



Gertrude Sorenson

November 29, 1928 - September 28, 2024

Gertrude (Gert/Gigi) Schlehuber Sorenson died peacefully at Courtney Manor on September 28, 2024. She was 95 years old.

She was born in Moran, Michigan on November 29, 1928, the daughter of the late Fred and Louise (Becker) Schlehuber. She was raised in Moran and graduated from Our Lady of the Straits Girls School. (She was most proud of this.) She married Howard (Nick) Sorenson on September 3, 1947 at Immaculate Conception Church in Moran. He preceded her in death on December 18, 1990.

Gert was a member of Sacred Heart Church (St. Hubert) in Bad Axe. Gertie worked many different jobs. She was most happy when she worked at Huron Memorial Hospital as an OR Tech. She loved being with her children and grandchildren. She enjoyed many hobbies over the years such as gardening, tending her flower beds, and cooking and baking for family gatherings. The grandkids have many fond memories of baking with Gigi.

She was preceded in death by her husband Nick, son Mike, grandson Stevie, brothers Alfred (Blanche) Schlehuber, Carl (Dorothy) Schlehuber, and Bernard Schlehuber, sisters Alma (Robert) Tamlyn, Annie (Bill) Bentgen, and Mary (Alan) Shaw; also brothers-in-law Albert (Irma) Sorensen, Wally (Charlene) Sorensen, and sisters-in-law Nan (James) Masaway, and Editha (Ralph) Ritter.

Surviving are three sons Tim (Jane) Sorenson, Jerry (Terry) Sorenson, and Pat (Susan) Sorenson. Grandchildren, Jake, Tim, Chris, Tom, Jennifer, Sean,

Branden, Nate, Rachel, Dave, and Abby. Great grandchildren Axel, Matthew, Avery, and Ellie and many nieces and nephews. Brother-in-law Paul (Mary Ellen) Sorensen.

The family would like to thank Courtney Manor and Heartland Hospice for the exceptional care they provided to their mother/grandmother and to special friend Pauline Goretski who checked in and provided holy communion. One of our fondest memories of Gigi when parting from gatherings was when we would say, "I love you.," her response was, "I love you more."

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Thursday, October 3, 2024 at 10 am at St. Hubert Parish – Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Bad Axe. Burial will be in the church cemetery. Visitation will be held on Wednesday, October 2, 2024 from 5 – 8 pm at the Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe or Thursday at the church from 9 am until the service time at 10 am. A scripture service will be offered at 7:30 at the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

Sacred Heart Cemetery

Bad Axe, MI 48413

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 2. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

7:30 PM Scripture service

Visitation

OCT 3. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

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

Funeral Mass

OCT 3. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

KS

“ KAREN A SNIDER lit a candle in memory of Gertrude Sorenson



KAREN A SNIDER - October 15, 2024 at 01:44 PM

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Thanks for being such a good friend to my father.....Marvin Essenmacher

KAREN A SNIDER - October 15, 2024 at 01:46 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gertrude Sorenson.



October 02, 2024 at 12:47 PM

DM

“ Deb & Dave Morley lit a candle in memory of Gertrude Sorenson



Deb & Dave Morley - October 02, 2024 at 08:06 AM

ML

“ We still remember our first night in Bad Axe. Oct. 22 1962. We got in late and your Mother had prepared us a Feast 😊
A few of us stayed with you a couple days while we moved into our house. We've never forgotten such wonderful hospitality. It was great having you as friends while we lived there and our hearts go out to you.
Big hugs from all of us 😊
The Lohrstorfer Family

Mark Lohrstorfer - October 01, 2024 at 06:14 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Gertrude Sorenson.



October 01, 2024 at 09:27 AM

HW

“ Heidi W. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gertrude Sorenson.

Heidi W. - October 01, 2024 at 09:27 AM

MN

“ Tim, Gerry, Pat and family. I remember fondly working with Gert when she was an aide at Huron Memorial Hospital, She had a contagious laugh and did much to make the patients' days better. May she rest in peace. Mary Beth Nimitz

Mary Beth Nimitz - October 01, 2024 at 09:22 AM

ML

“ So very sorry for your loss, Sorenson family, she was such a lovely lady.

Mrs. Sorenson was my Confirmation sponsor on April 18, 1964. The class was so large that only the sponsors could attend. I was only nine years old and it was she that took me there and stayed with me. I remember her every year on that day.

I join you all in thanking God for the gift of her inspirational life.

Mary L. Lohrstorfer - September 30, 2024 at 08:37 PM

DS

“ tim, jerry, and pat and family so sorry for your loss, your family is in our thoughts and prayers at this diffucult time, they were gd nieghbors for a long time. helen storckle and family



donna storckle - September 30, 2024 at 05:58 PM

BT

“ My sincere sympathy to Gertie’s Family and Friends. Gertie was just across the hall from me and I knew who she was from her kids being at the Tamblyns years ago. She lived a good life and raised a fine family, that was faithful to her right to the end. Gertie is resting now in Jesus arms until you all meet again.

Bonnie Wildfong (prev Tamblyn) - September 30, 2024 at 07:48 AM