



Carleen Alice Brunson

November 7, 1938 - April 17, 2021

Carleen Alice Brunson, age 82 of Kalkaska, passed away on Saturday, April 17, 2021 at Munson Medical Center.

Carleen was born of November 7, 1938, to the late Lee and Mary (Murphy) Husbands in Centrallia, Illinois.

Family meant the most to her. She loved to be surrounded by all of them. Carleen had a heart of gold. She loved all creatures, she would feed them daily, if there was a wounded animal anywhere, she would bring it home to nurse back to health. In her eyes even a fly had a soul, and needed to be taken care of.

Carleen is survived by her sons, David (Heather) Atchison, of Kalkaska and Allen (Kari) Brunson, also of Kalkaska.

Carleen had five grandchildren she adored, David Atchison, Jr., of Kalkaska, Cheyenne Mott, of Central Lake, Ashley Atchison, of Kalkaska, Christopher Atchison, of Kalkaska and Zachariah Atchison; of Kalkaska; five great-grandchildren, Kevin, Aijanah, Oakleigh, Kristen, and Mason. She loved being a grandma more than anything else. Carleen is also survived by a sister, Starr (Don) Frandle, of Warren, and a brother, Lon Husbands, of Kalkaska; a brother-in-law Jerry Navalta.

She was preceded in passing by a sister, Sharon Navalta, and sister-in-law Sandy Husbands; two nephews, Kenny, Kevin, and a great nephew, Josh. She has several nieces and nephews that loved and adored her.

A visitation will be held on Friday, April 23, 2021, at Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral

Home, from 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. with a funeral service beginning at 1:00 p.m. at the funeral home.

Interment will follow in Evergreen Cemetery, Kaskaska.

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

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Cemetery

Kalkaska, MI 49646

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 23. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

APR 23. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Carleen Alice Brunson*

January 30, 2023 at 04:02 AM



“ *Carleen Alice Brunson*

January 30, 2023 at 01:03 AM



“ *David and Allan. Sorry for to hear of your Mothers passing, our prayers are with you. Aunt Fern Atchisn and family.*

Fern - April 23, 2021 at 09:43 PM



“ *The Joabar's - Shawn & Katie Rebecca Hubbard purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Carleen Alice Brunson.*



The Joabar's - Shawn & Katie Rebecca Hubbard - April 23, 2021 at 09:30 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Carleen Alice Brunson.*



April 22, 2021 at 02:37 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Carleen Alice Brunson.



April 22, 2021 at 02:25 PM



“ Dave, Allen, and families, I'm so sorry to hear of your mom's passing. I liked that lady since we were in elementary school, Dave. My memories are fading but it seems she was a room mother one year.

We always had lovely conversations whenever we would run into each other in town. I've missed seeing and talking with her since she hadn't been able to get out and about. She was a sweetie. I hope you all can hold dear to your good memories and let them ease your sorrow.

Deb Ball-Odeh

Debbie Ball-Odeh - April 20, 2021 at 04:30 PM



“ David Jr, sorry for the loss of your Grandma. Know that our thoughts and prayers are with you always. We love you, the Budrows

Shelly Budrow - April 20, 2021 at 10:26 AM



“ I met carleen through my sister years ago ever since then everytime she saw us she would make it a point to chew the fat with us at the store she will be greatly missed prayers for your family

Barb bilkey - April 20, 2021 at 09:02 AM

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“ I have several years of memories! I was honored to call her MOM! She welcomed me into her family with open arms, and our relationship was more of mother-daughter, than in laws! We would argue, cry, laugh and gossip! We would have fights and turn around and say I love you. We both have very strong personalities and didn't always see eye to eye, but was still able to say I love you at the end of the day! How many times, we would sit in the living room, watching the sun rise, drinking our coffee and talking for hours! Her and I loved the holidays, and plan weeks in advance! It's hard to imagine life without her in it, she touched many people's lives, and will never be forgotten. Sleep well momma, and Rest In Peace, I love you!



Heather - April 20, 2021 at 07:18 AM