



## Lera Leone Brown

February 16, 1945 - January 26, 2016

Brown, Lera Leone, age 70, a 23-year resident of Warren, formerly of Berkley and Oak Park, passed away January 26, 2016. She was born February 16, 1945 in Detroit to the late David and Marie Spencer. Lera was a social worker for the Northeast Guidance Center in Detroit for more than 10 years. In her spare time, she loved to paint, sew, crochet and quilt. She was the beloved wife of William R. Brown; the couple married August 7, 1965 at Our Lady of LaSalette Catholic Church in Berkley; loving mother of William Robert Brown Jr., John Francis Brown, Daun Brown-Renney, Jody Lee Brown and Jamie Brown; dear sister of the late Juanita Spencer and David A. Spencer; proud grandmother of six; and great grandmother of one. A memorial Mass will be held at St. Mark Catholic Church in Warren on Thursday, July 28, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. Family will receive friends starting at 10:45 a.m. Share your memories at [www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com](http://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Southern Michigan Services

4839 Fernlee Avenue  
Royal Oak, MI 48073

# Previous Events

## Direct Cremation - No Services

FEB 16. 12:00 AM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak  
705 W. Eleven Mile Road  
Royal Oak, MI 48067  
(248) 541-7000  
royal@sullivanfh.com  
<https://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com/>

## Funeral Mass

JUL 28. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Mark Catholic Church  
4401 Bart Avenue  
Warren, MI 48091

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Lera was a wonderful person. I know my mom really cared for her. She worked in catering with my mom and always gave 200%. She was part of our family and will be missed. But I know she is in a better place now and she will be watching over her children and grandchildren to help them. She loved them and Bill so much. When the Lord calls our loved ones home He leaves a gift of memories in exchange. May the love of family and friends, the comfort of cherished memories, and the serenity of prayer guide you all through this difficult time. Just know that Grandpa Tripp, Grandma Irene, Grandpa and Grandma Arce, Aunt Alicia, Auntie Glenn, Aunt Lily, Jeremy, Steve and so many more are greeting her right now. Peace and Love Lera.*

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**Therese Williams** - February 13, 2016 at 10:12 AM