



## Carol Janice Saunders

September 11, 1937 - May 11, 2022

ADRIAN- Carol Janice Saunders, 84, of Adrian died Wednesday afternoon, May 11, 2022 at the Hospice of Lenawee Home.

She was born on September 11, 1937 in Manchester, Michigan, the youngest of five children to John and Alice (Lambright) Walz. Carol graduated from Manchester High School.

On August 4, 1956 Carol married John W. Saunders and they have shared over 65 years together. During their lifetime, they have been blessed with a loving son and daughter-in-law and have been able to be involved with their grandchildren's active lives.

Carol's organization and performance skills were evident while working in the office at Tecumseh Products; from there she moved on to help run the office at Saunders & Son Electric Company. She worked in the family business for over 60 years.

Carol was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Adrian. In her earlier years, she was involved with the "Fun and Hobby Club" in the Airport subdivision and used her baking talent to make beautiful wedding and graduation cakes. Carol and John were former members of the Devils Lake Yacht Club, where they enjoyed getting together with friends.

In addition to her husband, John, Carol is survived by their son, Scott (Laurie) Saunders; grandchildren, Kassandra, Zechariah, Nahemiah "Tucker" and Brodie Saunders; siblings, Forrest (Joie) Walz, Joan Rowland, and Elaine (Stanley) Kemner; and her four-legged furry companion, CJ. She was preceded in death by her parents; sister, Mary Ann (Bob) Hyde and brothers-in-law, Richard Rowland and Danny Goodman.

All services are private, and burial will take place at Lenawee Hills Memorial Park in Adrian. Arrangements have been entrusted to Wagley Funeral Home, Adrian.

Memorial contributions may be made to the First Presbyterian Church in Adrian. Online condolences and memories may be shared at [www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com](http://www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## **Lenawee Hills Memorial Park**

1291 Wolf Creek Hwy.  
Adrian, MI 49221

# Tribute Wall



“ *Carol Janice Saunders*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *I am so sorry to hear this. A short time ago I had the privilege of meeting Carol and her family through Touch of Home. Even tho her world was changing, she managed to bring joy to those around her. Fly high Carol...i will remember you always.*

**Tammy Jewell** - May 15, 2022 at 05:04 PM



“ *I'm sad for the loss of your family member and friend. I wish you healing memories that will make you smile and lighten your load a tiny bit. Garry will join me wishing you all the best of thoughts of Carol and peace in your hearts.*  
*Su Clift*

**Su Clift** - May 14, 2022 at 09:48 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Carol Janice Saunders.*



May 13, 2022 at 05:15 PM

TS

“ We are so sorry for your families loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you in this time of loss.

*Joe, Denise, Amanda, and Sarah*

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**The Snyders** - May 13, 2022 at 01:44 PM

KG

“ Beautiful portrait of a beautiful lady - inside and out! She shared her special gifts in many ways and was always still full of energy and enthusiasm. Such an inspiration to all. My prayer is that her family will be comforted with special memories of good times together in the coming months.

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**Kathy Green** - May 13, 2022 at 09:52 AM

PG

“ We are so very sorry in the passing of such a wonderful friend Carol. I was her Avon lady for many years and so enjoyed her friendship and stories of her wonderful grandchildren that she so enjoyed and her loving dogs, who she spoiled each one. She will be missed and sending sincere sympathy to her wonderful husband John and her son and daughter in law Scott and Laurie. love and friendship!



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**Pam Guistino** - May 12, 2022 at 08:03 PM

CP

*Carol was the first one to welcome me when we moved to Elmwood Dr. we were close friends for a long time. My deepest sympathy To Jack, Scott and family.*

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**Carole Pahl** - May 13, 2022 at 11:13 AM

PJ

*We were friends for a long time. Did so many fun things together. She was so talented & wanted to do for someone all of the time. I didn't know if I would be able to throw a Birthday Celebration for our Mother. Carol said if we weren't going to be able to do it she was going to. She thought a lot of our Mother. She was a lovely & ambitious person. Our Blessings & Love to Jack, Scott & his family. Whom she cherished.*

*Phyllis & Jerry Johnson - May 14, 2022*

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**Phyllis Johnson** - May 14, 2022 at 03:46 PM

PS

*We will always remember the fun snowmobile trips together and other times. She always had that smile. Our deepest sympathy to Jack, Scott and family.*

*Phil & Eileen Schlueter*

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**Phil & Eileen Schlueter** - May 20, 2022 at 08:16 AM