



Fern Irene Turney

May 13, 1954 - October 22, 2019

Fern Irene Turney (nee Batchelder)

Age 65, October 22, 2019 Beloved wife of John Turney. Loving mother of John Turney.

Dear daughter of Shirley (nee Balme) and the late Richard Batchelder Sr. Dearest sister of Richard (Elaine) Batchelder, Kathleen (Robert) Finta, and the late Keith Batchelder. Caring sister-in-law of Joyce (Mike) First. Aunt of Autumn (Nikolaos) Gerasimidis, Brandon (Arlyn) Batchelder, Michael (Joselyn) Batchelder, Robert (Iaroslava) Finta, Laurel (Evan) Miles, Heather (Abe) Carefoot, and Rose First. Great Aunt of Avery, Gisele, Shelby, Chanel, Julian, Stella, and Lexy. Fern impacted everyone's life that she touched or came in contact with, she was a positive role model to all. When someone would enter a room the first thing they would ask is "Where is Fern". Visitation at the Wm Sullivan and Son Funeral Home 8459 Hall Road (3 Blks E. of Van Dyke) Utica Friday, October 25 from 2-8pm. Funeral Service Saturday, October 26 11am at the funeral home. Interment Christian Memorial Cemetery Rochester Hills, Michigan. Please share a memory at www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com

Cemetery Details

Christian Memorial Cemetery

521 E. Hamlin Road
Rochester Hills, MI 48307

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **25**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

OCT **26**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

LT

“ Love from Dorothy, Jeaneane, & the Tracys purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Fern Irene Turney.



Love from Dorothy, Jeaneane, & the Tracys - October 25, 2019 at 10:32 AM

TA

“ Tom and Diane Antishin purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Fern Irene Turney.



Tom and Diane Antishin - October 24, 2019 at 08:38 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Fern Irene Turney.



October 24, 2019 at 07:14 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Fern Irene Turney.



October 24, 2019 at 04:29 PM

LE

“ *Lori & Dan Akers, Jen & Matt Grucz and Aunt Elaine purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Fern Irene Turney.*



Lori & Dan Akers, Jen & Matt Grucz and Aunt Elaine -
October 24, 2019 at 03:14 PM

PA

“ *Fern's life exemplified the love of Jesus. I remember years ago her husband, John, told me she was the closest thing to an Angel he had ever known. She will be sorely missed. Our deepest condolences to all who loved her. Patti and Andy Antishin*

patti antishin - October 24, 2019 at 11:10 AM

SG

“ *So sorry to hear this sad news. Please know that my thoughts and prayers go out to you today.*

Sharon McMahan Griffith

Sharon Griffith - October 24, 2019 at 08:22 AM

JB

“ *Fern was the sweetest women ive ever met. She was amazing with my kids and they loved her dearly . Some of my favorite memories are going to grandma Shirley's house and swimming. She loved swimming with the kids and playing games with them . We will really miss her !*

Joselyn Batchelder - October 23, 2019 at 10:52 PM

WF

“ *With love, First, Miles, and Carefoot families purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Fern Irene Turney.*



With love, First, Miles, and Carefoot families - October 23, 2019 at 07:43 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Fern Irene Turney.*



October 23, 2019 at 05:24 PM

LJ

“ *Dear cousin Fern, you were so loved by your family and all you came in contact with. Your love and kindness was unsurpassed. To say you will be missed can not adequately express how we really feel. John, we are holding you up in prayer as well as the family at this time of loss. I know heaven has a special place prepared just for you and it's magnificent. Love you dear one. See you again one glorious day.*

Lee and Shelly Batchelder and Jadyn - October 23, 2019 at 04:18 PM

LH

“ John and Fern have been best friends of my sister & her husband for many years, since I was a teen. I've so many memories of Fern- one of the sweetest ladies ever. They took my wedding pics (they were a team) 38yrs ago because I didn't have a photographer, and I still think of both of them as family. It has been such a journey for everyone. Our hearts are crushed for John. Tho we know Fern is in Good Hands. Prayers for John and everyone else that loved her and will miss her sorely.

Leisa & Nat Hunt - October 23, 2019 at 02:54 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Fern Irene Turney.



October 23, 2019 at 06:14 AM

KF

“ Fern ALWAYS had a bright smile on her face. She never let on her discomforts and always saw the best in a situation. Her joy and sparkle will be remembered forever. Our prayers, thoughts and love go with your family.

Kathy and Tom Finta - October 22, 2019 at 08:35 PM

SR

“ How do we even begin to express our condolences to the family..? Fern was such a big part of our lives since 1972. All the treasured memories of the wonderful times we shared. As we grieve we are comforted in the surety that she has gone Home to be with her Lord . Psa 116:15 Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints.

Steve and Phyllis Risher - October 22, 2019 at 05:15 PM