



Norma Hewson

February 4, 1960 - February 6, 2021

Norma Lee Hewson passed away peacefully at home February 6th at the age of 61. She is survived by her beloved husband, Stephen Lee Hewson, and four loving children, Tyler, Madison, Elliott and Mia. Sister to Robert Clotfelter, Sharon Giannosa and Debra Hammer. Aunt to many nieces and nephews. She was born on February 4, 1960 in Detroit, Michigan and she spent the majority of her life in the surrounding suburbs of Detroit with a brief several years in New York City where she worked in the garment industry and attended The Fashion Institute of Technology as fashion design had always been a strong interest. She returned home in the late 1980's where she met Steve and they married March 17, 1990. The first two children were born in the early 1990's, followed by the adoption of the two youngest children in early 2000. Norma was a devoted mother with an active role in her children's lives as a Christian homeschooler and a supporter of their church, music, sports and scouting activities. While raising the children, she completed a much desired college degree from Oakland University. As her children aged, she established MiaBeth Designs where she designed and created hand made young girls clothing that she marketed in shows around the state. She found this to be an opportunity to use her amazing skills and have an activity where she could be with and teach her daughters and take summertime retreats to shows where she so enjoyed putting smiles on young girls faces with her many creations. She was a supporter of anyone she came across and she never declined an opportunity to volunteer to help those in need, including her

last act of kindness in which she made over 150 covid masks, devoting many hours to meet the numerous requests. Despite the health challenges she first encountered in late 2016 that she lived with the remainder of her life, Norma never allowed the disease to define her later life. She remained active and engaged with family and friends and she experienced a miracle recovery in late 2017, using this additional time with family and friends and to assist in daily care giving activities for her father and continue care giving activities for Steve's mother and aunt. She was also able to enjoy trips with family and friends to Hawaii, Florida, Georgia and South Dakota, as well as, northern Michigan. Norma was a faithful and devoted Child of God and she encouraged everyone by her presence and uplifting words and often prayer. Despite the challenges that she and others she encountered were experiencing, she would make it known that "It's All Good." Many will remember her by this mantra and will hopefully live by it as Norma's spirit continues to be with them. Memorial service will take place on Friday, February 12th, 2021 at 11 am at Trinity Lutheran Church, 45160 Van Dyke Avenue, Utica and live streamed on link at this website 15 minutes prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials in Norma's memory be given to Trinity Lutheran Church and/or Living Grace Church at 2306 Auburn Road, Shelby Township, 48317.

Cemetery Details

Irwin Cremation Service

51528 Schoenherr Road
Shelby Township, MI 48315

Previous Events

Memorial Service

FEB 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

Trinity Lutheran Church
45160 Van Dyke
Utica, MI 48317

Tribute Wall



“ *Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Directors created a Webcast in memory of Norma Hewson*



Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Directors - February 12, 2021 at 10:32 AM

KC

not able to view service in Georgia

kenneth copp - February 12, 2021 at 11:02 AM

TU

I am having the same issue in Virginia.

Tristan Uphoff - February 12, 2021 at 11:05 AM

JC

We did have a few technical difficulties at church that we are working through. We will try to get the service up as soon as possible. If not we will post the recorded service as soon as her service is concluded

Jack Clock - February 12, 2021 at 11:10 AM

TU

It seems to have started working here in Virginia.

Tristan Uphoff - February 12, 2021 at 11:12 AM

CB

No video of service.

CB - February 12, 2021 at 11:14 AM

JC

It looks like we may have gotten the stream back up. If you are still having issues, please try to refresh your browser and the video should work. We will continue to monitor.

Jack Clock - February 12, 2021 at 11:20 AM

KD

The streaming is working now. <3 We love you Norma & family. Kylie & Marge

Kylie Davis - February 12, 2021 at 11:21 AM

TP

Sending prayers and thinking of all of you 🙏❤️

Tara Provo - February 12, 2021 at 12:03 PM

SG

Can we still view Norma's service

Sharon Giannosas - February 12, 2021 at 02:42 PM

FS


“ *Sending all my love and healing prayers to Norma's family and many loved ones. Norma's friendship has been one of the greatest blessings of my life. I have fond memories of our adventures and I will celebrate and cherish our time together. To my beautiful and radiant friend: I love you and thank you for loving me.*

Fran Salafia

Fran Salafia - February 12, 2021 at 10:47 AM



SG

“ Dear Norma, I love you and will miss you. Our hearts are broken  .We always had a good time no matter where we were. I hope and pray that you ,mom and dad are together with no pain and someday we will all be together again.

Sharon Giannosas - February 12, 2021 at 09:11 AM

WD

“ Our hearts was so broken when we heard the sad news. Norma was one of a kind. We were very lucky and blessed to know her. The world have lost one of the kindest and gentlest people we have ever had the privilege to know.

Please know how much we share your grief. It is a sad time for all of us. May God grant you the peace and strength to carry on in faith.

