



Bernice Barry

July 3, 1929 - May 24, 2020

Bernice Barry, age 90, of Bad Axe , passed away on Sunday, May 24, 2020. Bernice was born July 3, 1929 in Grindstone City, daughter of the late James and Ruby (Williams) McGeachy. Bernice had experienced the hardships of growing up during the depression and World War II as a teenager. She graduated from High School in 1947, married in 1952, raising her children, while working on the farm with her then-husband. She was known for her green thumb, having varied flower beds, growing a large garden and preserving fruits and vegetables for her family. Bernice loved taking care of babies and toddlers. She would read aloud to children and could bring the story to life. Who needed TV?

In mid-life, she became very independent , learning to drive, worked and retired from the Huron County Medical Care Facility, traveled, learning to clog, even took a balloon ride for her 70th Birthday.

Bernice is survived by her children – Jon Peyerck, Jo Wolschlager, Jean Barry, Jeryl Barry, Jana (Al) Barry, Jeffery Barry. Grandchildren – Mikkee (Keith) West, Ben (Tina) Peyerck, Jessica (Greg) Slusser, Jennifer (John) Root, Jerome Dean, Doris (Kiju) Victoria, Shannon Barry and Todd Wolschlager. Six Great-grandchildren – Amber and Lydia Slusser, Avery West, Cooper Peyerck, and Colin and Liam Root, One Sister Iva Tschirhart and a Brother, Ron McGeachy, Sister-in-law Jean McGeachy, the Father of her children, Eugene “John” Barry and many nieces & nephews.

She was preceded in death by – Sons, PFC Jeremy E. Barry, James W. Barry

and infants- Jayme and John Barry, Sons-in-law- Steven Wolschlager and Frank Purtell. Siblings-Dora (Bill)Rock, Ella (Stanley)Oscendosky, Harold "Bud"(June) McGeachy, Alex "Sandy" McGeachy, Brother-in-law Marvin Tschirhart.

The Family would like to Thank WillowTree Haven Retirement Home for the excellent care of our Mother.

Graveside service will be held July 3, 2020 at 2 P.M. at St. Felix Catholic Cemetery

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JUL 3. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

St. Felix Cemetery
3515 Limerick Rd.
Kinde, MI

Tribute Wall



“ *Bernice Barry*

January 28, 2023 at 01:32 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Jeryl - June 17, 2020 at 11:59 PM



“ *Sheryl Jo Koroleski sent a virtual gift in memory of Bernice Barry*



sheryl jo koroleski - June 14, 2020 at 10:12 PM

SK

“ I was so sorry to just now find out that Bernice has gone to heaven without me getting over to visit with her. I have so many fond memories of visiting with her& passing time listening to her stories. She & I used to grocery shop together . I used to help her with her doggie (Dottie)when she needed the nails trimmed. She had me laughing before we knew it. She told many stories of working at the care facility. She was a dedicated lady who loved her family , Friends; her dog (dottie)& her flowers. She just hated it when her lawn mower ran out gas when the lawn wasn't finished, so off to walmart & the gas station we went. Her heart was so beautiful. I will miss having coffee ; great conversation with her. She's got big wings I'll bet!(Bernice was a loving person& will be missed !) rest in peace sweet friend& neighbor.

sheryl jo koroleski - June 14, 2020 at 10:11 PM

LK

“ We were sorry to hear about your mom. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

Your old time neighbors, the Schmitt girls

Linda (Schmitt) Koroleski - June 10, 2020 at 06:40 PM

CW

“ I had the pleasure of knowing your mother as she lived next to my grandmother's place on McMillan Rd. Nellie Schmitt. I remember your mom and her gardens but most of all her politeness. I hope the memories you have created with your mom will help you through this difficult time. May she rest in peace.

Carol Schmitt Wotta

Carol Schmitt Wotta - June 05, 2020 at 09:38 PM

MV

“ Jo, you look so much like your mother. I am so very sorry for your loss. Hugs to you.

Mary Vandemark - June 03, 2020 at 08:28 PM

DM

“ I loved my time with Bernice. Her big smile and sense of humor. Rest in peace. ❤️

Dawn Meffer - May 30, 2020 at 01:22 PM

GT

“ To my cousins
My prayers are sent for your healing in the passing of your mom.
Hugs to you all. Cuz Gail



Gail Thompson - May 29, 2020 at 09:41 PM

GT

“ Aunt Bernice was a talented flower designer. I learned about her talents when she created many beautiful flower arrangements for a party I was having. She knew just what to do, and that was a huge relief for my situation(because I was in a pickle of not knowing how to do them.) She saved me, the flower arrangements were beautiful on the tables.and she and I smiled at a moment shared successfully together. I will always remember and be grateful to her for this. Rest in peace Aunt Bernice. Your flower arrangements are beautiful now in heaven.

Gail Thompson - May 29, 2020 at 09:29 PM

CH

“ *SO sorry to hear of the loss of your mother.* ”



Cathy Hartz - May 29, 2020 at 08:09 AM