



## Bernice Baker

February 8, 1919 - July 16, 2014

BAKER, Bernice, age 95, died in Henry Ford Hospital, Detroit, Michigan. Born February 8, 1919 in New Foundland, Canada to the late Albert and Rosanna nee Barrett Smith. Beloved wife of the late Ralph Baker died 1979. Dear Aunt of Florence Lawrence Verlinde. Visitation Saturday 5:00pm - 9:00pm at Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 8459 Hall Road, Utica, Michigan. Additional visitation, funeral service at burial in Canada. Please share a memory with the family at [www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com](http://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ In thinking of Aunt Bernice’s passing, while I am sad she is gone, I have been reflecting on the many happy memories I have of our time together. Though she and Uncle Ralph did not have children of their own, the love and affection we family and friends all shared with them is beyond measure. The Arthur Lloyd Baker Uncle Ralph’s brother family was particularly blessed. Often referred to Aunt Beannie, we all had special times with her and Uncle Ralph. Aunt B told me that almost every weekend, my older siblings would spend weekends with them. My special memories are of 1970, when I stayed with my brother Bob for 6 months at his place on the farm in Angola. Almost every day, Aunt B and I would play 2-handed euchre accompanied by tea and her fabulous homemade molasses cookies. Then we’d go on diets together and I still can’t look at a grapefruit after that diet!! Last visited Aunt Bernice at her place in Hamilton Lake in 2009. We got to reminisce about good times and people we loved who were no longer with us. She has joined them now. Thank you Aunt Bernice for the special person you are and sharing your life with us. The picture below is me with Uncle Ralph and Aunt Bernice about 1954.

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**Rita Baker** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ My most favorite place to spend the night without the rest of the family. She spoiled me, hot coco and coconut candy she got from the Amish. She taught me at a very young age that it was okay for a girl to like farm animals and as a grown woman it is ok to live life even after the one you love has gone ahead of you. She is now home with Uncle Ralph.

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**Anggie Brouse** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM