



Joan Marie Bearrs

April 3, 1938 - January 29, 2023

Joan M. Bearss, age 84, passed away January 29, 2023. She was born on April 3, 1938 in Detroit to Walter Harbert and Gertrude Walzer Harbert. She was a longtime resident of Royal Oak, and recently of Warren. Joan retired from Royal Oak Public Schools in 1996 after many years of dedicated service. In her spare time she enjoyed crocheting and socializing with friends and family.

Beloved wife of the late Callyar Bearss. Loving mother of Gertrude "Trudy" Dodson and Patricia "Patty" (Tom) Conrad. Loving grandmother of Harold Dodson IV, Corey Dodson, Thomas James "TJ" Conrad, William Conrad and great grandmother of Zachary, Chase and Lillian.

Visitation will take place on Wednesday, February 1 from 2 - 8 p.m. at Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 705 W. 11 Mile Rd. (four blocks east of Woodward), Royal Oak. Funeral service will take place Thursday, February 2 at 10 a.m. at the funeral home. Burial will follow at Oakview Cemetery.

Memorial contributions to AdvisaCare Hospice are appreciated.

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Cemetery Details

Oakview Cemetery

1032 N. Main Street
(south of 12 Mile Road)
Royal Oak, MI 48067

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 1. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

FEB 2. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Jim and I have known Mrs. Bearrs for many many years. She was very giving of her time for making dinner rolls for church dinners. They were soft, good and HUGE! She also crocheted with plastic canvas and yarn. I still have a pen holder that she made for me many years ago.with the plastic and yarn. She loved going to McDonald's for coffee with her friends each morning. She was always ready to visit with you. I am sorry that we can't be there but we are out of the state right now. God bless you Trudy and Patty.

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