



## Phyllis J. Ciske

October 14, 1938 - November 25, 2018

Phyllis Joan Ciske (nee ) Smith. Age 80, She was born October 14, 1938 in Detroit, Michigan to the late Howard Alvord and Phyllis Irene Smith (nee Martin). Older sister to the late Dale Raymond Smith (the late Betty Allor). Died November 25, 2018 at Henry Ford Macomb Hospital in Clinton Township. Beloved wife of the late Henry Barton Ciske, Jr. Loving Mother of Cheryl Ciske, Susan (Mark) Grobosky, Paul (Karen) Ciske and Linda (Ed) Harrison. Proud grandma of Megan, Claire, Michael (Maria), Eddie, Danny, Timmy, Will and Mary. Great grandma (Gigi) to Annabella "Bella" Rose. Joan loved traveling, was an avid golfer and enjoyed success on the links with three holes in one. She also enjoyed scrapbooking, reading and gardening. A celebration of Life Visitation Thursday 3 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 8459 Hall Rd. (3blks. E. of Van Dyke) Utica. Celebration of Life Memorial Service Friday 11a.m. at Utica United Methodist Church, 8650 Canal Rd. (Btwn. Van Dyke and Schoenherr), Sterling Heights. Memorials appreciated to American Heart Association, American Red Cross and Utica United Methodist Church. Please share a memory with her family at [www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com](http://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Detroit Wilbert Cremation Services, LLC

44481 Groesbeck Hwy.  
Clinton Township, MI 48036

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

NOV **29**. 3:00 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/>

## Memorial Service

NOV **30**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Utica United Methodist Church  
8650 Canal Rd.  
Sterling Heights, MI 48314

# Tribute Wall

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“ *A life well-lived; a mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother well-loved. You are in our prayers, Ciske family.*  
--- *Ted and Michelle Gostomski*

Ted Gostomski - December 04, 2018 at 12:26 AM

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*She was a lifelong friend from childhood and a bridesmaid in my wedding 6-25-60 A beautiful being and friend*

Karen - October 21, 2021 at 06:35 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Phyllis J. Ciske.*



November 28, 2018 at 09:13 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Phyllis J. Ciske.*



November 28, 2018 at 07:25 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Phyllis J. Ciske.*



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November 28, 2018 at 07:01 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Phyllis J. Ciske.*



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November 27, 2018 at 09:52 PM



“ *Sigrid And Bill Hermon lit a candle in memory of Phyllis J. Ciske*



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**sigrid and Bill Hermon** - November 27, 2018 at 05:01 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Phyllis J. Ciske.*



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November 27, 2018 at 03:43 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Phyllis J. Ciske.*



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November 27, 2018 at 03:18 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Phyllis J. Ciske.*



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November 27, 2018 at 01:35 PM



“ *I have nothing but the best memories of Mrs. Ciske (and she will always be Mrs. Ciske, to me). Every child who walked through her door was made to feel welcome - there was always room for everyone around the kitchen table. She was loving, generous, and fun - even while she kept us in line! My deep condolences to Cheryl, Suzy, Paul, and Linda and all of your families. You had a very special mom, and she will be missed. Yours, Karen G.*

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**Karen G.** - November 27, 2018 at 01:05 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Phyllis J. Ciske.*



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November 27, 2018 at 12:53 PM