



Doretta Ann Shewman-Turk

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After a 4-year courageous battle with esophageal cancer, Doretta Ann Shewman-Turk of Clarklake; peacefully passed away surrounded by her family on February 10, 2023. Doretta was 64 years old at the time of her passing. She is survived by her husband Michael Turk, children Jasmine and Clark Seefeld, Eric and Beth Mason, Sean Mason and Lacey Schmidt; granddaughter, River; step-daughter, Rachelle Turk; grandson, Maverick; step-son, Michael Turk Jr.; and her beloved dog Lucy-Bella. She is also survived by her siblings, Diana and Dennis Valentine, Donna and Jerry Creech, Darryl Shewman, Doreen and James Kurtz, Denise and John Braun, and her many nieces, nephews, and extended family.

Doretta grew up in Cement City, MI and lived in the Brooklyn community her entire life. She blessed the lives of our community with her beautiful voice and wonderful flute playing. She was also known for her love of nature and people. Chances are, she knew your name, your family, and details about your extended family. She was a light to those around her, especially throughout her battle with cancer. Her faith and strength was and is inspiring to all who knew her.

You are welcome to join friends and family for Doretta's visitation on Wednesday, February 15th from 6-8PM at Eineder Funeral Home – Brooklyn Chapel, 137 S. Main St., Brooklyn, MI and Thursday, February 16th from 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. at Brooklyn Presbyterian Church, 160 N. Main St., Brooklyn, MI. As per Doretta's wishes, the visitation will be closed casket. If you would like to join us for a service honoring the life of Doretta, the service will be on Thursday, February 16th from 11-12PM at the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church, followed by her burial at Roseland Memorial Gardens, 3744 Brooklyn Rd., Jackson, MI.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests you make a donation toward esophageal cancer research through the Mission of Hope at cancerfund.org. Please leave a message of comfort for Doretta's family or sign her guestbook at www.EinederFuneralHomes.com.



Events

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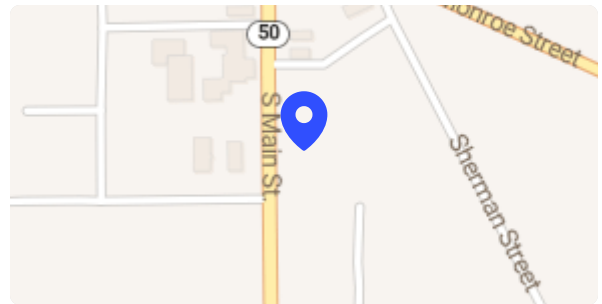
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Family and Friends Gathering

Wednesday, February 15, 2023

6:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET

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

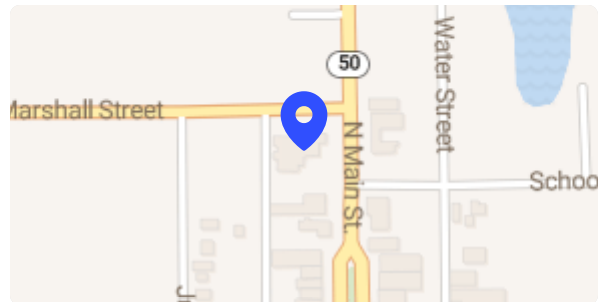


Family and Friends Gathering

Thursday, February 16, 2023

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET

Brooklyn Presbyterian Church
160 N. Main St., Brooklyn MI 49230

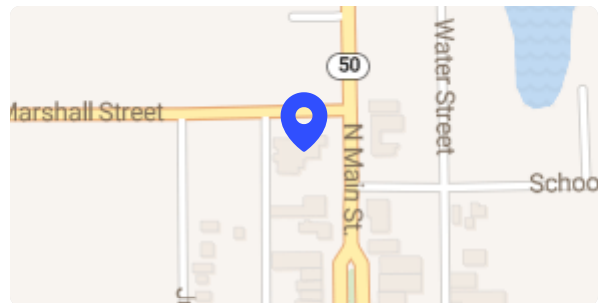


Funeral Service

Thursday, February 16, 2023

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET

Brooklyn Presbyterian Church
160 N. Main St., Brooklyn MI 49230

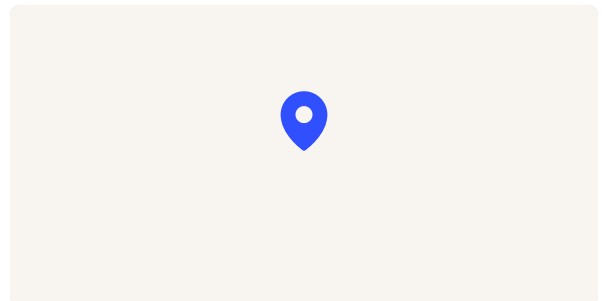


Graveside Service

Thursday, February 16, 2023

12:00 PM ET

Rosaland Memorial Gardens
3744 Brooklyn Road, Jackson MI 49203





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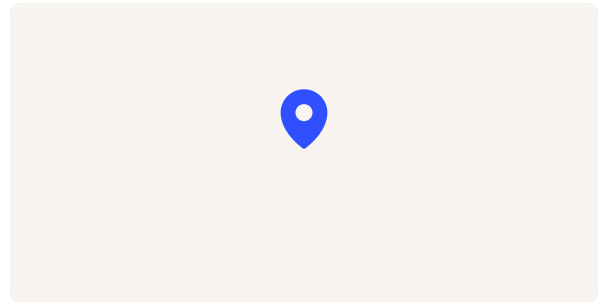
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Cemetery Details



