



# Judith Ann Whiteman

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Judith Ann Whiteman, 73, passed away November 16, 2021. Judith's family and friends will gather Tuesday, November 23, 2021 from 4:00 pm-7:00 pm and Wednesday from 10:00 am-11:00 am at Eineder Funeral Homes - Brooklyn Chapel. Her funeral service will follow on Wednesday, November 24, 2021 at 11 am. Pastor Jeff Sheeks will officiate.

She was born on November 25, 1947, in Adrian, Michigan to Ralph and Jacqueline (Baker) Franke. Judith married, Jerry Whiteman, on August 16, 1980 in Brooklyn, Michigan. She will be remembered as a pioneer for women in law enforcement as one of the first Policewomen in Jackson County. Judith worked for multiple law enforcement agencies in the surrounding communities. She retired from Blackman Township Department of Public Safety after 25 years of service, while continuing to work for Columbia Township Police Department. Judith was a member of the Brooklyn Sportsman's Club. Travelling to the Upper Peninsula was one of her most cherished memories, she also enjoyed feeding birds, crafting and taking cooking classes with her family. She loved all animals, especially her yorkies, Bunny and the late Bear. Judith was an amazing woman who was very generous and expected nothing in return.

Judith will be missed by her children, Devyn (Naomi) Peek, Eric (Dina) Peek, Christina (Scott Quiring) Peek and stepson Rick Whiteman; her mother Jacqueline Burton; siblings, Jim (Lonnie) Franke, Debbie (Jim) Rutherford, David (Diane) Johns, Gerald Johns and Jamie Burton. Grandchildren; David (Heather) Peek, Michael (Shaena) Peek, Nicole, Mark, Ethan, Daniel and Eric Peek. Great Grandchildren; Jordan, Derek, Alex, Kaniyah and Emberlee. She is preceded in death by her father Ralph Franke, stepmother Marilyn Franke, sister Karen Morris and her husband Jerry.

Memorial contributions are suggested to Cascades Humane Society. Please leave a message of comfort for Judith's family or sign her guestbook at [www.EinederFuneralHomes.com](http://www.EinederFuneralHomes.com).



# Events

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## Family and Friends Gathering

**Tuesday**, November 23, 2021

4:00 PM - 7:00 PM ET

**Eineder Funeral Homes - Brooklyn Chapel**  
137 S Main St, Brooklyn MI 49230



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**Wednesday**, November 24, 2021

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET

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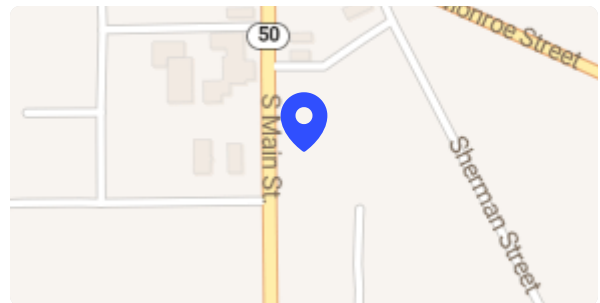


## Funeral Service

**Wednesday**, November 24, 2021

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET

**Eineder Funeral Homes - Brooklyn Chapel**  
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# Tribute Wall

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**Eineder Funeral Homes** shared an album called **Funeral Service Recording**.



November 26 at 5:30 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Whiteman family.



November 22 at 6:27 PM



**John Quiring** sent a Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet to the Whiteman family.



November 22 at 7:09 AM



**Wanda And Richard** sent an Arrive in Style to the Whiteman family.



November 21 at 4:16 AM



**Jammie Bayles ,Jill & Tony Giordano** sent a Rainbow Reflections Basket to the Whiteman family.



November 19 at 8:52 AM



**Jim And Lonnie Franke** sent a With Distinction to the Whiteman family.



November 19 at 8:36 AM



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**Anonymous** sent a Your Light Shines to the Whiteman family.

November 18 at 6:12 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Whiteman family.

November 18 at 1:57 AM



**Diane Johns** posted:

Judy was a no nonsense woman that had a bottomless heart. A wonderful person and an awesome sister-in-law! Love you, Judy. You will be missed!

November 17 at 7:00 PM



**Amanda Hood** posted:

When I was a kid I would always admire judy coming home on her motorcycle. Sorry for you loss Amanda (gelia) Hood and family.

November 17 at 5:42 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Whiteman family.

November 17 at 5:11 PM





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**Chrster R.Bristow Sr.** lit a candle in honor of Judith.

I worked with Judi at Blackman for many years.she was a great person and helped anyone needing assistance. She will be greatly missed by all who had come on contact with her.



November 17 at 4:42 PM

PW

**Peggy Erb- Williford** November 30 at 12:51 PM

We were deeply saddened to hear that Judy had passed away. Judy and her family were our next door neighbors in Brooklyn. Our families were lifelong friends even though years would go by without us seeing each other. After leaving the Brooklyn area many years later, Judy and I reconnected. She was an exemplary woman. Judy invited me to bring my kids to Blackman Twp and allowed the kids to learn about first responders. She had them climb into a fire truck and into a police car. We had a great time at Frontier City with Judy and her grandsons. Judy and I enjoyed scrapbooking weekends. The last time I saw Judy we made plans to go to Frankenmuth for a weekend but then the pandemic hit. We were never able to do that and I deeply regret that we didn't go. Go in peace Judy. Join Jerry, Zona, Sherm and Karen. I am picturing you all riding together in a really fast red convertible with your hair blowing in the wind, heads back in laughter, love and joy. On behalf of the Erb family, I am sending the entire Burton, Franke, Johns, Peek and Whiteman family big hugs. Praying for your peace and comfort. Hoping the wonderful memories of your incredibly close and loving family will help with that peace and comfort. Be at peace, Judy. Thank you for all you have done for others. You will be forever in our hearts. ❤️

PK

**Pat Kelley** November 23 at 4:51 AM

Your family is in our thoughts an prayers. We knew Judy an Jerry for years. Lot of good memories from our motorcycle days. God Bless your family. Mike an Pat Kelley.

CB

**Cornbread And Kim Bachner** November 18 at 3:08 PM

So sorry to hear this news. We have you in our prayers and we know how much she loved each one of her family. Especially those grand boys! A Mother is special and hard to lose. May time and memories heal you all quickly. She loved her quilting, her career and Bear & Bunny but she loved her family Most. Thinking of you, Cornbread and Kim

KD

**Kathy Darnell** November 17 at 9:41 PM

I am so glad I had the chance to see her a short time ago and give her a hug. She will be missed by so many. Eric, Dina, and boys, I hope you know how much you and all your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Love you all, Uncle Kevin, Aunt Kathy and cousin Jordan



# Media

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**Eineder Funeral Homes** shared a video to the **Funeral Service Recording** November 26 at 5:30 AM album.



Funeral Service Recording



# Memories only last if you share them

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



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