



Charla J. Phillips

November 11, 1958 - May 29, 2026

Charla Jean Phillips, age 67 of Clare, passed away Friday, May 29, 2026 at her son's home in Orleans. Charla was born the daughter of Charles R. and Jeannette F. (Coleman) Strouse on November 11, 1958 in Lansing. She was united in marriage to Paul Phillips on May 16, 1981 with him predeceasing her on December 24, 2017. Charla was devoted to her faith, she found peace being close to God and reading her Bible; she was a member of the First Baptist Church of Clare. Being very family oriented she loved to cook and bake, as well as sew and tend to her flowers. Charla loved to camp and travel both locally in Michigan as well as having traveled to Israel.

Survivors include her children Nichole Tacey of Bay City and Dustin (Kalli) Phillips of Orleans; her grandchildren Willow Smith, Paul Phillips-Killey and Sven and Lander Phillips; brothers Bill (Mary Jane) Strouse and Aaron (Leanne) Strouse both of Clare and many cherished nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her son Matthew Phillips and her great niece Sydney Ackerman.

Visitation and services will be held at the First Baptist Church of Clare. Visitation will be held on Thursday, June 4, 2026 from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 P.M.; services will be Friday, June 5, 2026 at 11:00 A.M. with Pastors Jeremiah Dewey and Jim Young officiating. Burial will take place in the Cherry Grove Cemetery. Memorial contributions are suggested to the First Baptist Church of Clare. Arrangements were handled by the Clare Chapel of Stephenson-Wyman Funeral Home. On-line condolences may be left at www.stephenson-wyman.com

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Cemetery Details

Cherry Grove Cemetery

1000 Cedar St.
Clare, MI 48617

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 4. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Clare
302 Wilcox Pkwy
Clare, MI 48617
(989) 386-7102

Visitation

JUN 4. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

JUN 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

GS

“ Charla was a very nice and lovely lady. She always had a kind word for everyone. And loved her family dearly. I knew her from TOOS 1002, Clare.
Condolences to her family and friends.

Gerilou Spangler - June 04 at 09:30 PM

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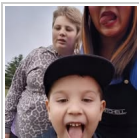
“ Charla was a good friend and neighbor. We met and her family at First Baptist Church. Our kids knew each other through church activities. Our thoughts and prayers go out to her family during this difficult ti.e.

Leisa Carnahan - June 02 at 11:30 PM

KE

“ Niki & family, we're so very sorry for your loss. Your mom & dad were 2 of the nicest people I ever met. Kathy Evens

Kathy Evens - June 01 at 09:26 AM



“ Most amazing mama!!! Love and miss you so much!!!!

Niki Jean - June 01 at 06:56 AM

MW

“ Bill, Arron
So sorry to hear Charla passing . My thoughts and prayers go out to your families.
Mark Waddington

mark waddington - June 01 at 05:24 AM

RA

“ Robbin Anapolle purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Charla J. Phillips.



Robbin Anapolle - May 31 at 04:52 PM

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“ Robbin Anapolle planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charla J. Phillips.

Robbin Anapolle - May 31 at 04:52 PM

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“ Son and Kathy Do and Family. purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Charla J. Phillips.



Son and Kathy Do and Family. - May 31 at 11:11 AM