



Rosalie Warrick

April 12, 1928 - March 19, 2011

TOLEDO – Rosalie M. Warrick, 82, of Adrian, passed away Saturday, March 19, 2011, at The Toledo Hospital.

She was born April 12, 1928, on a homestead ranch near Chinook, Montana, the daughter of German immigrant parents, August and Louise (Huetter) Mueller. Rosalie graduated from Chinook High School in 1946 and received a degree in Home Economics from Montana State University.

Her first job was a Home Economics Extension Agent in Montana. In 1951, she was selected as an International Farm Youth Exchange (IFYE) delegate to Germany. Going over on a ship, the delegates to Germany and Austria would get together to practice German. In this group was a delegate from Ohio, going to Austria. This is where she met her husband of 54 years, Harvey Warrick.

After returning to the United States, she was selected as the first IFYE fellow to work at the National 4-H Foundation. While there, she attended graduate school at the University of Maryland where she received her Master's Degree. She was hired as an assistant state 4-H leader in Oregon. In 1956, she married Harvey Warrick and moved with her husband to his home farm in Ohio. While there, she taught high school home economics. In 1960, she and Harvey chaperoned a group of 26 teenagers who manned the USA exhibit at the West Berlin Industries Fair.

In 1963, they moved to Adrian and she started teaching Home Economics at Adrian College. She served as department chair for the Family Arts & Science

Department and later, was assigned to the Education Department. She was also the coordinator for Elderhostel at Adrian College. From the time she was 8 years old, she was involved with 4-H, first as a member, later as a representative at the National 4-H Camp in Washington, DC and at National 4-H Congress in Chicago. She served as a 4-H leader and was community leader for the Rome Blue Ribbon 4-H Club. She served as a project leader up until last year.

Rosalie served on the first Board of Directors of Adrian Community Nursery and was instrumental in establishing the curriculum and structure of the program. She also served on the Board of Directors for the Region 2 Area Agency on Aging.

In addition to her husband, Rosalie is survived by their son, Richard and his wife Cecelia (McRobert) Warrick of Adrian; granddaughters, Ashley and Cassandra; sisters, Ella Laden of North Dakota; Helen Mueller of Harve, Montana; and Louise Lorenzen of Brady, Montana. Also surviving is a foster son, D.J. (Marti) Briggs of Fowlerville, MI and their children, Ruthi and Dustin; several nieces and nephews, including Wesley Smock, who with his mother, Letha, made their home with Rosalie and Harvey.

She was preceded in death by her parents; sisters, Hilda Starcher, Elsie Laden and Letha Smock; and brothers, Oswald and Irvin Mueller.

The funeral service for Rosalie will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, March 25, 2011, at Wagley Funeral Home with Rev. Jerry Stewardson officiating. Burial will follow at East Rome Cemetery. Friends may visit the family at the funeral home on Thursday from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m., with a Time of Reflection at 7:00 p.m. with Celebrant Rev. Fred Neumann. Condolences may be sent to www.wagleyfuneralhome.com. Contributions in memory of Rosalie may be made to Adrian College to furnish a room in her honor at the Family Living Center. Envelopes are available at Wagley Funeral Home

Tribute Wall



“ *Rosalie Warrick*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *My Tribute to Rosalie Warrick*

As a high school sophomore from a small rural community of Barker, NY, I visited Adrian College for the first time in April of 1978. After my parents and I met with Mrs. Warrick, I immediately felt comfortable and "at home" there. One of the major reasons I chose and still hold Adrian College close in my heart is because of Rosalie Warrick.

Rosalie was like my mother away from home. She genuinely cared for and looked out for her students. It didn't take long before I saw that she was not only my teacher and advisor but also a confidante and friend who encouraged me along the way. She was interested in hearing about my family and was there to console me when my father had heart surgery early in my freshman year and then again with the death of my grandmother the following year.

Through her many life examples, she made our classes interesting and fun. She encouraged me to be a leader and then gave me opportunities to strengthen those skills through helping her judge at a 4-H Fair, teaching a cooking class on weekends for young children from Adrian, working on the 125th Anniversary Black and Gold Ball and together with Harvey drove us to Chicago for three consecutive years to participate in the student led WIMM Home Economics Conference. Rosalie encouraged us to get involved and to run for an interstate office for WIMM. Several of us were honored to hold these positions. In the van to Chicago Harvey never seemed to mind that he was with a van full of women! We talked and laughed, shared stories and before we knew it we were looking out over the city from the Sears Tower and then sitting in a Japanese restaurant. What an experience those trips were for a girl from a small town in NY. I will always cherish those times with the Warricks.

