



## Violet J. Nichols

December 4, 1934 - January 18, 2017

Nichols, Violet J., age 82, of Troy, passed away January 18, 2017.

Beloved wife of Harley E.; loving mother of Pamela (Greg) Campbell, Harley T. (Nancy) Nichols, Ashley (Daniel) Venneste and the late Susan Nichols; dear sister of Janet (Brian) Box, Patricia (Taylor) Bandy, Alex (Susan) Kaminski, and the late Ronald (Irene) Kaminski, Barbara (Arthur) Brecht and Linda Kaminski; proud grandmother of Gregory (Beth), Jeffrey (Kristin) and Kevin (Colleen) Campbell, Amanda (Ryan) Neuhalfen, Andrew Nichols, Jacob and Tyler Venneste; and great grandmother of nine.

Prior to working as an office manager for an insurance agency in Madison Heights, Violet and Harley owned and operated a Maaco Collision repair shop in Detroit for 10 years. Violet's favorite pastimes were gardening and spending time with family and friends. She also loved going to a good party, especially when Manhattans and Kahlua were involved!

Visitation Thursday 5-9 p.m. and Friday 2-9 p.m. at the Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 705 W 11 Mile Road (4 blocks E of Woodward), Royal Oak. Funeral Saturday 10 a.m. at the funeral home. Share your memories at [www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com](http://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

18201 Clinton River Road  
Clinton Township, MI 48038

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **19**. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak  
705 W. Eleven Mile Road  
Royal Oak, MI 48067  
(248) 541-7000  
royal@sullivanfh.com  
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## Visitation

JAN **20**. 2:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak  
705 W. Eleven Mile Road  
Royal Oak, MI 48067  
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## Funeral Services

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JAN 21. 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Violet J. Nichols.* ”



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January 20, 2017 at 08:16 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Violet J. Nichols.* ”



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January 20, 2017 at 12:06 AM



“ *Bridget Houser purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Violet J. Nichols.* ”



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**Bridget Houser** - January 19, 2017 at 10:16 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Violet J. Nichols.* ”



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January 19, 2017 at 06:11 PM

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“ *Your neighbor - Bob Bishop purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Violet J. Nichols.*



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**Your neighbor - Bob Bishop** - January 19, 2017 at 03:43 PM

AG

“ *AI G purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Violet J. Nichols.*



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**AI G** - January 19, 2017 at 02:48 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Violet J. Nichols.*



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January 19, 2017 at 01:40 PM

RA

“ *Rick, Rhonda, Shawn, Alex purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Violet J. Nichols.*



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**Rick, Rhonda, Shawn, Alex** - January 19, 2017 at 01:03 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Violet J. Nichols.



January 19, 2017 at 01:00 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Violet J. Nichols.



January 19, 2017 at 12:36 PM



“ Very sorry to hear of your loss. Vi was a wonderful person and good friend. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Sorry we can't be there with you at this time.  
Joe & Marie MacRae

**Joe & Marie MacRae** - January 19, 2017 at 11:15 AM



“ Madison Heights Kiwanis Club purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Violet J. Nichols.



**Madison Heights Kiwanis Club** - January 19, 2017 at 10:01 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Violet J. Nichols.*



January 19, 2017 at 09:23 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Violet J. Nichols.*



January 19, 2017 at 08:51 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Violet J. Nichols.*



January 19, 2017 at 07:58 AM



“ *I cant believe this beautiful soul has left this earth. She was such an amazing women with a heart of gold. I feel honored to have known her and call her my friend. You will be missed so much Violet Nichols. RIP sweet angel. Aunt Sandy & Uncle Gary Ratiu*

**Aunt Sandy ratiu** - January 18, 2017 at 07:06 PM