



Frances Jean Baker

January 18, 1931 - October 8, 2016

Frances J. Baker of Grand Ledge passed away October 8, 2016. She was a loving mother, grandmother, sister and friend and will be greatly missed. Fran was born January 18, 1931 in Marshall, Minnesota to the late William L. and Catherine E. (Hovland) Tegels.

Fran graduated from Grand Ledge High School Class of 1949, was a longtime faithful member of St. Michael Parish and retired from the State of Michigan Department of Public Health. She enjoyed traveling, reading and music.

She is survived by children, Mary Jo (Gary) Kast, Jean Chapmen, Charles (Rochelle) Baker and Sara Caswell; 8 grandchildren; daughter-in-law, Anne Baker; siblings, Vivian (Norman) Kemp and Daniel (Mary Sue) Tegels. Fran was preceded in death by husband, Anthony F.; son, Peter; son-in-law, Joe Chapman; siblings, Katherine Kucsulain, Rita, Vincent and Dennis Tegels.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Thursday, October 13, 2016, 11 a.m. at St. Michael Catholic Church, Grand Ledge by The Reverend Fr. James Eisele. Rite of Committal will follow at Oakwood Cemetery. Visitation will be Wednesday from 2-4 and 6-8 with a Rosary at 7:30 p.m. at the Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home, Grand Ledge. Memorial contributions may be given to Blessings in a Backpack Grand Ledge, P.O. Box 162, Grand Ledge Michigan 48837 or Sparrow Foundation, Hospice House of Mid-Michigan, 1110 E. Michigan Avenue, P.O. Box 30480, Lansing, Michigan 48909.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

299 Halbert Street
Grand Ledge, MI 48837

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 12. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home & Cremation Services
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Grand Ledge, MI 48837
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Visitation

OCT 12. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Service

OCT **12**. 7:30 PM (ET)

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Service

OCT **13**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Saint Michael Catholic Church
345 Edwards Street
Grand Ledge, MI 48837

Tribute Wall



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Frances Jean Baker.* ”



October 12, 2016 at 03:54 PM



“ *Deborah & Don Myers purchased the Divine Light for the family of Frances Jean Baker.* ”



Deborah & Don Myers - October 12, 2016 at 02:28 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Frances Jean Baker.* ”



October 11, 2016 at 04:42 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Frances Jean Baker.* ”



October 11, 2016 at 03:04 PM

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“ *Frances was not only a neighbor but my 4H leader who taught me to sew, love gardening and cook. Thoughts and prayers for her children who I grew up with and went to school with. Bonni (Starkey) Salley*

Bonni (Starkey) Salley - October 11, 2016 at 02:29 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Frances Jean Baker.*



October 11, 2016 at 01:44 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Frances Jean Baker.*



October 11, 2016 at 11:02 AM