



Shirley Ann (Robison) McLemore-Hutt

November 26, 1939 - October 26, 2024

ADRIAN- Shirley Ann (Robison) McLemore-Hutt, 84, of Adrian, passed away peacefully at home on Saturday, October 26th, 2024.

She was born November 26, 1939, in Pulaski, Tennessee to the late Herbert and Ruby (Vernon) Robison. She grew up on a working farm and often told stories of milking cows before school and picking cotton with her six siblings. She had a beautiful childhood with loving and caring parents and spoke highly of that cherished time in her life. No doubt her generosity, helpful spirit and kind heart were nurtured during that time.

Shirley's list of achievements is long and varied. Her talents and personality have always made her memorable, even in high school. She was active in theatre, won an award for a speaking contest (on the topic "I Believe in Democracy") and also dazzled the judges at the Giles County Fair in 1956 by singing the song "I Believe." Her passion and spirit were evident as an accomplished ballroom dancer and instructor for Arthur Murray, and her rhythm was always admired as she clogged, square danced, and even – believe it or not – belly danced in the 70's. Her civic duties included holding the office of President of the P.T.A. at Michener Elementary School (she spear-headed one of the most successful "Fun Night" fundraisers ever held). She was also President of the Ladies Elks Club and consistently created memorable events that were talked about long after they were over. Quite the

athlete, she played basketball and softball in her youth, and later enjoyed bowling on several leagues at Lenawee Recreation and Ten Pin Alley – gaining bragging rights of being one of the few who has bowled a perfect “300” game. What made her happy in her later life was GOLF. (And yep, she shot a hole-in-one once, too). We are not sure which she enjoyed more - playing a round with friends or shopping for new outfits to wear on the course, but she was always dressed to the nines and her family loved that about her. Her professional career included managing the office of the successful company, Adrian Decorators, which she founded with her first husband. She did this while raising 6 children, fiercely protecting them and being their biggest cheerleader. Her kids will tell you; their friends always wanted a “Mom just like her.”

In 1993 she found love again with Richard “Dick” Hutt. Together they traveled extensively, while also enjoying their log cabin in northern Michigan and a condo in Venice, Florida in the winters. You would often find them together at the American Legion raising their glasses with friends and saying, “Skoal!” Dick loved her and cared for her so beautifully. She missed him immensely after his unexpected death in 2022. They were, no doubt, soul mates. We know he welcomed her home to heaven.

Shirley loved ice cream, golf, shopping, crossword puzzles, smiley faces, flowers and having fun. She adored Halloween, flying kites, Dr. Phil, afternoon naps and the word “Shit!” While we always marveled at her ability to hold a grudge, she would be the first person to jump and help whenever a friend or family member was in need. She was known for her warm heart, infectious smile and laugh, her sense of humor, and her famous banana pudding – which often caused playful scuffles at family gatherings. A true warrior and firecracker, she will be remembered for her fighting spirit, her courageousness, and her insatiable ability to focus on the positive. She, above all, loved her children and counted them as her greatest

accomplishment in her life.

Left to cherish her memory are her six children, Mike (Michelle) McLemore, Melinda McLemore (Dennis Swiggum), Marty (Tammie) McLemore, Matt (Valerie) McLemore, Beebe (Mike) Reno and Kathy McLemore Maguire; her grandchildren, TJ, Alisa, Chad, Jennifer, Megan, Adam, Laura, Ben and Luke; 22 great-grandchildren; brother, Ric Robison; sister, Sandra Davis and a tribe of beautiful friends that she loved and appreciated. She was preceded in death by her husband of 27 years, Dick Hutt; her grandson, Shaun McLemore; her first husband, Dolton McLemore (who was the father of her children), her parents, 3 brothers, 1 sister, and many precious friends.

The family will receive visitors beginning at 3 p.m. on Friday, November 1st, 2024 at Wagley Funeral Home in Adrian. Memorial services will begin at 4 p.m. with Pastor Bruce Jewett officiating. Cremation has taken place, and interment will be held privately at a later date.

She was a cherished Mom, Wife, Daughter, Sister, Grandma, Great-Grandma and friend who left us with beautiful memories. She will be forever missed.

Memorial contributions in her memory may be directed to Hospice of Lenawee or to the American Legion Auxiliary. Online condolences and memories may be shared at www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com.

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering

NOV 1. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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

Memorial Service

NOV 1. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Wagley Funeral Home and Cremation Service created a Webcast in memory of Shirley Ann (Robison) McLemore-Hutt



Wagley Funeral Home - October 31, 2024 at 01:58 PM

NH

“ I am so deeply sorry for your loss. Shirley was such a kind-hearted person with a good sense of humor. She will be missed at Lakeshire.

Nancy Howe - November 01, 2024 at 01:39 PM

PL

“ Patti Lohmeyer purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Shirley Ann (Robison) McLemore-Hutt.



Patti Lohmeyer - November 01, 2024 at 01:55 AM

LF

“ Love, Robbie Stewart & Family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Shirley Ann (Robison) McLemore-Hutt.



Love, Robbie Stewart & Family - October 30, 2024 at 08:10 AM

LF

“ Love, Robbie Stewart & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley Ann (Robison) McLemore-Hutt.

Love, Robbie Stewart & Family - October 30, 2024 at 08:10 AM

JF

“ Mike sorry to hear of the loss of your Mom sir. God bless you and Michelle and your family in your time of loss.

Jay Best and Family - October 30, 2024 at 07:08 AM

SB

“ Rest easy Shirley, our little neighborhood will never be the same without your smiling face and flowers. We will miss you

Sherry Brown - October 30, 2024 at 05:49 AM



“ A grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shirley Ann (Robison) McLemore-Hutt.

October 29, 2024 at 11:34 PM

AT

“ Aaron, Amanda, Lauren and Tory purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Shirley Ann (Robison) McLemore-Hutt.



Aaron, Amanda, Lauren and Tory - October 29, 2024 at 10:30 PM

DB

“ Derek B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley Ann (Robison) McLemore-Hutt.

Derek B. - October 29, 2024 at 08:13 PM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Shirley Ann (Robison) McLemore-Hutt.



October 29, 2024 at 04:17 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shirley Ann (Robison) McLemore-Hutt.

October 29, 2024 at 04:17 PM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Shirley Ann (Robison) McLemore-Hutt.



October 29, 2024 at 03:31 PM

AB

“ *The memories I have with Shirley are to many to share, she was a great lady, RIP my old friend!*

Art Barnhart

Art Barnahrt - October 29, 2024 at 11:36 AM

SK

“ *Sherri Kelley purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Shirley Ann (Robison) McLemore-Hutt.*



Sherri Kelley - October 29, 2024 at 10:50 AM