



## Caroline M. Butkiewicz

December 5, 1933 - August 17, 2018

Caroline Butkiewicz "nee Mason" passed to her eternal reward on August 17, 2018, at the age of 84. Beloved wife of Michael; loving mother of Timothy (Christina) and Karen (Robert) Rinderknecht; dear grandmother of Abigail, Maximilian, Marek, Lukasz, Olivia, Jakub, Jan, Robert III, Hunter, and Mason; dear sister of Mary Catherine. Preceded in death by her parents James and Caroline, and siblings Evelyn, Ann, Mary Lucy, James, and Thomas. Visitation at the Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 8459 Hall Road, (3 blks. E. Van Dyke), Utica, Tuesday, August 21, from 2-9pm with a rosary service at 7pm. Mass at St. Lawrence Catholic Church, 44633 Utica Rd, Utica on Wednesday, August 22, instate 9:30am until Mass at 10 am. Interment St. Lawrence Cemetery. Please share a memory at [www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com](http://www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **21**. 2:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Wm Sullivan and Son Funeral Home  
8459 Hall Road  
Utica, MI 48317  
(586) 731-2411  
utica@sullivanfh.com  
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## Rosary

AUG **21**. 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Instate

AUG **22**. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Lawrence Catholic Church  
44633 Utica Road  
Utica, MI 48317

## Funeral Mass

AUG **22**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

BM

“ We were so sorry we were out of town when Caroline passed away. We always enjoyed meeting her at church. Although we know she faced many challenges, we admired her positive attitude. She always mentioned how grateful she was for all her blessings. Her cup was certainly "half full". She loved her family and was so proud of the grandchildren. She was a reflection of God's love. We will miss her!

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**Barbara and Doug McKay** - August 27, 2018 at 03:40 PM

KA

“ Dear Mike and family of Caroline,  
Please accept our deepest and sincere condolences and sympathies.  
We truly have come to cherish our visits when you and Caroline visit Nebraska.  
Know our thoughts and prayers are with you.  
Mark and Kathy Monaghan

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**Kathy** - August 18, 2018 at 03:51 PM

KM

“ On behalf of your family in Toronto, our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. I remember receiving a letter from Butter's mother. She wrote about Butter being at boarding school. At the school the nuns read all of the letters before they reached the students. A letter written to Butter by her mother was read from the lectern to the whole school assembly. Butter was horrified. The letter was about the adventures of her father trying to fix the toilet after one of Butter's siblings stuffed something metal (I think it was a coffee can) down the toilet.

I also remember Butter's mother complaining about the light on the front porch. She would turn the light on, but Butter and her siblings would take the light out of the socket.

My health prevents me from attending, but as long as we remember Butter, she will be with us.

Marie (Kevin and Carol)



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Kevin McAuliffe - August 18, 2018 at 09:51 AM