



Lewetta M. Atkinson

August 9, 1929 - April 17, 2016

Lewetta M. Atkinson, 86, of Benton Harbor died Sunday, April 17, 2016, at Caretel Inns in Royalton Township.

Services celebrating her life will be held at 2 PM on Saturday, April 23, at the Word of Life Fellowship at 330 S. Pleasant in Watervliet. Cremation has taken place. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Arrangements are by the Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Service in Benton Harbor. Please share memories, messages, or photos at www.florin.net.

Lewetta was born on August 9, 1929 in Cleveland, OH to Lew and Barbara Vyrostek. She married her husband, Donald, in 1950 and he preceded her in death in 1983. Together they celebrated 33 years of marriage. Lewetta was a member of the Ladies Auxiliary of Lakeland Hospitals and assisted with the newsletter for the Auxiliary. She enjoyed puzzles, sewing, gardening and was an avid reader. Lewetta was a loving and caring mother to her family.

She leaves behind her children, Donna Lew Burgess of Watervliet, Merri (Gary) Tozian of Tampa, FL, Douglas Atkinson of Benton Harbor and Terry Atkinson of Benton Harbor; her grandchildren, Timothy Allen, Erica Fulbright, Michelle Burgess, Scott (Stephanie) Brenneke, and Adam (Michelle) Brenneke; her great grandchildren, Jessica, Dylan, Cali, Jade, Makenzie, Daniel, and Christian. She was also preceded in death by her daughter,

Valerie Broglin, in 2005.

Previous Events

Services Celebrating Her Life

APR **23**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Word ofLife Fellowship
330 S. Pleasant
Watervliet, MI 49098

Tribute Wall

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“ *My mother enjoyed talking with you on the phone to catch up with the goings on of your family. RIP Lewetta, there is no more pain, you are in God's arms. My sincere condolences to the family. Nancy Steele Butzbach*

Nancy Butzbach - April 20, 2016 at 01:38 PM

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“ *My Deepest Condolences Doug, Terry, and Family. Your Mom was a great lady, she didn't stay mad at us long, when we were kids ! I'm sure we didn't help her nerves.. but we all made it through..*

RIP Lewetta..

*Douglas Vaughn
vman357@yahoo.com*

Douglas Vaughn - April 19, 2016 at 09:59 PM

DH

May God be with you all at this very difficult time. May you have peace knowing that your mom is in a better place now.

Dale has so many fond memories from child hood, when you were all neighbors. Dale and I also have a fond memory of when we all had a several meals together when Lou and my (Cindy's) mom were both in the Caretel rehabing a few years ago. We do find comfort in knowing that she is now in Jesus's loving arms and there is no more pain and sorrow.

*Love,
Cindy & Dale*

Dale & Cindy Haigler - April 22, 2016 at 09:38 AM