



## Geraldine "Geri" Stowers

January 28, 1928 - November 18, 2015

Thursday, November 19, 2015

Geraldine Kelley Stowers, 87, of Coloma died Wednesday, November 18, 2015, at her home surrounded by her family.

Services celebrating her life will be held at 10:30 AM on Tuesday, Nov 24, at the Coloma United Methodist Church. Entombment will follow at the North Shore Memory Gardens Mausoleum. The family will receive friends and relatives from 5 PM to 8 PM on Monday at the Davidson Chapel of Florin Funeral Service in Coloma. Memorials may be made to the Coloma United Methodist Church. Please share memories, messages, or photos at [www.florin.net](http://www.florin.net).

Geri was born on Jan 28, 1928 in Poughkeepsie, AK to William and Gatha Kelley. She was a graduate of Coloma High School. She married her husband, Russ Stowers, in 1948 and he preceded her in death in 2008. Together they celebrated 60 years of marriage. Geri graduated from Lake Michigan College in 1972 with an Associates Degree in Nursing. She was a LPN at Watervliet Community Hospital for 20 years before retiring in 1992. Geri loved her nursing career. She was a long time member of the Coloma United Methodist Church and served as the volunteer secretary for over 20 years. She enjoyed watching politics, reading and was a very organized

person. She was a caring, hardworking, nurturing individual who was a best friend to her family. Geri loved taking care of her family.

She is survived by her children; Bill (Avon) Stowers of Coloma and Mark Stowers of Coloma; her sister, Jane Irvin of Coloma, and her granddaughter, Amanda Stowers. She was also preceded in death by her parents, her brothers, William Kelley and Joseph Kelley, and her sister, Lorraine Butts.

# Cemetery Details

## North Shore Memory Gardens

5027 M 63 N  
Coloma, MI 49038

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **23**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Davidson Chapel of Florin Funeral Service  
249 East Center Street  
Coloma, MI 49038  
(269) 468-3181  
[staff@florin.net](mailto:staff@florin.net)

## Services Celebrating Her Life

NOV **24**. 10:30 AM (ET)

Coloma United Methodist Church  
144 S. Church Street  
Coloma, MI 49038  
<http://www.colomaumc.org>

## Entombment

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NOV **24**. 12:30 PM (ET)

North Shore Memory Gardens  
5027 M 63 N  
Coloma, MI 49038

## Luncheon

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Coloma United Methodist Church  
144 S. Church Street  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Lori Doddington Singer lit a candle in memory of Geraldine "Geri" Stowers*



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**Lori Doddington Singer** - November 22, 2015 at 02:20 PM

JY

“ *Our sincere sympathy to your family. We have known Geri through church for a very long time. When John spent 9 days in the hospital in Watervliet in the 1980's she was one of his nurses and she'd always check up on him After he was home she always asked about his welfare. It touched our hearts. She was such a nice lady with a ready smile. We will miss her at church. Our prayers are with your family*



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**John & Marge Yetzke** - November 22, 2015 at 12:02 PM

BH

“ *So sorry for your loss. May God wrap his arms around you all and help you through this difficult time. Remember all the wonderful times you shared.*

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**Bob and Pam Hirsch** - November 21, 2015 at 05:03 AM

PM

“ *Palisades Mechanical Maintenance purchased the Glorious Grace Bouquet for the family of Geraldine "Geri" Stowers.*



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**Palisades Mechanical Maintenance** - November 20, 2015 at 02:31 PM

CS

“ *Bill, Mark, Avon and Amanda,  
We are sorry for your loss. Your mother was a wonderful, kind and beautiful person. I know you will miss her. Take comfort that she was with you for so long.  
Our deepest sympathy,  
Chris and Bo Smith*



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**Chris and Bo Smith** - November 20, 2015 at 12:42 PM