbara A Hood.*



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October 19, 2016 at 10:58 PM



“ *Our sincerest condolences to the family, especially Herb and Lucky. We know Barb from the lake and always enjoyed seeing her with Herb and Lucky. Barb always had a beautiful smile and loved to engage in conversation, especially regarding Ann Arbor. Barb will be missed dearly. -Karen & Jon Jacobson*

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**Karen M Jacobson** - October 19, 2016 at 08:15 PM



“ *Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Barbara A Hood.*



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October 19, 2016 at 05:14 PM