



Jean M. Schiemann

November 9, 1939 - January 9, 2025

Jean M. Schiemann, age 85 of Clare, passed away peacefully Thursday, January 9, 2025, at the Horizon Senior Living Center of Clare. She was born November 9, 1939, in Mt. Pleasant, MI., daughter of the late H.O. and Rose (Sheahan) Beutler. Jean graduated from the Sacred Heart Academy of Mt. Pleasant, MI. in 1957. On July 8, 1962, Jean married James Ostrowsky. He preceded her in death on June 1, 1988. Jean and Jim loved to dance and had many fun times attending Polka Festivals and fishing. On November 20, 1999, Jean married Walter Schiemann, Sr. He preceded her in death on June 15, 2024. Jean and Walt lived in Kinross and wintered in Texas for many years where they enjoyed riding their motorcycle with friends. Jean retired from the State of Michigan after thirty-five-plus years of service.

Jean is survived by her sister, Elayne Watson, her stepchildren Lonnie, Walt Jr., and Lettie, and her nieces and nephews, Gayle Gianino, Peggy Prew, Angie Skiba, Jim Gardner, Chris Gohlke, Jan Carroll, Rita Doneth, Jay Watson, and Guy Watson. She is also survived by her special niece-in-law Shelli Watson. Jean was preceded in death along with her parents and husbands, by her sisters Marion Howe and Elizabeth (Betty) Lee, her niece Doris Watson, and nephews Daniel Gardner and Matthew Gardner.

In keeping with Jean's wishes, cremation has taken place. A private graveside service will take place in the summer of 2025 at the St. Henry's Catholic Cemetery of Rosebush, where she will be laid to rest with family. Online condolences may be shared on Jean's Tribute Page at www.stephenson-wym

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Cemetery Details

St. Henry's Cemetery

5900 N. Mission Rd.
Rosebush, MI 48878

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall

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“ Dan and I were so blessed to be able to become part of Jean and Walt's lives. They were both so incredibly kind and grateful for our visits and welcomed the sharing of scripture and faith. We are encouraged by the great example they set for our congregation, always being in church to praise God for His many blessings! We know that the angels have now welcomed Jean into everlasting peace, but we will always miss her smile. May God grant peace and healing to you the family, during this time of mourning. Our hearts and prayers are with you. Dan and Karen Fairbotham!

Karen Fairbotham - January 18, 2025 at 12:05 PM

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“ My sincere condolences to Jean's family during this time. I have known Jean since I was born growing up on Summerton Road! What a neighborhood we lived in and a very close knit one as well. So many good memories from this lady. She was such a vibrant and happy person who could liven up any room or situation. Jean had one of the kindest and most generous hearts that I knew. She was a good friend to my folks and even to me into my adult life. We always kept in contact and she was one of the first people I would visit when coming home to Clare. I remember her surprising me in Denver at my wedding and years later was there for my daughter's baptism. My heart is heavy with the loss of Jean, but so many sweet memories that are forever embedded in my heart. You were not just a neighbor, but you were family, a friend and mentor too. R.I.P. Jean. You truly were a Life Well Lived.

Mary Wood - January 14, 2025 at 12:26 PM