Wasnaa and family

Wasnaa Daoud - February 11, 2021 at 05:57 PM

MO

“ Dear Hewson Family,

We are sending our love and support to you during this difficult time. Norma was such a special person and she spread so much kindness. She exuded such an amazingly beautiful spirit. We are so thankful we met her and her beautiful family and we will treasure all of the memories.

*Love,
The Olson Family*

Michelle Olson - February 11, 2021 at 05:16 PM

TJ

“ I have known Steve for many years. My wife & I had the occasion to have gotten together with both Steve & Norma a few times. What a great couple. Smiles & laughter is all I remember. In all the time I've know Steve & through many a lunch, I've never heard one word of slightest complaint about Norma, only praise & gratitude about being married to such a wonderful woman. In her short life, Norma has left a legacy of encouragement & love to her husband & children. We salute a life well lived, we honor your memory and see your fingerprints on the people closest to you. Respectfully, Tom & Geri Jablonski

tom jablonski - February 11, 2021 at 02:05 PM

LL

“ To Stephen, your children, family and, I'm sure, countless friends.

I met Norma years ago when she and friends, Fran, Toni, Kevin and Keith arrived in New York City. We had all come to seek our fame and fortune in the Big Apple. Our paths never crossed in the years to follow, but I will always remember how kind, giving, full of fun and possibilities Norma was. And always, always, always supportive of everyone's dream. I am blessed to have known her for even a little while.

With much love and prayers, Lynn (Laurence) and Steve Kirby

Lynn Laurence - February 11, 2021 at 01:08 PM

DW

“ Deepest sympathy to the whole Hewson family! We remember Norma as such a warm person. She was always willing to lend a hand and be there for her family and friends in any way she could. She made us our family's first masks so we could go shopping properly without hesitation. Also thankful for all her Christ-like wisdom as a Mom, daughter of Christ, and with volleyball for several years. Loved her energy and enthusiasm for the kids!!! The world will miss you, Norma!!! Love, The Wolfs

Dawn Wolf - February 11, 2021 at 01:07 PM

ML

“ We are so sorry for your loss, Elliott. Unfortunately, we never had the pleasure of meeting your mother. Seeing her warm smile and reading about her life she sounds like an absolutely wonderful person. Your mother, you, and all of your family are in our prayers. May God comfort you and all those who mourn your mother. God bless you. Steve & Marina and Family

Marina LaRocca - February 11, 2021 at 12:29 PM

JB

“ Deepest sympathy to the Hewson family. Norma was an amazing lady and will be missed but never forgotten. Love the Bozarth family

Jamie Bozarth - February 10, 2021 at 04:35 PM

TR

“ You were one of the kindest, caring, always positive and genuine person I’ve known. You will be greatly missed.



Traci - February 09, 2021 at 07:19 PM



“ Our deepest sympathy to The Hewson family. Norma was such a kind, beautiful, and caring soul. May she rest in peace. You are all in our thoughts and prayers. Phyllis, Vicki and Shari.

Shari Ibarluzea - February 09, 2021 at 04:52 PM



“ Norma - my friend - thank you for all of the times you made me smile and lifted me up when I was going through some tough times. Your welcoming smile meant so much to me, Luke and Emily.....Godspeed you lived your life to spend eternity with your Jesus - I am happy for you sad for those of us you leave behind.....but happy for you... prayers of comfort for Steve, Tyler, Maddie, Elliott and Mia.....

Diener Family

Pamela Diener - February 09, 2021 at 04:01 PM

JG

“ Jack Giannosa purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Norma Hewson.



Jack Giannosa - February 09, 2021 at 03:51 PM

GS

“ What a beautiful soul! Wonderful mother, wife and friend to all. Her grace and elegance will be surely missed. Rest in heavenly peace among the angels. ❤️

Grace Salafia - February 09, 2021 at 01:40 PM

CM

“ So sorry to hear about the passing of my cousin, Norma. She is now in the arms of her loved ones who passed before her. Just knowing that she is walking hand in hand with Jesus on the streets paved in gold should bring some comfort to all of us. Until we meet again Norma. I love you 🙏

Colleen Michilli - February 09, 2021 at 12:51 PM

DE

“ I remember Norma as a kind, loving person with an enormous heart. She touched my heart and I am sure everyone she met she touched theirs too. You will always be there. ❤️

Diane Elston - February 09, 2021 at 10:15 AM

RM

“ *Such a beautiful person she will be missed by many my heart goes out to the Family to Sharon, Debbie and Bob also .God Bless all of you 🙏🙏❤❤*

Rose Mueller - February 09, 2021 at 10:01 AM

LS

“ *I am so sorry to hear of Norma's passing. We were classmates at South Lake High School and although we hadn't seen each other in years, my heart remembers so many fun times as friends back then. I am saying prayers for her family as they remember and celebrate a wonderful life. Heaven has gained a beautiful angel❤*

Lisa Stieler-Wells - February 08, 2021 at 05:54 PM