



## Brenda May Scharer

July 24, 1952 - August 31, 2022

ADRIAN- Brenda May Scharer, born in Adrian on July 24, 1952, went to be in the loving arms of Jesus early on Wednesday morning, August 31, 2022. Her love, generosity, and compassion will be missed by all those who knew her, especially her husband and family. In all that she did, she was a loving example of a faithful Christian wife, mother, and grandmother. She cherished her family in every way!

Through all of her life, Brenda loved being active! She loved running, walking, or even skating, working in the yard and even stepping in to work on the farm. She enjoyed making quilts and had carefully planned for many more; she would have loved to make one for every grandchild! Her kids and grandkids would tell you that nanny was never sitting; she found great joy in caring for them! She loved being able to spend time with her grandkids, taking them on trips and spoiling them with delicious homemade food and snacks! She watched as many of their activities as she could, and even when she could no longer go to all the events, she eagerly listened to know how they were doing. She was so proud of each of them!

Brenda will be deeply missed and remembered by her husband Tom Scharer. They were blessed with 48 years of marriage, two sons, Ryan (Rachel) of Sand Creek and Dustin (Heather) of Hillsdale and 7 grandkids, Jane (Derek) Douglass, Lizzy, Damion, Dominic, Dawson, AnnMarie and Calvin. She is

survived by her brothers Dennis (Judy) Hoffman and Brian (Judy) Hoffman and is reunited in Heaven with her parents James and Mary (Stevens) Hoffman.

Funeral services will take place on Tuesday, September 6, 2022 at 11 a.m. at Wagley Funeral Home, Adrian with Revs. Bruce Jewett and Larry Betz co-officiating. Burial will follow at Fairfield Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Monday, September 5, 2022 from 4 to 8 p.m. at Wagley Funeral Home and one hour before the start of the service on Tuesday.

Memorial contributions may be made to Lenawee Parkinson's Support Group. Online condolences and memories may be shared at [www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com](http://www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Fairfield Cemetery

7011 S. Adrian Hwy  
Fairfield Township, MI 49221

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 5. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wagley Funeral Home (Adrian)  
1501 W. Maumee St.  
Adrian, MI 49221  
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## Visitation

SEP 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Brenda May Scharer*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *We are so very sorry to hear of Brenda's passing. We were in Northern Michigan & sad to have missed her visitation. She was such a beautiful, caring lady & we always enjoyed our conversations with her. Brenda IS in Heaven, pain free & whole again. What a blessing to know that. Asking God to bless you, her so loved family, with loving memories of this very special lady!*  
*Bob & Sharon Shadewald*

**Sharon & Bob Shadewald** - September 10, 2022 at 07:05 PM



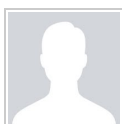
“ *Tom, Nina and I were sad to hear of Brenda's passing. I wanted to touch bases with you for a long time. We worked together for many years and I miss talking to you. Hang in there old friend.*  
*Don Howard*

**Don Howard** - September 07, 2022 at 08:47 PM



*Hello Nina and Don. I wanted to tough bases with you and have spend time trying to find a phone number and several years ago we were on vacation in W Virginia tried to find you. idea email me scharerfarmsllc@gmail.com. I'll send you my number. think about you often. tom*

**Thomas J Scharer** - September 10, 2022 at 10:50 AM



*call tom scharer some time 517 403 0834*

**Thomas Scharer** - August 18, 2023 at 09:31 PM

MH

“ Dear Tom & family,  
Can't begin to tell you how sorry I was to hear of Brenda's passing.  
She was always such a sweet fun loving girl that loved God and  
loved her family and friends. Just know that I will be praying for you,  
Tom, and your family.  
Marg (Jackson) Hukill

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**Margaret Hukill** - September 05, 2022 at 01:05 PM

DP

“ When my Grandson Codie Pitock worked for Tom, Brenda would  
make sure she fixed them something to eat while he worked in the  
fields. Was a caring person.

