



## Alice J. Babcock

March 7, 1926 - August 29, 2019

Alice J. Babcock passed away August 29, 2019, after a short illness at KMHC, Eden Center. She was born on March 7, 1926 in Leetsville to the late Eugene and Edythe Phelps.

Alice married Lowell Babcock on March 8, 1947 and they enjoyed 65 years of marriage before his passing. Alice worked in the Kalkaska Public School System with emotionally impaired children for many years. She taught Sunday School at Kalkaska Church of Christ for 55 years, served as a volunteer coordinator with North Country Hospice for over 25 years and volunteered at Kalkaska Memorial Eden Center for many years.

Alice is survived by her children, Joyce (Tony) Candela, Susan Babcock, David (Terry) Babcock, Michael (Kim) Babcock, Debra (Joe) Rogers, and Diane (Kurt) Schuler; her brother Bill (Joanne) Phelps; 34 grandchildren, 41 great-grandchildren and 1 on the way and many nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Lowell, and her grandson, Jason Candela. Alice had an impact on many lives and was loved by all.

Visitation will be at Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral Home on Sunday, September 1st from 4 P.M.-8 P.M. Funeral services will be at Kalkaska Church of Christ on Monday, September 2nd at 11 A.M. with visitation at 10 A.M.

Contributions in Alice's name may be made to Kalkaska Church of Christ designated "Bell Fund", 1725 W. Kalkaska Rd., Kalkaska, MI 49646

Arrangements were made by Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral Home, our family serving yours.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 1. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral Home  
106 S. Cherry  
Kalkaska, MI 49646  
(231) 258-5121  
<https://www.wolfeoneill.com/>

## Service

SEP 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

Kalkaska Church of Christ  
1725 W. Kalkaska Rd  
Kalkaska, MI 49646

# Tribute Wall



“ *Alice J. Babcock*

January 30, 2023 at 04:02 AM



“ *Alice J. Babcock*

January 30, 2023 at 01:03 AM



“ *So sad to hear of Alice passing, I loved working with her at the Hospice Sales and conversations with her here at Midas, she was a gentle, sweet lady. Both Randy and I were out of town over the Labor Day weekend and sorry we miss her service. The family did a wonderful service to honor a wonderful lady that will be missed.*

*Love Randy and Cathy Lucyk*

**Catherine Lucyk** - September 04, 2019 at 09:17 AM



“ *My memories of Mrs Babcock (or Diane's mom) are of knowing a very sweet lady who cared very well for her family and others. She was always ready with a kind smile and hug and will be a lasting example to me of a faithful, fun-loving follower of Christ. May God bless you all with His comfort and enjoy all the happy memories you have.*

*Love, Patricia (Lantzer) Little*

**Patricia** - September 02, 2019 at 09:57 AM



“ *So sad to read of Alice's passing. We always had wonderful little chats no matter where we would run into each other. She truly was a sweet lady and will be missed.*

*~Debbie Ball-Odeh*

**Debbie Ball-Odeh** - August 31, 2019 at 07:46 PM

RL

“ Robin Little lit a candle in memory of Alice J. Babcock



Robin Little - August 31, 2019 at 02:01 PM

RL

“ My dear cousins, I am so very sorry for your loss. Aunt Alice was such a kind and caring person. My mom was so fond of her little sister! As a child, I remember the beautiful letters she would write to us. Oh how my mom loved when she would visit her when she was in the nursing home. I will miss hearing the sweet voice of my Aunt Alice 😞. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Hugs to all... Robin and Brad Little

Robin Little - August 31, 2019 at 02:00 PM

EL

“ I am SO VERY SORRY!!!!!! Such was a WONDERFUL woman.....Very kind, loving, and happy. It was fun to be around her. I will miss her!!!!!! Loved that CLASSY woman

Ellen - August 31, 2019 at 12:21 PM



“ 83 files added to the album LifeTributes



Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral Home - August 31, 2019 at 10:25 AM

ME

“ *She touched the lives of many, including me. Am remembering how she helped with children’s classes at the church—and taught some of us to work alongside her. I loved to watch her face when she interacted with the children. So lovely.*

- Mary Ellen (Lantzer) Pereira

Mary Ellen - August 30, 2019 at 11:12 PM

CI

“ *So sorry for your loss. It is hard to let go, but remember she is in the place where we all strive to be eventually.*

Cindy Ingalls - August 30, 2019 at 10:13 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Alice J. Babcock.*



August 30, 2019 at 09:15 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Alice J. Babcock.*



August 30, 2019 at 09:13 PM

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“ *I am truly sorry for your loss. I know you are all sad and will miss her greatly but she is where she should be, in heaven with God and all of his angels! I will miss our summer visits but remember her kind loving words always. Love to you all. Wish I could be there.*

*Your Cousin, Pam*

Pam Neuman (Bufe) - August 30, 2019 at 06:48 PM