Rosalie encouraged her students to take an active role in the state and national affiliations for Home Economics. Through this, I attended conferences for both. I learned not only important skills for

my career as a Family and Consumer Science teacher but also how to be a stronger and better individual. Much of what I do as a teacher stems in some way the things she exposed her students to. Rosalie also cared and listened to the opinion of her students especially when it came time to change the name of the department from Home Economics to Family , Arts and Science. We felt caught between the rich history of our discipline and the need to move forward with the times.

Throughout the 27 years since leaving Adrian College, I have kept in contact with the Warricks. We shared family stories and heartaches. I loved receiving the Holiday Herald each year filled with family, 4-H, AC and sheep updates. On the few trips I have been able to make it back to AC, Rosalie's office in North Hall was always my very first stop. I was blessed to have the opportunity for my youngest two of four sons meet Rosalie in September 2009 when we came back for my 25th AC Reunion. Although ill, Rosalie warmly welcomed us and with the same twinkle in her eye I had known so well, began to quickly fill in all the gaps of the changes to the college, and then updated me on family, classmates and faculty. It was so good to hear her laugh again! I will always cherish that last talk I had with her in the living room of their home. I will also cherish the picture she actually let my sons take of us- something she would rarely let us do when we were students! I believe it was God, not coincidence that she was on my mind so many times last Saturday that I sat down with my sons and began planning one more trip out to Michigan to see her during our spring break in April..that was before I received the news of her " homegoing' on Monday.

Rosalie and Harvey will always hold a special place in my heart. I have been so blessed to have been her student and friend. She has filled my life with rich experiences that I continue to draw from. My love and prayers are with the Warrick family in these hard days to come.

With Rosalie's love for 4-H and Family and C

April 07, 2011 at 01:49 PM



“ We extend our condolences to Harvey and Richard and the rest of the family. David had known Rosalie in Montana through 4-H work and through IFYE. David was an IFYE from Montana to France in 1954. Carolyn, an IFYE from Oregon to Belgium in 1956, had received some of her IFYE orientation from Rosalie. We appreciated Rosalie's warmth and expertise. She enriched our experiences as IFYEs.##imported-begin##David and Carolyn Leuthold##imported-end##

March 29, 2011 at 12:22 PM



“ Dear family;

My name is Kyla and I am Rosalie's second cousin (daughter of karleen cadieux (huetter)

I met Rosalie once at a reunion in MT many years ago. I read the obituary letter and was inspired to write and send my prayers to Rosalie's family members.

As I read the letter, I was struck by what an inspiring, successful life Rosalie has had and I felt disappointed I have not had the opportunity to know her in life. I always joke that I must have been adopted b/c I have aspired to different "callings" in my life that seem unusual to the family I have known and loved. I have an adventerous spirit, and a social workers heart, which I am proud of and brings me great joy; however, I don't know anyone else in my family with the same drives/ambitions. That is until I read about Rosalie. Her life parallels mine in many ways and I am tickled to know we are connected in a special way. If I had known her in life I'm certain we would have been great soulmates.

I want to thank Rosalie and her family for helping me realize how special we are as family; even if we don't know each other in a personal way we are connected. For the first time in my life; I don't feel adopted.

Blessings and prayers to all of those who grieve the loss of this incredible woman.

Peace be with you family.

Love,

*Kyla Rae Cadieux
14852 NE Graham
Portland, OR. 97230*

503-810-7810##imported-begin##kyla cadieux##imported-end##

March 27, 2011 at 10:51 PM



“ I am grateful to have known Rosalie. Sorry about the typo above.##imported-begin##Gordon Hammerle##imported-end##

March 26, 2011 at 09:44 AM



“ Rosalie was a wonderful, warm and gentle soul. I respected her as a teacher and valued her friendship. I am grateful to have known her.##imported-begin##Gordon Hammerle##imported-end##

March 26, 2011 at 09:42 AM



“ one of my favorite professors at AC. really encouraged me to follow what I love - designing clothes and taught me that nothing is impossible to achieve.##imported-begin##Sharon Aghababian Pape##imported-end##

