



## Virginia L. Mitchell

November 27, 1929 - July 10, 2014

ADRIAN --Virginia Mitchell, age 84 of Adrian, passed away Thursday, July 10, 2014, at Grand Court.

She was born November 27, 1929 to Lois F. (VanSchoik) and James D. Bristoll in Adrian, MI, she was the fifth child of seven children. She graduated with the Adrian High School class of 1947. On July 2, 1949, she married Donald Mitchell in Jackson, MS, he preceded her in death on November 27, 2012, celebrating 63 years of marriage.

Virginia worked as a switchboard operator for the General Telephone Co., as postmaster in Holloway, MI, a colorist for Brockley and Cooney Studios, and was manager at Walden Book Store. Virginia and her husband, Don co-owned The Old Mercantile Store; Don would buy the antiques and Virginia would try to sell them. Virginia's favorite past time was travelling to San Francisco for trade shows and to visit her son Doug. She lived a full life and will be greatly missed by her loving family and many, many friends.

Virginia is survived by her children Douglas Mitchell of Palm Springs, CA, Diana Sauter (John) Turtura of Morenci, MI, Roger (Stacy) Mitchell of Blissfield, MI, Julie Mitchell of Adrian, MI and John (Gloria) Mitchell of Palmyra, MI; grandchildren, Jason (Temira) Kaser, Angela (Caleb) Borton, Cale Sauter, Sara (Tim) Cyrus, Alex (Ally) Mitchell and Grant Mitchell; great grandchildren, Makayla Kaser, Jillian Borton and Isabella Borton; and her sister Orvetta Bristoll Lanczki.

In addition to her husband, Donald, she was preceded in death by her

parents, brothers, Eugene and James Nelson, and sisters Lois, Mary Marguerite and Carol.

Funeral services will be Monday, July 14, 2014 at 11:00 a.m. at Wagley Funeral Home, Adrian, with Rev. Drew Hart officiating. Burial will follow at Oakwood Cemetery. Visitation will be from 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. Sunday, July 13 at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Lenawee County Humane Society; envelopes will be available at the funeral home. Online condolences are welcomed at [www.WagleyFuneralHome.com](http://www.WagleyFuneralHome.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **13.** 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Wagley Funeral Home and Cremation Service  
1501 W. Maumee St.  
Adrian, MI

## Service

JUL **14.** 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Virginia L. Mitchell*

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“ *Virginia was a lovely lady. I was her Avon consultant. I enjoyed my visits with her and Julie. She always had stories to tell and a beautiful smile no matter how she felt. She loved her family very much. Goodbye Virginia until we meet again. Love and prayers to the family.*

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