



Jean Irene Vancil

November 6, 1928 - February 17, 2024

ADRIAN –Jean Irene Vancil, 95, of Adrian died on Saturday, February 17, 2024, at Brookdale Senior Living under the loving care of Hospice of Lenawee and her family.

She was born on November 6, 1928, in Middle Branch, Ohio, the daughter of Ellsworth and Alice Ruch.

After graduating from high school, she was employed at the Hoover Company in North Canton. On July 22, 1950, she married Kenneth Vancil and moved to Adrian, Michigan. They enjoyed 71 years together before his passing in 2022. Jean retired from the Michigan Employment Commission in 1983 and they moved to Pinehurst, North Carolina; returning to Adrian in 1997 to be closer to family. While in North Carolina they made many good friends and played lots of golf. She enjoyed being with her family, knitting, flower gardening and reading. She was a member of the West Adrian Community Church.

Left to cherish her memory are her children, Mike Vancil of Adrian, Jan (Gary) Fox of Adrian and Steve Vancil of Blissfield; grandchildren, Rebecca Aviles of California, Lori (Jeff) Yates of Ferndale, Haley (Dustin) Bourns of Riga, and Stevie Ray (Amber) Vancil of Adrian; and three great-grandchildren, Van and Penelope Bourns and Vida Yates, sister-in-law, Shirley Ruch. She was preceded in death by her parents, brother Ellsworth Ruch Jr., Donald Ruch

and William Ruch; sisters, Betty Kingston and Dorothy Gendron, an infant grandson and daughter-in-law, Reneé Vancil.

Services for Jean will be private. Wagley Funeral Home, Adrian has been entrusted with arrangements, where online memories and condolences may be shared at www.wagleyfuneralhomes.com. Jean will be laid to rest at Lenawee Hills Memorial Park in Adrian.

Cemetery Details

Lenawee Hills Memorial Park

1291 Wolf Creek Hwy.
Adrian, MI 49221

Tribute Wall

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“ *Brookdale Adrian purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Jean Irene Vancil.*



Brookdale Adrian - February 20, 2024 at 11:23 AM

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“ *Mike, Jan and Steve, very sorry for the loss of your mom. Prayers / Jerry & Marge Browning*

Jerry Browning - February 18, 2024 at 12:16 PM

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“ *So glad I got to know Jean and Ken and have them be in our church family . Ken and Ray enjoyed the MSU an O S sports and the win/ loss teasing. Jean always looked so nice and she would beam when talking about her family .*

mary alice thompson - February 18, 2024 at 11:44 AM

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“ *Jan, my heart goes out to you and your family. Our condolences on the loss of your dear mother.*

Sue Allshouse - February 18, 2024 at 09:36 AM