



## Patricia M. Lehman

August 15, 1943 - October 21, 2024

Patricia M. Lehman, of Sterling Heights, passed away on October 21, 2024 at the age of 81. Patricia is the cherished wife for 63 years of William; the loving mother of Jeffrey (Donna) Lehman, Robert (Michelle) Lehman, and Ann (Dr. Bill) Rittinger; the adored grandmother of Troy, Tara (Brian) Alec, Cody (Anna), Connor, Natalie, and Jack; the dear great-grandmother of Adria, Brayden, and Madilyn; and the beloved sister of Paul (Karin) March. Patricia was raised in Oak Park. She graduated from St. James in Ferndale, Michigan. She obtained her MBA from Central Michigan University. Early in her career she was a professor at Macomb Community College. She transitioned to working as the Director of Community Relations for the City of Sterling Heights, Michigan and she retired after 23 years of service. Patricia was also a professional jazz singer. She met the love of her life, William Lehman, at the Checker's BBQ, across from Baker's Keyboard Lounge, after playing a set, and immediately hit it off. Patricia auditioned and was offered a position to sing on the Perry Como show in 1961. Patricia was a Corvette aficionado, owning multiple Corvettes during her life.

Patricia's family will receive friends for visitation on Thursday, October 24, 2024 from 2:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 8459 Hall Road (3 blocks East of Van Dyke), Utica, Michigan. Funeral Mass on Friday, October 25, in state from 9:30 a.m. until the time of her Mass at 10:00 a.m. at St. Lawrence Catholic Church, 44633 Utica Road, Utica, Michigan. Entombment at St. Lawrence Cemetery. Memorial are

appreciated to St. Lawrence Catholic Church, 44633, Utica Road, Utica,  
Michigan 48317. Please share a story or leave a tribute at [www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com](http://www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com)

# Cemetery Details

## St. Lawrence Cemetery

Auburn Road  
Utica, MI 48317

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **24**. 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  
<https://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com/>

## Instate At Church

OCT **25**. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Lawrence Catholic Church  
44633 Utica Road  
Utica, MI 48317

## Funeral Mass

OCT **25**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Lawrence Catholic Church  
44633 Utica Road  
Utica, MI 48317

# Tribute Wall



“ *Amazing Grace 44" Sonnet was purchased for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.*



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October 26, 2024 at 11:40 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Patricia M. Lehman.

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October 26, 2024 at 11:40 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**sandra** - October 25, 2024 at 11:27 AM

JM

“ Pat was such a fine professional in all her endeavors! I thoroughly enjoyed working with her during her time with the city of Sterling Hts. and she did so much for that community. We laughed, worked hard to move the region ahead and always welcomed our time together! I learned a lot about PR watching her work and cherished our friendship! She was wonderful in every sense of the word! Condolences to her family and I know she will be sorely missed by all who knew her!

Jacqueline Noonan, Utica Retired Mayor - October 25, 2024 at 08:31 AM

MR

“ Mike and Karen Riehs purchased the I Have You In My Heart Plush Blanket for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



Mike and Karen Riehs - October 25, 2024 at 08:31 AM

MR

“ Mike and Karen Riehs planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia M. Lehman.

Mike and Karen Riehs - October 25, 2024 at 08:31 AM

TF

“ The Lang Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



The Lang Family - October 24, 2024 at 11:17 PM

TF

“ The Lang Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia M. Lehman.

The Lang Family - October 24, 2024 at 11:17 PM

EM

“ Eric and Lisa Mackey purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



Eric and Lisa Mackey - October 24, 2024 at 11:11 AM

EM

“ Eric and Lisa Mackey planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia M. Lehman.

Eric and Lisa Mackey - October 24, 2024 at 11:11 AM

LT

“ Love, the Moscones and Tavernas planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia M. Lehman.

Love, the Moscones and Tavernas - October 24, 2024 at 08:04 AM

LT

“ Love, the Moscones and Tavernas purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



Love, the Moscones and Tavernas - October 24, 2024 at 08:04 AM

TF

“ Thr Kochenderfer Family purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



Thr Kochenderfer Family - October 23, 2024 at 09:52 PM

TF

“ The Bible Gonzales Family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



The Bible Gonzales Family - October 23, 2024 at 08:51 PM

RJ

“ Russell Families (Justin and Jeremy) planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia M. Lehman.

Russell Families (Justin and Jeremy) - October 23, 2024 at 08:40 PM

RJ

“ Russell Families (Justin and Jeremy) purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



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**Russell Families (Justin and Jeremy)** - October 23, 2024 at 08:40 PM

WA

“ Wendy A. purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



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**Wendy A.** - October 23, 2024 at 07:50 PM

ES

“ Eileen Kent & Ed Stevens purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



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**Eileen Kent & Ed Stevens** - October 23, 2024 at 06:34 PM

LG

“ Linda, Chrysti, Tim, and Loree Godfrey planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia M. Lehman.

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**Linda, Chrysti, Tim, and Loree Godfrey** - October 23, 2024 at 05:16 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.*



October 23, 2024 at 05:16 PM



“ *Cliff & Toni Smith & Family purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.*



**Cliff & Toni Smith & Family** - October 23, 2024 at 04:18 PM



“ *Pat was a wonderful person, and she will be remembered warmly. She was so devoted to her family and to the community. May she rest in peace.*

**Martin Brown** - October 23, 2024 at 02:56 PM



“ *Kaye, Ted, Emry, and Levi Rittinger purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.*



**Kaye, Ted, Emry, and Levi Rittinger** - October 23, 2024 at 01:33 PM

BJ

“ Bob, Pat & Joe purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



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**Bob, Pat & Joe** - October 23, 2024 at 01:18 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



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October 23, 2024 at 11:07 AM

JH

“ Joe and Shawna Hackstock planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia M. Lehman.

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**Joe and Shawna Hackstock** - October 23, 2024 at 10:54 AM

JH

“ Joe and Shawna Hackstock purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



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**Joe and Shawna Hackstock** - October 23, 2024 at 10:54 AM

MF

“ Matt March Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



Matt March Family - October 23, 2024 at 10:30 AM

DD

“ Dorsey College - Dearborn purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



Dorsey College - Dearborn - October 23, 2024 at 07:59 AM

LW

“ Love, Sandra, Fred and Alex Warner planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia M. Lehman.

Love, Sandra, Fred and Alex Warner - October 23, 2024 at 06:00 AM

LW

“ Love, Sandra, Fred and Alex Warner purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



Love, Sandra, Fred and Alex Warner - October 23, 2024 at 06:00 AM

TL

“ Tina Scalici and Linda Lesperance purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



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**Tina Scalici and Linda Lesperance** - October 22, 2024 at 08:36 PM

TF

“ The Gervason Family purchased the Serene Reflections Bouquet for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.



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**The Gervason Family** - October 22, 2024 at 06:40 PM

JA

“ <https://www.facebook.com/718453383/posts/pfbid02vZASqxRtPLQhpSuYZNkzYgViiBnziEHFYuEqf4qEtGvrr4PadZYG16KFEAt4soAd/>

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**jacqui** - October 22, 2024 at 05:00 PM

JA

“ <https://www.facebook.com/718453383/posts/pfbid02vZASqxRtPLQhpSuYZNkzYgViiBnziEHFYuEqf4qEtGvrr4PadZYG16KFEAt4soAd/>

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**jacqui** - October 22, 2024 at 04:58 PM

RA

“ *Richard Mast and Michele Aiello-Mast purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Patricia M. Lehman.*



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**Richard Mast and Michele Aiello-Mast** - October 22, 2024 at  
04:47 PM