



GERALYNN SUE WERTHMAN

June 5, 1964 - June 3, 2026

It is with profound sadness that we announce the unexpected passing of GERALYNN SUE WERTHMAN on June 3, 2026, just two days before her 62nd birthday.

GERALYNN is survived by her devoted husband, Thomas Werthman; her dear mother, Yvonne Bova; her loving children, Adam Hubert and Amy (Thomas) Ryan; her cherished granddaughter, Evie, and her soon-to-arrive grandson, Baby Luca; her siblings, Terry (Kurt) Meier and John (Aimee) Bova; as well as many extended family members, friends, and all whose lives were touched by her kindness and love.

She was preceded in death by her father, Jack Bova.

GERALYNN was born on June 5, 1964, and spent her life caring for others with a generous heart, unwavering devotion, and a kindness that touched everyone she met. She had a remarkable gift for making people feel loved and remembered. Whether it was a birthday, anniversary, holiday, or any special occasion, GERALYNN never missed an opportunity to send a card, offer a thoughtful gift, or remind someone how much they meant to her.

Her greatest joy in life was her family. She was a devoted wife, loving mother, cherished daughter, caring sister, and the most adoring Nana. She absolutely loved children, especially her granddaughter Evie, the light of her life. She spent many years helping with children's programs and assisting teachers at Trinity Lutheran Church, where her warmth, patience, and loving spirit made every child feel special and welcomed.

Geralynn shared a beautiful love story with her husband, Thomas Werthman. They started as high school sweethearts, but went their separate ways after graduating for a time before finding their way back to one another later in life. Their reunion led to a deep and enduring marriage built on friendship, love, laughter, and unwavering support. They were truly best friends. Geralynn took great pride in caring for Tom and always made sure he was looked after, just as she did with everyone she loved.

Anyone who knew Geralynn knew that she worried about the people she cared for. Her constant checking in could sometimes drive loved ones crazy, but it came from a place of deep love and concern. She simply wanted to know that everyone was safe, happy, and okay. Taking care of others was who she was.

Geralynn loved the colors blue and pink, treasured family gatherings, and found happiness in the simple moments spent with those she loved most. Her heart was biggest when she was with her grandchild. Being Nana was one of her greatest blessings. She leaves behind precious memories with her beloved granddaughter, Evie, and she eagerly anticipated the arrival of her grandson, Baby Luca, due in July.

Geralynn's legacy is one of love, compassion, and selfless care for others. She spent her life making people feel special, remembered, and loved. Her family and friends will forever cherish her thoughtful heart, gentle spirit, and the countless ways she cared for those around her.

Though she will be deeply missed, the love she gave so freely will continue to live on in the hearts of all who knew her.

A memorial gathering will take place on Wednesday, June 10, 2026, from 9:00am until the time of the memorial service at 11am at Trinity Lutheran Church, 45160 Van Dyke, Utica, MI 48317.

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering

JUN 10. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Trinity Lutheran Church
45160 Van Dyke
Utica, MI 48317

Memorial Service

JUN 10. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Trinity Lutheran Church
45160 Van Dyke
Utica, MI 48317

Tribute Wall



“ Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Directors created a GERALYNN WERTHMAN funeral Service Livestream in memory of GERALYNN SUE WERTHMAN



Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Directors - June 05 at 11:31 AM

JB

“ Jennifer Hichme and Kristina Batkins purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of GERALYNN SUE WERTHMAN.



Jennifer Hichme and Kristina Batkins - June 10 at 08:47 AM

JB

“ Jennifer Hichme and Kristina Batkins planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of GERALYNN SUE WERTHMAN.

Jennifer Hichme and Kristina Batkins - June 10 at 08:47 AM

RM

“ Richard M. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of GERALYNN SUE WERTHMAN.

Richard M. - June 09 at 11:34 PM

BP

“ *Bill Parrish purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Geralynn Sue Werthman.*



Bill Parrish - June 09 at 03:16 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Geralynn Sue Werthman.*



June 09 at 12:23 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Geralynn Sue Werthman.*

June 09 at 12:23 PM



“ *Divine Light was purchased for the family of Geralynn Sue Werthman.*



June 09 at 07:04 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Geralynn Sue Werthman.*



June 09 at 06:58 AM



“ *The VanDeVelde Family Cousins purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Geralynn Sue Werthman.*



The VanDeVelde Family Cousins - June 09 at 06:49 AM



“ *Love, the Mighty Oaks Homeschool Co-op purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Geralynn Sue Werthman.*



Love, the Mighty Oaks Homeschool Co-op - June 08 at 08:58 PM



“ *Love, the Mighty Oaks Homeschool Co-op planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Geralynn Sue Werthman.*

Love, the Mighty Oaks Homeschool Co-op - June 08 at 08:58 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of GERALYNN SUE WERTHMAN.



June 08 at 02:03 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of GERALYNN SUE WERTHMAN.

June 08 at 02:03 PM



“ CSA Kindergarten family purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of GERALYNN SUE WERTHMAN.



CSA Kindergarten family - June 08 at 12:40 PM



“ From the Jarnagin Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of GERALYNN SUE WERTHMAN.



From the Jarnagin Family - June 08 at 12:17 PM

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“ 2025-2026 PreK3 Class purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Geralynn Sue Werthman.



2025-2026 PreK3 Class - June 07 at 11:22 PM

CJ

“ Craig & Kellie Jankowski purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Geralynn Sue Werthman.



Craig & Kellie Jankowski - June 06 at 05:21 PM

CJ

“ Craig & Kellie Jankowski planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Geralynn Sue Werthman.

Craig & Kellie Jankowski - June 06 at 05:21 PM

BF

“ Bob, Jeannine, and the Dutko family. purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Geralynn Sue Werthman.



Bob, Jeannine, and the Dutko family. - June 05 at 01:11 PM

BF

“ *Bob, Jeannine, and the Dutko family. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Geralynn Sue Werthman.*

Bob, Jeannine, and the Dutko family. - June 05 at 01:11 PM