



Helen "Lois" Bailey

January 21, 1934 - December 22, 2021

BLISSFIELD – Helen “Lois” Bailey, 87, of Blissfield died Wednesday evening December 22, 2021 at the Hospice Home of Lenawee in Adrian with her family by her side.

Born January 21, 1934 in Riga, Lois was the daughter of Henry and Anna (Forsyth) Silberhorn. As a young child, she attended her first eight grades of school in a one room schoolhouse near her home in Riga. She then attended and graduated from Blissfield High School. She was also a member St. Paul’s Lutheran Church in Blissfield.

In 1955, Lois married Forrest Deon Bailey, Jr. Together they raised four children and shared 33 years of love and memories until he preceded her in death in 1988.

Lois cherished her children and grandchildren and loved caring for them and her home. A true “perfectionist,” Lois kept her home spotless and her gardens immaculate. She was not only known for her green thumb but for her excellent cooking and baking skills. She also enjoyed knitting and would often have her own yarn spun to create mittens and afghans for her children. Lois found joy and passion in everything she accomplished in life. In the summers, Lois loved living at Devils Lake, and particularly enjoyed taking her children waterskiing and tubing.

Lois is survived by her four children, Dean (Sue) Bailey of Manitou Beach, Mark Bailey of Blissfield, Perry Bailey of Blissfield, and Anita Holland of Adrian; ten grandchildren, several great-grandchildren, and a large extended family.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Forrest; three siblings, Doris Zinn, Dennis Silberhorn, and Elizabeth Kershner; and her son-in-law, Jerry Holland.

A funeral service for Lois will take place on Wednesday, December 29, 2021 at 12:00 p.m. at Wagley Funeral Home, Tagsold Chapel, Blissfield. A live streaming of the service will be accessible from Lois's tribute wall on www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com where a link to view the recording will be available for 90 days. Burial will follow at Pleasant View Cemetery, Blissfield. Visitation will begin at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday and will continue until the time of the service.

To honor Lois's memory, the family suggests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Lenawee. Online condolences and memories may be shared at www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Pleasant View Cemetery

9175 E. US 223
Blissfield, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **29**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Wagley Funeral Home Tagsold Chapel (Blissfield)
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Wagley Funeral Home and Cremation Service created a Webcast in memory of Helen "Lois" Bailey*



Wagley Funeral Home - December 23, 2021 at 05:23 PM

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*My sincere condolences.
Gregg Kodelman*

Gregg Kodelman - December 28, 2021 at 05:20 AM



“ *Helen "Lois" Bailey*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Helen "Lois" Bailey.*



December 27, 2021 at 10:10 PM

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“ We were very sorry to hear of Lois’s passing while in Florida for the winter our condolences to her family .Harley and Lorraine Hodges

Harley&Lorraine Hodges - December 27, 2021 at 03:31 PM

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“ Anita and boys, so sorry for your loss. Only the good Lord above knows when it is the time. Anita, you have had a double blow this month.. Praying for you big time.

Pat Tagsold - December 27, 2021 at 01:46 PM

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“ Aunt Lois was always so good to Steve and I. We were blessed from those great cooking skills, trips to Devils Lake, and many other things!! My dad always talked about the egg custards she would make and leave on the shelf at the apartment, after he and mom got married. Aunt Lois did so much for us and was such a big part of our lives before we moved to NC. She had a big heart. She was with my mom right up until the end of packing up the house for our move to NC. I have many many special memories of time spent with Aunt Lois. Love and hugs sent to all of you.
Kris (Pate) Rash

Kris Pate Rash - December 24, 2021 at 12:15 PM