



Karen L. Christie

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Karen L. Christie, age 69, of Marysville passed away peacefully January 16, 2014 after a courageous battle with Alzheimers Disease. She was born to the late Jack and Florence Wagner on April 17, 1944 in Wyandotte, MI. She married Tom Christie on February 16, 1973. She worked as a medical records manager at Mt. Clemens General Hospital. She was a member of Pilgrim Lutheran Church, Marysville and valued their Bible study group. She enjoyed boating and traveling, but the most important time spent was with her family.

She is survived by her loving and caring husband; Tom Christie, her wonderful son; Tom Christie and his wife Amelie Christie, her adorable grandson; Dylan Christie. She is also survived by her sister; Donna Sue Wagner, brothers; Ted (Denise) Wagner, Richard (Adrienne) Wagner, sister-in-law; Diane Webb, brother-in-law; Hank (Nancy) Christie and many loving nieces, nephews, cousins and valued friends.

The family would like to thank the many caregivers over the years for their care and kindness.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, February 1 at 11:00 a.m. at Pilgrim Lutheran Church, Marysville. A memorial gathering will be held from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. at the church prior to the service. Memorials may be given to the Blue Water Hospice Home, Marysville, MI. or Pilgrim Lutheran Church. Arrangements by Young Funeral Home, China Twp. To leave the family a message of comfort please visit: www.youngcolonial.com

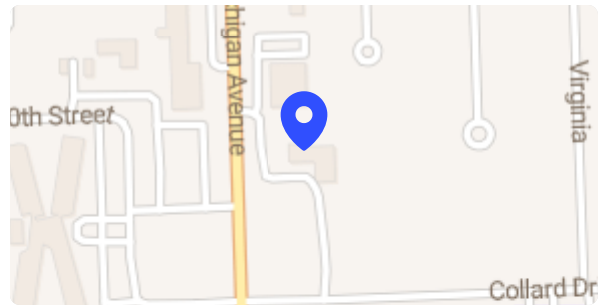


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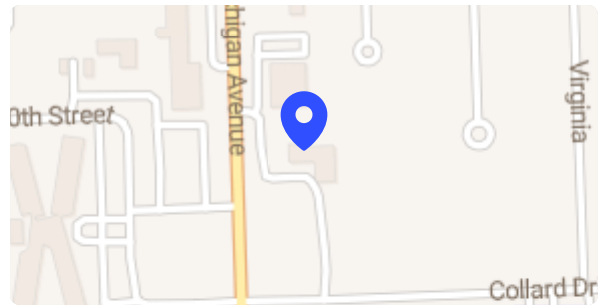
Visitation

- 📅 **Saturday**, February 1, 2014
- 🕒 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET
- 📍 **Pilgrim Lutheran Church**
1023 Michigan Ave., Marysville MI 48040



Service

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TW

Theodore Wagner posted:

It was only last year that I came to find out why I was always closest to my Big Sister Karen. Her influence on me is very much why I am who I am today. She provided me guidance and strength along with wisdom through out my whole life. All of us will never forget how much joy she had in her heart and always shared it with others. She will always be my Big Sister and my great memories of her will last the rest of my life. Ted Wagner

January 22 at 3:53 PM

BP

Bob Papazian posted:

Hi Uncle Tom.....Thank you for sharing Karen with us.....She was certainly the most kind, loving, beautiful, sweet, and exceptional woman who married one of the luckiest guys in the whole world.....Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you, the kids, and her family.....Tom, you are a great man and inspirational.....You have been an example to all of us on how to be a devoted husband, an extraordinary caregiver, a loving father, and a great uncle.....your devoted nehe

January 22 at 8:08 AM

RW

Rich Wagner posted:

Memories of my sister Karen go all the way back to childhood, especially when she was a teen. Karen excelled at everything; the school band, Rainbow Girls, and even as editor of the high school newspaper. Naturally, she was an all 'A' student and always on the Honor Roll, while I just got by with average grades. Yes, I can remember being told by our mother, "Why can't you be like Karen?" As we grew older, we remained friends through good times and bad. With her passing, memories of those days now fill my mind. I'm glad she and Tom had many good years together and gladder still, that Tom has been with her through this difficult time. Her journey now ended, we can find joy in remembering how her life has influenced us. Rich Wagner

January 22 at 6:42 AM

DA

David posted:

Tom, We're very sorry for your loss and are in our prayer's. Dave & Maureen Combs, Englewood, Fl.

January 21 at 11:12 AM



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NA

Nancy G. Anderson posted:

I remember Karen (since the the age of 18 when we met. She had a fantastic memory for medical related information, medications, medical terminology, etc..She was one of my best friends. She attended my wedding & helped me pick out my wedding dress in 1968. She was a very kind caring person with the gift of sensitivity to people's feelings & so easy to talk to. When I encountered some very difficult times including the time that I was assigned to teach a 5th grade of very challenging students, she was there to lend emotional support & helped me ride out the school year.My heart goes out to her loving caring husband & to her son & extended family & to all that knew her as a good friend. I will try to be there at her Memorial Service with my husband.

January 21 at 7:51 AM

JS

Jerry Schoof posted:

Tom,My thoughts and prayers are with you.Jerry Schoof

January 19 at 4:41 PM

BM

Beth Murphy January 20 at 9:58 AM

Tom, to lose your other half is like going down a long dark hall.Hope you will soon see the light of Jesus your Savior as you travel that hall. He know your thoughts. Beth Murphy (Donna's friend)

DW

Donna Sue Wagner lit a candle in honor of Karen.

My sister Karen was my hero and such a love to be gone in my life, her little sister
Donna Sue Wagner

January 19 at 8:50 AM



DS

Dave Starling posted:

Deepest sympathy to you and the family Tom. Such a sad way to cross paths after so many years.
Dave Starling, Sun City Arizona

January 19 at 7:03 AM



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CA

Carolyn shared an album called **New Album Name**.



January 19 at 5:31 AM

CA

Carolyn posted:

All the love and kindness Karen shared to her friends and family throughout the years can never be repaid. Tom and Karen was such an important part of my life in my time of need. Tommy was so generous to share his Mom with Lindsay as she grew up. Karen and Tom was always there as a shoulder for me. She is with the Angels and Sandy looking down and smiling on us all.

January 19 at 5:25 AM

DE

Denise posted:

I will never forget the time when we were little and you came over and picked us up! In your cool race car! And took us back to your house to spend the whole day making Christmas Cookies! The you had these boxes shaped like a ginger bread house to put our cookies in to take home! What a Great day that was! Then we got to have you come make cookies with us at our houses! You will be in my heart forever MFAK! I lov u!

January 18 at 11:41 AM



Media

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Carolyn shared 2 photos to the **New Album Name** album.

January 19 at 5:31 AM



Grown up was fun with Tommy



Karen took such wonderful care of me



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Karen by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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