March 25, 2011 at 07:43 PM



“ Harvey, we didn't learn of this until about 10 this morning (Friday) otherwise Linda and I would have attended the visitation yesterday. It has been a rough month for you, losing two people so close to you. We hope your spirits are high and if we can do anything to make the next weeks and months easier, please call on us. Bill and Linda##imported-begin##Bill and Linda Koeppel##imported-end##

March 25, 2011 at 10:34 AM



“ *Rosalie was a gracious woman and I enjoyed working with her at Adrian College. She will be missed by many.##imported-begin##Janice Hoffer Ferguson##imported-end##*

March 25, 2011 at 12:56 AM



“ *Dear Harvey; Rich and Cece and children; Wes; DJ, and family, Rosie was such an important influence in my life. From professional mentoring to reminding me to "Take time to be a Mommie" she has always been a "constant" for me. As has your whole family. Harvey, my girls loved to "help" you feed the lambs. And Wes and Rich gave their little red cash register to Jana and Amy so they could learn how to count! You all hold such a special place in my life. I will hope to see you next week. My love and kindest wishes to each of you. Jan##imported-begin##Janis (Land) Voege##imported-end##*

March 24, 2011 at 09:34 PM



“ *My heart is sadden by the loss of a great person and professor. I enjoyed attending classes taught by Rosalie, I learned a lot in her classes, as well as the talks we had at the door to her office and on our trips to MiAEYC Conferences in Lansing. I believe that what I learned in her classes made me a better Mom. She will be missed. Harvey, I will keep you and your family in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Barbara (Thorne) Lancaster '89##imported-end##*

March 24, 2011 at 08:44 PM



“ I am deeply saddened by your loss and will always remember Mrs. Warrick for all of her help from Adrian College as advisor for myself during my college years. She was always cheerful and always with a smile on her face. She will be missed.
Tami###imported-begin##Tami Vayko-Whitehead###imported-end##

March 24, 2011 at 03:51 PM



“ Dear Harvey,

We were sorry to learn of Rosalie's death. She was a person who had deep concern for others, especially children and youth. We wish we could be with you on Friday. We are thinking of you.###imported-begin##Anne and Jim Johnson###imported-end##

March 24, 2011 at 03:36 PM



“ My Deepest Sympathy to Rosalie's husband Harvey and the entire Warrick and Mueller families.

Much love, Barbara###imported-begin##Barbara (Mueller) Abraham###imported-end##

March 24, 2011 at 02:56 PM



“ *Very sad to hear of Rose passing away. Rose was a very sweet lady and was a pleasure to know. She will be dearly missed.*

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Harvey and the family, may you have peace knowing Rose is in a place of peace and happiness.

Love and God Bless, Shorty & Sharon##imported-begin##Shorty & Sharon Hiller##imported-end##

March 24, 2011 at 10:32 AM



“ *Harvey, Rich & family;
We are so sorry to hear of your loss. Our thoughts & prayers are with you and your family. Let the memories of great times spent together carry you through this time of great sorrow & be comforted in the thought she is at peace on the greatest farm of all.
God Bless;
Jeff, DeAnne, Lucas & Alex##imported-begin##Jeff, DeAnne Lewin & Kids##imported-end##*

March 24, 2011 at 08:11 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with Harvey and his family. Mrs. Warrick was a wonderful person who will be missed by many. I had the priveledge of meeting Mrs. Warrick for the first time in 1980 while attending Adrian College. We have stayed in contact throughout the years. She was a mentor and friend and will be greatly missed. May God bless her family and help ease their sorrow by allowing them to focus on all of the wonderful memories they have of Rosalie Warrick.##imported-begin##Sherrie Kegeler##imported-end##

March 23, 2011 at 11:34 PM



“ We thank God for a life well lived. Her life has been an inspiration .##imported-begin##Rev. Bruce & June Garner##imported-end##

March 23, 2011 at 10:18 PM



“ Thinking of you! I know how much it hurts to have someone you love so much pass away! Keeping you all in my thoughts & prayers . With love & friendship,##imported-begin##J.Poling##imported-end##

March 23, 2011 at 06:59 PM



“ Harvey: My condolences on the passing of your wife. If my Dad were still with us, he would offer them too. He always spoke highly of you and Rosalie.##imported-begin##Tom Muck##imported-end##

March 23, 2011 at 05:49 PM



“ Our condolences and prayers to you and your family, Harvey. We just learned today of your wife's passing and after reading her obituary I am truly sorry for never having had the chance to meet her. She was a very special lady to all who had the privilege to know her!###imported-begin###Mike & Mary Kossey and family###imported-end##

