



Sylvia Dawn Kintup Arndt

February 24, 1931 - October 14, 2025

Sylvia Dawn Kintup Arndt, 94, of Eau Claire died Tuesday, October 14, 2025 at her home.

Services celebrating her life will be held at 1 PM on Monday, October 20, at the Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Service & Cremation Service with Pastor Nathan Buch officiating. The visitation will be held from 2 PM to 4 PM on Sunday at the Fairplain Chapel. Burial will follow the service at North Shore Memory Gardens. Memorials may be made to St. Judes, the Berrien County Humane Society or Beautiful Savior Evan. Lutheran Church. Please share messages or memories at www.florin.net.

Sylvia was born on February 24, 1931, in Benton Harbor to William and Geneviene Kintup. She graduated from Benton Harbor High School in 1948 and was a housewife her entire life. Sylvia married her husband, Walter Arndt, in Benton Harbor on February 12, 1949, and this union produced 4 children. Sylvia was confirmed and became a member of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church on December 8, 1956. She enjoyed mushroom hunting, Great Lakes Ships, and word games. Sylvia also enjoyed getting together with her family and friends at gatherings. She also loved going to church, our Lord, and believed strongly in prayer.

Her family includes her children, Michael (Kathryn) Arndt of Morrilton, AR., and Larry (special daughter-in-law, Darla) Arndt of Eau Claire; her sister, Barbara (Art) Scherer of Watervliet; 6 grandchildren; and 11 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Walter, in 1985; her daughters, Debra Ryneerson and Yvonne "Bonnie" Arndt; her grandson, Jason; her brothers, Ronald Kintup and William Kintup; her special aunt, Margaret Kintup; and her many loved relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

North Shore Memory Gardens

5027 M 63 N
Coloma, MI 49038

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 19. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Service
1053 East Napier Avenue
Benton Harbor, MI 49022
(269) 926-7222
staff@florin.net

Celebration of life

OCT 20. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Burial

OCT 20 (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Mike, Larry and family, so sorry to hear about your Mom passing. Your all in our thoughts and Prayers. With Love, Wayne and Shella(Burke) Ryan.



Shella Ryan - October 19, 2025 at 01:04 PM

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“ James LaVanway purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Sylvia Dawn Kintup Arndt.



James LaVanway - October 17, 2025 at 03:58 PM

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“ James LaVanway planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sylvia Dawn Kintup Arndt.

James LaVanway - October 17, 2025 at 03:58 PM