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**Dimple Pitock** - September 05, 2022 at 12:50 PM



“ Tom and family, So very sorry for the passing of a very dear friend  
Brenda.... We had so many fun times thru the our middle and high  
school years on McKenzie Street..... overnights, girl talk, Cedar  
Point trips and just fun times!!!! she was a dear friend and always  
Enjoyed that wonderful smile,  
she truly will be missed!!!!

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**Pamela Guistino** - September 05, 2022 at 11:31 AM



“ 84 files added to the album Life Tributes



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**Wagley Funeral Home** - September 03, 2022 at 05:38 PM

JJ

*These pictures of Brenda with her family are wonderful! So MANY great memories to cherish! I could have “liked” them all. She was such a dear lady. I am blessed to have known her, and to have her son Dustin become a member of my family. Thank you, Tom and Brenda, for raising a great son and being awesome grandparents to Damion, Dominic, and Dawson. Brenda will be sorely missed.*

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**Jan Johnson** - September 05, 2022 at 10:44 AM

DH

“ 16 files added to the album brenda may scharer



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**Dennis Hoffman** - September 03, 2022 at 02:56 PM

JS

“ *Tom & Family:  
We are praying for you. Brenda was a very sweet, caring, & gentle lady. We know you will miss her but take comfort in that she's no longer in pain and that she's with our Lord.*

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**Jim & Dottie Shaffer** - September 03, 2022 at 10:32 AM

WS

“ *Bill and I are so sad to hear of Brenda's passing. Tom, you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**William and Lois Smith** - September 03, 2022 at 06:32 AM

GH

“ *Tom and family, I'm so sorry for your loss. I remember Brenda all the way back to high school and she was a hard worker and had a beautiful smile. The memories will never fade. Until you are united again be strong and faithful.*

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**Gwen Hess** - September 02, 2022 at 04:12 PM

BS

“ *DEAR TOM AND FAMILY,  
SO SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT BRENDA'S PASSING. SHE WAS AN IMPORTANT PART OF THE SAND CREEK ATHLETIC GROUP FOR MANY YEARS AND WAS ALWAYS THERE FOR HER BOYS. SHE SAID ONCE SHE WASN'T USED TO THE FARM, BUT SHE LOVED YOUR PLACE. TAKE CARE, STAY SAFE AND GOD BLESS!  
BARB SELL*

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**BARB SELL** - September 02, 2022 at 02:25 PM

CW

“ Tom, Ryan, Dustin, and all of the grandchildren...I am so very sorry for your loss in such a wonderful wife, mother, and grandmother. My memories of Brenda are filled with joy as she was also a good friend for many years. We lost contact, but I will always remember her as a dedicated Christian who loved Jesus and her family with her entire being. Again, I am so very sorry for your loss.

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**Connie Ware** - September 02, 2022 at 09:00 AM

MB

“ Paul and I are so sad to hear of Brenda's passing. She was a kind friend to all. I know she will be missed. Sending hugs to Tom. ❤️

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**Marci Bailey** - September 02, 2022 at 08:53 AM

JB

“ Ryan, Dustin, & Family:

*Sending prayers & Condolences on behalf of the Butler Family. Brenda was one of the sweetest people we have ever met. She will be missed here, but she will always be in our hearts!*

*Richard, Rhea, & Jerry Butler*

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**Jerry Butler** - September 02, 2022 at 05:11 AM

PP

*Tom and Family,*

*Our thoughts and prayers are with you as you go through this difficult time of loss. It was such a blessing to see you and Brenda attending your granddaughter's basketball games as Lenawee Christian. You both were so faithful to the games even though Brenda was dealing with difficult infirmities. May God bring you comfort and peace during this difficult time.*

*Paul and Gail Palpant .*

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**Paul R Palpant** - September 05, 2022 at 11:52 AM

GS

*So sorry to read this Tom, appreciated our friendship so many years ago. Be blessed by all the great memories you shared.*

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**Gary Swartzlander** - September 06, 2022 at 03:37 PM