March 23, 2011 at 03:57 PM



“ Harvey and Family,
I am so sorry to hear about Rosalie's passing. It seems like just a short time that we were in Sweden at the IfYE Conference. I am thinking of you and your family at this time. I enjoyed talking to Rosalie so much, what a wonderful person!!
Phyllis Brown###imported-begin###Phyllis McInturf Brown###imported-end##

March 23, 2011 at 01:00 PM



“ Dear Harvey & Family,

We are very sorry to learn of Rosalie's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. As a wife, mother, friend and educator she obviously touched alot of people and made a positive difference in their lives. We know you will always have great memories of the time and experiences you shared with Rosalie. From Chinook, Montana to Michigan and the great beyond, may she rest in peace.

Your Friends, Mike and Linda Zenk###imported-begin###Mike and Linda Zenk###imported-end##

March 23, 2011 at 05:37 AM



“ Harvey - I am sorry for your loss. Although I have never met you or your wife we share a love of Lincoln sheep. My thoughts and prayers are for you and your family.

Chris bazant

Missing Creek Farm

Lebanon, Oregon###imported-begin##Christine Bazant###imported-end##

March 22, 2011 at 07:48 PM



“ Good Evening:

A friend in Adrian has forwarded this to me. Was sad to see, and prayers and thoughts with the family. I graduated in 1974 as a Home Ec. Major. And as my favorite teacher, think she would have been proud of my career in food service. she was one of the reasons, I stayed in this field. She was the BEST!

Sorry, I live to far, so cannot attend, but my thoughts are with all of you.

Sincerely,

Carol(Savino) Frank- Adrian Class of 1974 - Marion,

OHIO###imported-begin##Carol(Savino) Frank###imported-end##

March 22, 2011 at 05:46 PM



“ On behalf of the memebers and friends of Michigan 4-H International, I want to express my sympathies to the family of Rosalie Warrick. She will be missed.

Michigan 4-H International
Sally Ann Narhi, President##imported-begin##MI 4-H International...Sally Ann Narhi, Pres.##imported-end##

March 22, 2011 at 04:43 PM



“ I was deeply saddened to hear of Rosie's passing. When I think of inspirational women, Rosalie definitely comes to mind. She had so much passion for 4-H, children, families, and education. When Rome Blue Ribbons 4-H club was dwindling down in numbers, Harvey and Rosie stepped up to take our club on as their project -- who would have imagined (so many years ago) that Rome Blue Ribbons would be as large as it is today. This success is largely due to Harvey and Rosie's committment to the 4-H program. I loved Rosie's 4-H cooking class -- she has the best sugar cookie recipe ever! I have many fond memories of Rosie and her special spirit. She was truly one of a kind. She will be greatly missed and never forgotten. Sincerely, Jenna Waterbury (a former "4-H er" and friend)##imported-begin##Jenna Waterbury##imported-end##

March 22, 2011 at 11:43 AM



“ Uncle Harvey, Rich, Cece, and Wes, I'm sure words cannot express the loss that you're feeling at this time. I, too, will miss our dear 'Aunt Rosie' deeply. The times that I spent in Michigan are some of my fondest memories and I will treasure them always. My favorite treat sitting at your counter was warm peaches on vanilla ice cream made by Aunt Rosie. She, herself, was a treat. I wish we could have lived closer to spend more time. I pray for wonderful memories and know that there will be a time when we we will all meet again. I love you all and will see you soon. In God's Arms, Jenn, John, Madison, and Tessa##imported-begin##Jennifer Warrick Schatz##imported-end##

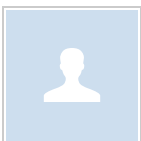
March 22, 2011 at 10:23 AM



“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss. She was a wonderful, kind women and I enjoyed knowing her. It has been many years since I have had any contact with your family, but I have not forgotten our wonderful years in 4-H. May God comfort you in this time of sorrow.

