



Wilodean Straschewski

April 11, 1937 - August 10, 2024

Wilodean Straschewski, (née Harris), age 87, of Orion Township, Michigan, passed away peacefully on August 10, 2024. Wilodean was born on April 11, 1937, in Cookeville, Tennessee, to her late parents, Fowler and Alta (née Breeding) Harris.

Wilodean dedicated 31 years of her life to serving as a Secretary with Center Line Public Schools, retiring in 1999. Her work was a source of pride, but it was her family that truly defined her life. A devoted wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, Wilodean's love and care for her family were boundless.

She was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Richard Straschewski. She leaves behind her cherished daughters, Brenda (James) Davis-Bauer and Karen (Brian) Taylor. Wilodean was the proud grandmother of Chelsea (James) Sarate, Emily Kane, Scott (Katelyn) Davis, Daniel Kane, and Colin Bauer. She was also a doting great-grandmother to Benjamin, Theodore, Ivy, Eloise, and Violet.

Wilodean is also survived by her brother, Charles (the late Virginia) Harris, and is preceded in death by her siblings, Dewey (Adelia) Harris, Cecil (Lillian) Harris, and Bobbie (Barbara) Harris. She will be fondly remembered by many nieces, nephews, and extended family members.

Wilodean's legacy is one of love, dedication, and kindness. Her memory will live on in the hearts of those who were fortunate enough to know her.

Family and friends will be gathering for a visitation and service to celebrate Wilodean's life on Friday, August 23, 2024 at the Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home 8459 Hall Road (3 Blks E. of Van Dyke) Utica from 4-8pm. A funeral service will be held on Saturday, August 24 at 10am from the funeral home.

Wilodean will be laid to rest at White Chapel Cemetery Troy, Michigan.

Cemetery Details

White Chapel Memorial Cemetery

621 W. Long Lake Road
Troy, MI 48098

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 23. 4:00 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/>

Funeral Service

AUG 24. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Wilodean Straschewski.*



August 21, 2024 at 08:07 PM



“ *Chuck Harris - Ken & Renne Harris planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wilodean Straschewski.*

Chuck Harris - Ken & Renne Harris - August 19, 2024 at 06:58 PM



“ *Chuck Harris - Ken & Renne Harris purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Wilodean Straschewski.*



Chuck Harris - Ken & Renne Harris - August 19, 2024 at 06:58 PM



“ *The DMC HIM Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wilodean Straschewski.*

The DMC HIM Team - August 19, 2024 at 06:11 PM



“ *Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet was purchased for the family of Wilodean Straschewski.*



August 19, 2024 at 06:11 PM



“ *Chris and Tina McPeek planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wilodean Straschewski.*

Chris and Tina McPeek - August 15, 2024 at 01:02 AM



“ *Chris and Tina McPeek purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Wilodean Straschewski.*



Chris and Tina McPeek - August 15, 2024 at 01:02 AM