



Arlene T. Hahnenberg

June 27, 1936 - August 8, 2017

Arlene T. Hahnenberg, 81, of Traverse City passed away peacefully on Tuesday, August 8, 2017 at Tendercare-Birchwood. Arlene Lautner was born on June 27, 1936 in Traverse City to the late Adolph and Louisa (Hendges) Lautner. She married Jack Haywood, he preceded her in death. She later was married to Jack Hahnenberg on January 5, 1974. Jack preceded her in death on October 23, 2007. Arlene worked along side Jack at the family business Hahnenberg Moving and Storage from 1978 thru 1996. After the business was sold she continued to work in the office for Morse Moving. Family was everything to Arlene, in addition her own children was a foster care mom to 29 kids over a six year period. She was a great listener and was always supportive with her advice. She loved to feed her family, cooking, baking and canning. Arlene had a passion for music she played the organ and danced at every opportunity. Among her other interests she enjoyed traveling, camping and bowling. Arlene was loved by many people and will truly be missed.

Arlene is survived by three sons and two daughters; James (Jeanene Phillips) Haywood, Cindy (James) Lyskawa, Thomas (Nancy) Hahnenberg, Joseph (Judy) Hahnenberg and Laura (Scott) Sheldon; nine grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Also surviving are a brother; Leonard (Caryl) Lautner and a foster daughter; Mary DePew as well as many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by four sisters and two brothers; Beatrice Pickard, Irene Skiver; Pearl Haywood, Doris Kevwitch, Roy Lautner and Wilbert Lautner.

A memorial service honoring Arlene will take place at 11:00 a.m., with visiting one hour prior, on Saturday, August 26, 2017 at the Reynolds-Jonkhoff Funeral Home, 305 Sixth St., Traverse City, Michigan 49684. Pastor Jon Flikkema will officiate. Casual attire is preferred.

Those planning an expression of sympathy are welcome to send a flower or consider a donation to The Father Fred Foundation, 826 Hastings St., Traverse City, MI 49686.

Please feel free to share your thoughts and memories with Arlene's family at www.reynolds-jonkhoff.com.

The family is being cared for by the Reynolds-Jonkhoff Funeral Home and Cremation Service.

Cemetery

Grand Traverse Memorial Gardens
3575 Veterans Drive
Traverse City, MI, 49684

Events

AUG 26 Visitation 10:00AM
Reynolds-Jonkhoff Funeral Home
305 Sixth St, Traverse City, MI, US, 49684

AUG 26 Memorial Service 11:00AM
Reynolds-Jonkhoff Funeral Home
305 Sixth St, Traverse City, MI, US, 49684

Comments



“ When my best friend Jim and I were running buddies in high school, Arlene was a gracious host during my visits to her home, putting up with our occasional teenage antics. She was a warm, generous person, the beloved mother of my first and only best friend, and I know she will be sorely missed by him and everyone else in the Hahnenberg family. My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time.

Ken Johnson - August 19, 2017 at 10:39 PM



“ My deepest sympathies to family and friends of Arlene. Even when life gave her bushels of lemons she made lemonade, pink lemonade! She was so strong and gentle at the same time. It was a pleasure to know her.

Amy LaForest-Thomas



Amy LaForest Thomas - August 17, 2017 at 09:38 AM



“ Arlene was a great woman whom I have always had great respect for. I learned so much from her during my time at the company... Sending hugs and prayers to all.

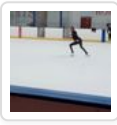
Deb Hahnenberg Stephenson - August 14, 2017 at 06:28 PM



“ Our grandma was the best! She loved to have fun and be with people. She lived life to fullest and always told us to do the same. You only live once she told us. We will miss very much!



Jennifer Hahnenberg - August 10, 2017 at 02:52 PM



“ Clarissa Charles lit a candle in memory of Arlene T. Hahnenberg



Clarissa Charles - August 09, 2017 at 04:12 PM