



Verla V. Roberts

April 2, 1933 - September 12, 2023

Verla Roberts, age 90, passed away on Sept. 12, 2023. Verla was born April 2, 1933, in Owosso, Mi. to Floyd and Bertha L. Barnes. She was first married in 1953 to Arthur R. Gallagher Sr. Verla gave birth to Arthur Jr., Robert, Anna, Michael, and Timothy Gallagher. After Arthur Sr's passing in 1959, she met and married John E. Roberts Sr. She gave birth to John Jr., and Steven Roberts.

Verla grew up in a large family with four brothers and six sisters. Verla loved to sing, dance, and play cards (her favorites were Euchre and Skip-bo). Verla and John bought the Lake Restaurant in 1977 and ran it until 1989. Verla loved all of her family and would have gatherings to have them all together. Verla loved to cook and bake as well. She also loved to travel. She loved traveling on bus trips with JAG Motorcoach. She would take a lot of various trips to other states, and to various casinos. Verla is preceded in death by her mother and father, four brothers, and five sisters, two daughters, a grandchild, and both husbands. She is survived by her sister Beverly Woods, her sons, Arthur (Bonnie) Gallagher, Robert Gallagher, Michael (Jennifer) Gallagher, Timothy (Delene) Gallagher, John (Eva) Roberts, Steven (Cindy) Roberts, many nieces, nephews, grandchildren, great grandchildren, and great-great grandchildren.

Her Funeral will be held on Friday, Sept. 15, 2023, at the Farwell Chapel of Stephenson-Wyman Funeral Home with Minister Kevin Smith and Darren Haines officiating. Burial will be in the Garfield Twp. Cemetery in Lake,

Michigan. A luncheon will follow the cemetery services at the Gilmore Church of Christ in Farwell, Mi. Friends may meet with her family at the funeral home prior to the service from Noon to 2:00 PM. Memorials may be directed to the Gilmore Church of Christ.

Cemetery Details

Garfield Township Cemetery

8800 S. Lake Station Avenue
Lake, MI 48632

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **15**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Stephenson - Wyman Funeral Home (Farwell)
165 South Hall St.
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ My mom, Joyce Minch, and I used to travel with Verla on Jag Motorcoach. It was so much fun.



Gay Minch - October 01, 2023 at 10:37 AM

JR

Thank you for the kind words. Mom really enjoyed your mom's company.

John Roberts - October 02, 2023 at 04:14 PM

NB

“ Aunt Verla was a wonderful mother and wife and an amazing woman. She was loved by all who knew her.

Nancy Beck - September 15, 2023 at 08:12 PM

JM

“ John and Kim Smith, Sandi Martin purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Verla V. Roberts.



John and Kim Smith, Sandi Martin - September 14, 2023 at 12:02 PM

SM

“ Sean & Deb Martin purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Verla V. Roberts.



Sean & Deb Martin - September 14, 2023 at 11:34 AM

KP

“ May God guide her home to live in eternity. My special condolences to Bob. He worked for this company for many many years , on weekends and shows. We really enjoyed him here and his expertise. We sure miss him. Wishing Peace on his heart and all the folks who loved this woman. She did a wonderful job raising Bob. God Bless her heart

karin k palmer - September 14, 2023 at 09:46 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Verla V. Roberts.



September 13, 2023 at 06:52 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Verla V. Roberts.



September 13, 2023 at 06:35 PM