



Marilyn Lucille Sherman

March 2, 1937 - September 22, 2024

Marilyn Lucille Sherman, age 87, formerly of Adrian, MI, was welcomed into the gates of Heaven by her Lord and Savior and was reunited with her loved ones on Sunday, September 22, 2024.

Marilyn was born on March 2, 1937, in Charlotte, Michigan, daughter and youngest child of Henry and Edith (Osborn) Post. She graduated from Grand Ledge High School with the Class of 1955. She went on to Spring Arbor Junior College before completing her teaching degree at Greenville College in Greenville, Illinois in 1959. Along with her focus in education, Marilyn loved playing the flute, piano, and while in Greenville, learned how to play the pipe organ. In 1964, she earned her master's in education from Michigan State University.

Marilyn's passion for education led her to teach in Clawson and Lake Orion, Michigan. She took several missions trips to the Philippines and the Dominican Republic where she ministered to students through Free Methodist VISA ministries. She also used her musical talent by accompanying M.S.S.A Children's Choirs in different venues including Cobo Hall.

On August 7, 1971, Marilyn married Rev. Warren J. Sherman of Adrian, Michigan. She instantly became part of his family with his married children Warren (Leanna), Judith (Robert), and his youngest daughter, Joan. Several

years later, they were blessed by two more children, Beth and Carol. They resided in Watervliet, Michigan while she taught in Bangor Public Schools. Over the years, Warren's job as a minister in the Free Methodist church allowed them to live and lead churches in Watervliet, Coldwater, South Redford, Deerfield, and finally settled in Adrian, Michigan. While in Adrian, Marilyn continued to teach in daycare and preschool settings in both Adrian and Tecumseh.

Marilyn will be missed greatly by her children, Beth (Brian) Pratt of Winder, GA, Carol (Steven) Hanks of Gilberts, IL, Warren J. Sherman, Danville, IN, Judith Ann DeLoria of Adrian, MI, and Joan (Ray) Young of Hanover, Park, IL; 17 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren; She is survived by her brother, Donald (Genny) Post of Charlotte, MI. She was preceded in death by her husband, Warren and brother, Bert Post.

A visitation will be held on Sunday, September 29, 2024, from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Wagley Funeral Home, Adrian. Funeral services will begin on Monday, September 30, 2024, at 11:00 a.m. at 1Mosaic Church, 1002 W. Maple Ave. Adrian, with a visitation being held one hour prior to her funeral service in the church. The burial will be held at Maple Hill Cemetery in Charlotte. In celebration of Marilyn's eternal life, black colored clothing is not expected.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Free Methodist Southern Michigan Conference- Attention Missions, Spring Arbor, MI.

Online condolences and memories may be shared at www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Maple Hill Cemetery

801 Tully Brown Drive
Charlotte, MI 48813

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **29**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wagley Funeral Home (Adrian)
1501 W. Maumee St.
Adrian, MI 49221
(517) 263-1400
info@wagleyfuneralhome.com
<https://www.WagleyFuneralHome.com>

Visitation

SEP **30**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

1 Mosaic Church
1002 W. Maple Avenue
Adrian, MI 49221

Funeral Service

SEP **30**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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1002 W. Maple Avenue
Adrian, MI 49221

Tribute Wall

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“ *Your Mom was the kindness lady. She always had a smile. We will always remember her and her family. God bless all of you.* ”

Dick and Carolyn Ward - September 29, 2024 at 09:36 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Marilyn Lucille Sherman.* ”



September 27, 2024 at 10:51 AM

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“ *When I was a young kid, my Aunt Marilyn was the 'cool' aunt. She wasn't married, she lived in an apartment and she knew how to have fun with young kids. She got very awesome Snoopy stuffed animals for my brother and I and we cherished those. She didn't get less cool - she just did a lot more as she married, served as a leader in several churches and was Mom and Grandma to a crew of the next generation. I loved her and was proud of her. Blessings to the whole family and especially the caregivers. I'm sure we all picture her meeting up with those who've gone before her and I picture my mom being thrilled to be with her again.* ”

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