



Barbara Sanborn

May 25, 1934 - April 28, 2010

JACKSON – Barbara J. Sanborn, age 75, of Adrian, passed away into eternal life Wednesday, April 28, 2010, at the Allegiance Hospice Home in Jackson.

She was born May 25, 1934, the daughter of George and Mildred (Cole) Shaneour in Weston, Michigan. The family moved to Adrian in 1944. Barbara graduated in 1952 from Adrian High School. On December 2, 1967, she married Glennis E. Sanborn in Adrian at the home of her very good friend, Geri Moore.

She played fast pitch softball for approximately twenty years with the Adrian Merchants, Eagles and VFW teams. Three times they won the rite to play in the Softball World's Tournament. Besides Barb's love of sports she enjoyed being outdoors working in her yard and vegetable garden. She also loved meeting with her friends for coffee and conversation at Morning Fresh Bakery.

Barbara is survived by a daughter, Connie J. Gentner and her husband, Brian, of Manitou Beach; a son, Keith C. Richard and his wife, Tracy, of Adrian; granddaughters, Breanne, Sarah and Erika Gentner; Megan, Cassidy and Emily Richard; and two grandsons, Wesley and Andrew Richard. She is also survived by her children's father, Charles "Bud" Richard of Manitou Beach and her very dear friend, Dolores Justice.

Preceding her in death was her parents; husband, Sandy Sanborn; a sister, Loretta Jean Parker; and a brother, Gary Dennis Shaneour in infancy.

At her request, cremation will take place. A gathering of family and friends in honor of Barbara will be held from 3 to 5 p.m. on Sunday, May 2, 2010, at Wagley Funeral Home. Private interment will be held at Weston Cemetery. You may also send condolences to the family at www.wagleyfuneralhome.com. Contributions in memory of Barbara may be made to Allegiance Hospice or Hospice of Lenawee. Envelopes are available at Wagley Funeral Home.

Barbara's family would like to thank the following for their loving care: Great Lakes Home Health Hospice, Partners at Home, Allegiance Hospice Home, and the angels, Mary and Julia.

Tribute Wall



“ *Barbara Sanborn*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *We, at Allegiance Hospice Home, feel honored to have cared for Barbara and her family in her last days. We thank You and will keep you in our thoughts.*

Sincerely,

Kathi Cagney##imported-begin##*Kathi Cagney*##imported-end##

May 03, 2010 at 05:45 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy goes to Barb's family. My fondess memory of Barb was playing ball with her and all the good times I had with her and Bud both. I also shared times in the young life of Connie and Keith. Remember, memories are so precious to hold on to.Love,Barb Scherdt*##imported-begin##*Barbara Scherdt*##imported-end##

May 02, 2010 at 09:53 AM



“ Connie & family,
MY Husband and I graduated with Barb. I didn't know her all that well in school. but as we planned for our class reunions throughout the years I got to know her very well.

My deepest Sympathy to you, your Brother and your families

Gods Blessings,

Phyllis Johnson##imported-begin##PHYLLIS JOHNSON##imported-end##

May 01, 2010 at 11:34 AM



“ Our prayer for all of you during this difficult time is that you will celebrate your Mom/Grandma's life and remember the joy she brought to all of you. We have enjoyed listening to Breanne's funny stories about her and her Grandma. She was a very special lady full of energy & fun!

Love & Hugs from Arizona##imported-begin##Kurt and Jennifer Schmidt##imported-end##

April 30, 2010 at 02:15 PM



“ Connie and Brian
I am sorry to hear of your mothers passing but now she is at peace and with the angels in heaven and I am sure she is smiling down at us all , Take care and GOD BLESS YOU BOTH

Aunt Charlotte##imported-begin##Charlotte Maloche##imported-end##

April 30, 2010 at 10:42 AM



“ I'am so sorry for your lose. I got to know Barb when she lived at Riverview Terrace. She was a great perso the really loved her children and grandchildren. She will be missed.##imported-begin##Julie Griewahn##imported-end##

April 30, 2010 at 08:12 AM



“ Connie, Brian and girls.. you are in our thoughts and prayers as we remember your Mom and give thanks for her time on this earth.

We thank her for giving us you to fellowship, laugh and cry with.

May God's love shine down upon you now as you remember and celebrate your Mom as she begins to explore all that Heaven has to offer. Praise His name.

Love you....your Arizona family.##imported-begin##Rob and Cindy Hatch and family##imported-end##

April 29, 2010 at 09:49 PM



“ Im so sorry of your loss Connie. Your mother was a wonderful lady, so kind caring. I will always remember her.She could play some awesome softball! She is no longer suffring but, In heaven having coffee with all her classmates an loved ones now. Oh hon I know your pain right now. God will walk you thu all this and help you heal in due time. Always remember every penny you find now is from your momma..she will drop pennies from heaven to you :) Much love to all the family!

Hugs Kathy Pryor##imported-begin##Kathy Pryor##imported-end##

April 29, 2010 at 01:29 PM