



## Sandra Jean Stokes-Walker

April 16, 1940 - May 2, 2017

Sandra Jean Stokes-Walker, 77, of Traverse City, went to be with her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on Tuesday, May 2, 2017. She was born on April 16, 1940 in Ecorse, MI; the daughter of the late Raymond and Myrtle (Conner) Stokes. Long time resident of Monroe, MI. She graduated in June, 1958 from Allen Park High School. She earned an Associate of Science degree in 1978 from Monroe County Community College. Sandy married the love of her life James R. Walker Sr. on May 16, 1958. They became parents of five wonderful children. She was a volunteer at Karmanos Cancer Center, Hospice, and Helpline Crisis Center. She worked as a caregiver at Lewis Home, Temperance, MI., JFK and MI House and Salvation Army Harbor Light Alcohol Center of Monroe County. Lovingly volunteering as a Tawanka Camp Fire Leader and receptionist. Sandra moved to Traverse City in July of 2009 to be near her family. Survivors include her children, James R. Walker, Jr, of Stuart, FL, Debra J. (Todd) McLean of Williamsburg, Susan R. Walker-Hammac and Karen M. Walker both of Traverse City; her two precious grandchildren, Krystle R. Hammac and Tanner G. McLean; siblings, David (Lynda) Stokes of Sterling, Alaska and Linda (Tom) Parsons of Stuart, Florida; one niece and six nephews. She loved serving her Lord and attended Harbor Light Christian Church. Sandra was preceded in death by her beloved husband James in 1975, her son, Robert R. Walker in 1990; and brother John R. Gilchrist in 1989. There will be a celebration of Sandra's life on Saturday, May 6 at 3:00 pm. Visitation starting one hour prior to service at the Harbor Light Christian

Center, 4050 Barnes Rd., Traverse City, MI 49684. Cremation has taken place and she will be interred with her husband at Michigan Memorial Park Cemetery in Flat Rock, MI. A graveside service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, Memorials may be given in Sandra's name to: Father Fred Foundation 826 Hastings St. Traverse City, MI 49686 or St. Judes Research Hospital 1461 E. Twelve Mile Rd. Madison Heights, MI 48071 or Harbor Light Christian Church Center 4050 Barnes Rd. Traverse City, MI 49684 Please sign the register online at [wolfeoneill.com](http://wolfeoneill.com) Arrangements were made by Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral Home, our family serving yours.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sandra Jean Stokes-Walker*

January 30, 2023 at 04:02 AM



“ *Sandra Jean Stokes-Walker*

January 30, 2023 at 01:03 AM



“ *I worked with Sandy many years ago at the Lewis Home in Temperance. She was a very special lady and I feel blessed to have called her my friend. I remember many conversations where she shared her life experiences, her faith and wisdom with me. I've been thinking about her lately and am so glad we will be able to sit and chat again one day. I hope you are comforted knowing she touched many lives and made an impact that will not be forgotten. 'So long for now, sweet friend.'*

**Crystal Cornoyer** - May 12, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *May the love of friends and family carry you through your grief.*

**Bill Kahlbaum** - May 08, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *Had a wonderful Easter/Birthday Celebration at home 4.16.17*

May 05, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Mom, Thanks for all the wonderful times we shared. You have taught me so much in life and not only gave me life, but also eternal life together because you shared your devotion to God and never wavered in your faith. I love you. Rejoice and celebrate with Bob, Dad and all of your family that have gone before you. You always liked a good party!

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**Brat Four** - May 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM