



## Sandra J. Fritz

July 29, 1940 - July 4, 2022

Sandra Jean Fritz, age 81 of Lake, passed away peacefully at her home on Monday, July 4, 2022, surrounded by her family. On July 29, 1940, Sandra was born the daughter of Lewis and Myrtle (Green) Cooley in Waterloo, NY. She was united in marriage to Robert J. Fritz on January 16, 1965, in New York and together they shared thirty-five years of marriage until the time of Robert's passing in 2000. Ten years after their marriage, Sandra and Robert moved to the Central Michigan area in 1975 where they lived the rest of their lives. During Sandra's working years, she spent some time waitressing and helping Robert farm, but her true calling was tending to her family and home. She was an avid reader and she loved jotting notes of every matter in her tablet pads. She also greatly enjoyed baking—especially when she got to watch her family wrestle over loaves of her famous banana bread. However, those that knew Sandra best, knew that her greatest passion of all, was that for spending time with her family.

Sandra is survived by her children Jack (Leighann) Cooley, Virginia (Tom) Moore, Jerry "Raymond" (Sheryl) Fritz, Grant (Bonnie) Fritz, and Michael (Beth) Fritz. Other survivors include her 43 grandchildren, her 80 great-grandchildren, her 3 great-great-grandchildren, her brothers Tom, Albert, Walt, and Cliff Cooley, and her sister Dee Cooley. She was preceded in death by her husband Robert J. Fritz, her parents Lewis and Myrtle Cooley, her daughter and son-in-law Yvonne and Joseph Doucet III, and her siblings June

Bennett and Ed Cooley.

A funeral service in honor of Sandra will take place on Saturday, July 9, 2022, at the Clare Chapel of the Stephenson-Wyman Funeral Home at 1:00 P.M. with Pastor Charlie Green officiating. Friends may visit with the Fritz family on Saturday from 11:00 A.M to the time of service at 1:00 P.M. Burial will follow funeral services in the Wise Township Cemetery. Memorial contributions in honor of Sandra may be directed to the American Cancer Society. For those unable to attend services, online condolences may be shared at [www.stephenson-wyman.com](http://www.stephenson-wyman.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Wise Township Cemetery

10101 Loomis St.  
Clare, MI 48617

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 9. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Stephenson - Wyman Funeral Home (Clare)  
1005 North McEwan St.  
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# Tribute Wall

PR

“ *What an amazing matriarch of a family we have had the pleasure of knowing for over 17 years of living in Clare county. Definitely can tell the values and love Sandra instilled to her family and all who knew her. She will be truly missed. Prayers and peace for all mourning her loss.*

Penny L Robinette - July 09, 2022 at 06:19 AM

JB

“ *Joelle B. purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Sandra J. Fritz.*



Joelle B. - July 08, 2022 at 09:52 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Sandra J. Fritz.*



July 08, 2022 at 07:53 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Sandra J. Fritz.*



July 07, 2022 at 01:53 PM

LC

“ Mom was a very special person to me! I knew her before I knew my husband! She was always so kind, caring and loving to all of us! I loved her so much! We didn't get to see her very often as we live in NY.and she lived in Mi. We talked on the phone at least once a week. We would always joke around and have inside jokes. I am going to miss her greatly! Fly high, our angel and Rest In Peace! Until we meet again. See ya later! ❤️

Leigh Cooley - July 07, 2022 at 10:28 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sandra J. Fritz.



July 07, 2022 at 07:24 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sandra J. Fritz.



July 06, 2022 at 07:06 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Sandra J. Fritz.



July 06, 2022 at 01:21 PM

JS

“ One thing I remember about our mom ,she worked at a ruler factory ,she would bring rulers home ,and me and my uncle would build skyscrapers

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**Jack Cooley her oldest son** - July 06, 2022 at 11:09 AM

PC

“ I used to live next door to Bob and Sandy and Bonnie and Grant one of the best memories i have there ,they were great neighbors.Miss those days . Pat Robison

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**pat cross** - July 06, 2022 at 10:36 AM

JB

“ Good Lady prayers for the family.



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**Joann Bennett** - July 06, 2022 at 10:30 AM