Kathy##imported-begin##Kathy Pickford Bousman##imported-end##

March 21, 2011 at 10:07 PM



“ My deepest sympathy on your loss. She was a memorable woman.##imported-begin##Priscilla Ruesink Jackson##imported-end##

March 21, 2011 at 09:15 PM



“ Our prayers are with you with your loss of Mrs. Warrick. She wanted me to call her Rosalie but I never could...She will always be Mrs. Warrick with precious memories of Adrian College. She was my mentor and a friend. May God show you from heaven all the lives you touched. There are many of us "girls" through the years. You encouraged us to take risks and try something new. I am a home economics teacher because of you. Harvey...a long distance hug from me..sorry i can not be at the service.With all my love,
Diane###imported-begin###Diane Schunk Kolka###imported-end##

March 21, 2011 at 08:11 PM



“ I am a great niece. My grandmother is Ella Ladin. I just wanted to write and tell you my mom (Donnette Burns) loves telling about the time she got to tour Germany with Aunt Rosie and Uncle Harvey. It was a once in a life time trip, one that she will always cherish.###imported-begin###Rebekah Duysings (Burns)###imported-end##

March 21, 2011 at 05:46 PM



“ Our sincere condolences, Harvey & family. Rosalie reminded Gunda of Rosalie's mother's side of the family in Spatzenhof, Germany. We have fond memories of our visit to Adrian last year.

Love,

Arnold & Gunda Mueller Haring###imported-begin###Arnold & Gunda Mueller Haring###imported-end##

March 21, 2011 at 05:19 PM



“ Harvey, I am deeply saddened by this news of Rosalie's passing as I was hoping to come out for another visit in April during our school spring break. Rosalie was a dear mentor to me and one of the reasons I am a Home Economics teacher today. I will never forget our trips to Chicago for WIMM. I learned so much from both of you. I only hope I can have the positive impact on my students as she did with me. My love and prayers are with you and your family in the days ahead.##imported-begin##Karen Price (Schian) Adrian Class of 1984,##imported-end##

March 21, 2011 at 04:59 PM



“ My deepest condolences to the Warrick family in the passing of Rosalie. Mr. and Mrs. Warrick, you were a valuable part of my education at Adrian College during the 1980's. It was a pleasure having both of you as my instructors. Mrs. Warrick taught many of my core classes for a "Family Arts and Science" major. As a college student living away from home, I was comforted by Mrs. Warrick's caring personality. Not many college students keep in touch with their college professors 25 years later, but the Warricks are special people who made it a privilege to do so. God bless your family.##imported-begin##Shari Lewczak Wilson##imported-end##

March 21, 2011 at 04:59 PM



“ Harvey, we were sorry to hear about the passing of Rosalie. Sorry we have lost closer touch since our earlier IFYE days. After she was the first IFYE Fellow I also had an IFYE fellowship and did graduate study at the University of Maryland. That led to a wonderful Extension career with International experiences.

Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Wayne & Gladys Bath###imported-begin##Wayne & Gladys Bath###imported-end##

March 21, 2011 at 04:54 PM



“ I was so sorry to hear of Rosalie's passing. Not only was she a colleague of mine for several years at Adrian College, but I also took a class from her. She and Harvey graciously invited me and my grandchildren out to their home to see the sheep after they have been shorn, and it was a great experience for all. You will all be in my prayers, take care, Robin###imported-begin##Robin Pawson###imported-end##

March 21, 2011 at 04:00 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you, Harvey. Take care.

Peggy, Breanne, and Ethan Sieler

Deerfield Lucky Clovers###imported-begin##Peggy Sieler###imported-end##

March 21, 2011 at 03:37 PM



“ Harvey , Sorry to here about Rosie's death, Cindy and I's prayers and thoughts are with you throught this. If you need anything don't hesitate to ask.
God bless you and be with you.

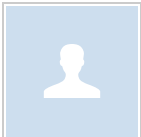
Duane Plessinger##imported-begin##Duane Plessinger##imported-end##

March 21, 2011 at 11:51 AM



“ We are praying for The Lord to wrap His Arms around you at this time and bring you comfort-Love you all-Donnette and Bud##imported-begin##Donnette and Bud Burns##imported-end##

March 20, 2011 at 09:58 PM



“ So sorry for those left behind , she will be missed.##imported-begin##Linda Mueller Roberts##imported-end##

March 20, 2011 at 07:16 PM



“ Harvey and Family, our deepest sympathy to you and your family. We will always remember the nice talks we had with Rosie at the fair while you and Dad showed your sheep. Rosie was a loving, caring lady who cared deeply for her husband and family, especially her grandchildren. May she fly with the angels. Remember all the wonderful memories to comfort you in this time of sorrow.##imported-begin##Jennifer and Jack Griffith##imported-end##

March 20, 2011 at 04:38 PM