



Carol Long

April 28, 1947 - December 11, 2024

Carol A Long, age 77 of Bad Axe, passed away on Wednesday December 11, 2024. Carol was born on April 28, 1947 in her parents home in Port Austin.

She was the daughter of the late Michael & Marcella (Miller) Vegenski. Carol married Richard Long on April 7, 1967. Richard preceded her in death on August 11, 1991.

Carol was a bookkeeper for the Neeb Corporation of Bad Axe for 40 years. Carol also worked at the Huron Medical Center for 19 years in Central Registration. After retiring, Carol helped her son Rick with estate sales. She enjoyed baking and was always game to try a new recipe. She was an avid lottery player. Carol enjoyed going on outings with her group of special ladies where many laughs were shared. But most of all she enjoyed her time with her three granddaughters. She was their taxi, cheerleader, biggest fan and supporter of whatever they were involved in. She never missed a ball game, dance recital or horse show. Carol was a member of the Port Austin graduating class of 1965. She also enjoyed Thursday night euchre at Century Oaks.

Carol is survived by two sons Rick (Lynette) Long of Bad Axe and Brian Long of Kinde. One brother, Michael (Darla) Vegenski of Brandon, FL. Two sisters, Marlene Hammerle of Bad Axe and Connie Worden of Bay City. Three

granddaughters, Amelia, Breanna & Kara Long. Several nieces, nephews and many close cousins.

Carol was preceded in death by brother-in-laws, Jerome Peyok, Lance Worden and Elwood Hammerle, special niece and goddaughter, Michelle Ewald, nephews, Dean Hammerle and Brandon Vegenski.

A Mass of Christian will be held on Tuesday, December 17, 2024 at 11 am at St Hubert Parish - Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Bad Axe, Burial will be in the church cemetery. Visitation will be held on Monday, December 16, 2024 from 2-7 at the Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe or Tuesday at the church from 10 am until the service time at 11 am.

A Scripture service will be offered on Monday at 6:30 pm at the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

Sacred Heart Cemetery

Bad Axe, MI 48413

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **16**. 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Kaufman & Co. Funeral Home, Inc.
84 Westland Dr
Bad Axe, MI 48413
(989) 269-3000
kaufmanfuneralhome@gmail.com

Scripture Service to be offered at 6:30 PM

Visitation

DEC **17**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St Hubert Parish-Sacred Heart Catholic Church
311 Whitelam St
Bad Axe, MI 48413
(989) 269-772

Funeral Mass

DEC 17. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

DR

“ *Sending condolences to you and your family. Sincerely Darlene Rinnert*

Darlene Rinnert - December 19, 2024 at 07:55 PM

MZ

“ *Carol was a joy to work with at Neeb Corp. She will be missed. Condolences to the family. Mary Ziel Caseville*

Mary Ziel - December 15, 2024 at 08:09 PM

MS

“ *Mick And Marge Schott lit a candle in memory of Carol Long*



Mick and Marge Schott - December 15, 2024 at 08:01 AM

MN

“ *I remember working with Carol at Huron Memorial. She always had a smile and showed kindness to everyone. Mary Beth Nimtzt*



Mary Beth Nimtzt - December 14, 2024 at 02:17 PM

KL

“Awesome grams to us all I will always remember the times we would make soup together and pies and when we did ur flowers and weeding and when I always did ur shopping when u asked me if I wanted to I always said yes and when ever u asked me to water the flowers in the cemetery I always did and know I get to water ur flowers in the cemetery and do shopping but without u but I know ur gonna be there with me up in heaven we luv u and miss u so much



Kara long - December 13, 2024 at 05:57 PM



“We are so sorry to hear of Carol's passing. She was always a kind person to work with and be around. I enjoyed seeing her at the checkout table at the Estate sales. She will be missed. We send our sympathy to the family. Dale and Nancy Wolfe

Nancy Wolfe - December 13, 2024 at 05:03 PM

RL

Thank you Nancy. Your sympathy is greatly appreciated.

Rick Long - December 14, 2024 at 12:05 PM

JD

“So sorry to hear about Carol. Carol and I were in the class of 1965 and had many good memories of Port Austin High School and St Michael. She was one beautiful person! God Bless you Carol...Joan Krease Driscoll

Joan Driscoll - December 13, 2024 at 04:11 PM

RL

Thank you so much Joan, I'm glad you shared your maiden name. Mom mentioned you often when she reminisced about her high school days. Thank you for your kind words.

Rick Long - December 14, 2024 at 11:57 AM

DP

“ *Thoughts and prayers to all. She was a wonderful lady.
God's Blessings*

Donna Peyok - December 13, 2024 at 03:54 PM

WS

“ *With Love, The Shuart Sisters planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carol Long.*

With Love, The Shuart Sisters - December 13, 2024 at 02:14 PM

WS

“ *With Love, The Shuart Sisters purchased the Encanted Cottage for the family of Carol Long.*



With Love, The Shuart Sisters - December 13, 2024 at 02:14 PM

LH

“ *Love Mike, Darla, Michael, Nikki, Harbor planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carol Long.*

Love Mike, Darla, Michael, Nikki, Harbor - December 13, 2024 at 02:04 PM

LH

“ Love Mike, Darla, Michael, Nikki, Harbor purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Carol Long.



Love Mike, Darla, Michael, Nikki, Harbor - December 13, 2024 at 02:04 PM

PS

“ Mothers are the hardest to say goodbye to . Prayers are sent to your Richard and Family

Patrick & Mari Siemen - December 13, 2024 at 01:56 PM

JP

“ Carol was a very special person she will be missed by so many my heart and prayers go out to Rick and Brian



Jerry painter - December 13, 2024 at 01:50 PM

JS

“ One of the nicest down to Earth ladies ever . She will be missed . So sorry for this loss 🙏
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joAnn Sutton - December 13, 2024 at 01:45 PM

SS

“ Carol and I were in the graduating class of 1965, she and I were very good friends. We did a lot of goofy things in our growing up years, while in school. Got reconnected when she was doing the estate sales, for her son. Caught up with some good memories. Her family will miss her. Sincere Condolances. Sandy Hogan-Schmitt

Sandra Schmitt - December 13, 2024 at 01:24 PM

DK

Carol was one of the sweetest ladies, I will miss her dearly. The last time I seen her was at turkey bingo in Elkton. She gave me a big hug, not knowing that would be my last hug from her. I will miss you at the baseball games and horse riding. I'm so sorry for the families loss. She will be missed by so many. RIP my dear friend. God Bless her family. Dear Lord please help heal their broken hearts 🙏🙏

Diana Kosinski - December 13, 2024 at 02:17 PM

RM

“ Very kind lovely lady.



Rhonda Matelski - December 13, 2024 at 12:41 PM

NB

“ Carol was a very special lady. Thoughts and prayers to the entire family.

Nancy Bouck - December 13, 2024 at 11:50 AM