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Fr. Tom Helfrich posted:

Our prayers and sympathies at St. Rita are with you all. Doretta led the music here, long before my time, and we're still grateful. May she Rest In Peace and live in glory, and may you find hope in the gift of the resurrection and cause for much gratitude even as you grieve your great loss. Peace....Fr. Tom Helfrich, St. Rita

February 16 at 6:12 AM



Jessica Marlin shared 4 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Aunt Doretta was not only 'fun sized' but the center of fun as well. You always knew when she was in the room. She was the first one to come up, give you a big hug and say "awe! how ya doing sweetie - so good to see you!". Her exuberance and light hearted nature helped her endure trials in her life, making her a champion in my book and an example to imitate in many ways. She was a hard worker and a fighter - looking forward at the horizon to capture one more sunrise or sunset. Her absence will be felt by so many. Heartfelt condolences to all, especially Mike, Jazzy, Eric, Sean, Doreen & Jim, Denise & John, Jerry & Donna, Daryl and Diana & Dennis - sharing in your grief. ❤️



February 12 at 12:29 PM



John Braun shared 7 photos to the **Doretta** album.



February 12 at 12:29 PM



Melissa Schell posted:

Oh Doretta. My pal, my confidant, my friend for so many years. You were a shining light your whole life. I remember you bouncing down the hall during both junior high and high school, greeting everyone you met with such joy! You made everyone's day brighter. Through the years we met when we could and picked up right where we left off. Huey, Dewey, and Louie we were. Dewey, my dear, we'll meet you up there. Love, Huey
Melissa Schell (Howard)

February 14 at 2:18 PM



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From The Family Of John & Denise Braun sent an Arrive in Style to the Shewman-Turk family.



February 14 at 11:12 AM



Mary Yager posted:

Jasmine and Family, We are so sorry for your loss. Many Hug's and Prayers for you and your family during this difficult time. Henry Ford 5 Tower Staff.

February 14 at 9:19 AM



Kim Pfaffinger Gieske lit a candle in honor of Doretta.

I went to school with Doretta she was always smiling and laughing. Sorry for your loss .



February 13 at 3:36 PM



Mission Of Hope Cancer Fund posted:

Memorial donations were received by the Mission of Hope Cancer Fund in memory of Doretta Ann Shewman-Turk on behalf of From the Terry Family Aunts (Linda Haney, Diane Skinner, Shirley Ehnis, Nancy Mohre, and Ellie Terry) and Joseph Mason These donations will go to help other warriors and their families as they battle this disease. Cancer cannot cripple love, it cannot shatter hope, it cannot corrode faith, it cannot eat away peace, it cannot kill friendship, it cannot shut out memories, it cannot silence courage, it cannot invade the soul, and it cannot reduce eternal life. -Author Unknown Our Deepest Condolences, Mission of Hope Cancer Fund

February 13 at 1:51 PM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Shewman-Turk family.



February 13 at 1:07 PM



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Terry Mahr posted:

So sorry for your loss. Even though she was several years younger than me, I remember Doretta and always thought she had a beautiful name.

February 13 at 11:31 AM



Frances Seefeld lit a candle in honor of Doretta.



February 13 at 7:07 AM



Frances Seefeld posted:

We met Doretta almost two years ago through her daughter, our new daughter-in-law, Jasmine. Jasmine and her mom share many traits and characteristics - loving, nurturing, creative, always a smile for you. They both enjoy "The Lake," animals, flowers, and all that encompasses nature. Doretta says, "I just love nature," and was so excited when she saw baby eagles in their nest last year. Be it taking walks, riding on her boat, antiquing, spending time with family, or merely looking out her window, she always took pictures. Looking closely at Doretta's photos, you see the shining light of a talented artist and a courageous, unique woman. We are privileged to know her. Written with love, John and Fran Seefeld.

February 13 at 7:06 AM



Darla & Sierra Gold sent a Blue Caribbean Bouquet to the Shewman-Turk family.



February 13 at 6:40 AM



Anonymous sent a Crystal Cross Bouquet to the Shewman-Turk family.



February 12 at 5:28 PM



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Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Shewman-Turk family.

February 12 at 1:23 PM



Jasmine Mason shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

I have a million. As a child I remember her singing to me you are my sunshine my only sunshine you make me happy when skies are gray. She was seriously the best. I will carry her in my heart forever. I pray that I can someday live up to her beautiful and impactful legacy of light, and love.

February 12 at 12:29 PM





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Jessica Marlin shared 4 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

February 15 at 5:04 AM



Phillis Prater February 15 at 8:24 AM

Doretta was a sweetheart to work with, always so nice and pleasant. She was just a gentle soul.



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February 14 at 4:15 PM





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Memories only last if you share them

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



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