



## MaryAnn "Betty" Copeland

April 24, 1934 - October 25, 2011

Mary Ann "Betty" Copeland, 77, of Watervliet, passed away early on Tuesday, October 25, at Lakeland Regional Medical Center in St. Joseph.

A memorial service for Mary Ann will be held on Sunday, October 30, 2011 at 2:00 p.m. at the Davidson Chapel of Florin Funeral Service, 249 E. Center St., Coloma, with Pastor Arne Swanson officiating. Burial will be private at North Shore Memory Gardens in Hagar Shores.

Mary Ann was born on April 24, 1934 in Benton Harbor to Frank and Pearl Starbuck. She married Billy Joe Copeland on December 27, 1952 and together had four children, William, Leanora, Jo Ann, and Jack. She worked at the Heath Company for many years and later was a home-healthcare provider. Mary Ann enjoyed working crossword puzzles, crocheting, and working in her flower garden. Most of all, Mary Ann cherished time spent with her family – particularly her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mary Ann is survived by her children, William Copeland of Arkansas, Leanora (Kerry Waughop) Duck of Hartford, MI, Jo Ann (William) Stanislawski of Bangor, and Jack (Linda Huff) Copeland of Watervliet; 11 grandchildren; many great-grandchildren; and by her siblings, Frankie (Jay) Hamilton of Texas, Maxine McAndrew of Millburg, Joe Lawrick, Gordon Lawrick, Mike Steeter, all of Texas, and Amy (Rick) Craft of Florida.

In addition to her parents, Mary Ann was preceded in death by her husband, Billy Joe Copeland in 1988.

# Cemetery Details

## North Shore Memory Gardens

5027 M 63 N  
Coloma, MI 49038

# Previous Events

## Service

OCT 30. 2:00 PM (ET)

Davidson Chapel of Florin Funeral Service  
249 East Center Street  
Coloma, MI 49038  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ *I remember her well when we lived next door on Maynard Drive in Benton Harbor. She was stern but loving with us kids. My prayers and sympathies to you. Debbie Adams*

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**Debbie Adam** - October 31, 2011 at 10:20 AM