



Nancy Loa Williston

April 21, 1934 - October 3, 2021

Nancy Loa (Gowen) Williston, 87, of Bad Axe passed on Sunday Oct. 3, 2021, at Scheurer Hospital, after battling a long illness.

Born April 21, 1934, Huron County, Lincoln Township. Daughter of the late Alfred and Eldora (Gilbert) Gowen.

Nancy married David J. Williston August 28th, 1954, at Our Savior Lutheran Church, Bad Axe, Michigan.

Nancy, graduate of Michigan State University, taught in Elkton & Lakers school district from 1957-1969. During this time, she earned her master's degree while still working. Nancy moved on to be a counselor at Bad Axe High School, from which she graduated, from 1969-1992.

Nancy was a member of Our Savior Lutheran Church, Bad Axe, Michigan. She enjoyed reading, especially, the Bible every day. Always looking forward to a phone call or visit from family and friends. Nancy was very creative, enjoyed writing, sewing, crafting, and took great notes. She loved to camp at Light House Park during the summer months.

Nancy is survived by her son, David F (Vicki) Williston; six grandchildren, Chad (Misty Shepherd) Williston, Adam Sawicki, Heather (Kevin) Bourcier, Cynthia (Dale) Barnhart, Tammy Keeley, Kimberly Ryan; fourteen great-

grandchildren. Special Friends; Bertha Mc Taggart; Claire Logan; Marilyn Pawlosky; Connie Fowler; Eric Goebel; Darin Deering; and Glenda Draves.

Preceding her in death was her husband David J. Williston.

A funeral service for Nancy will be held on Friday, October 8, 2021 at 11 am at the Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe. Entombment will be in Colfax Mausoleum. Visitation will be Thursday, October 7, 2021 from 3 -8 pm or Friday from 10 am until the service time at 11 am. at the funeral home.

Memorials may be offered to Our Savior Lutheran Church or to the charity of the donor's choice.

Cemetery Details

Colfax Township Cemetery

Bad Axe, MI 48413

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 7. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Visitation

OCT 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Service

OCT 8. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Nancy Loa Williston*

January 28, 2023 at 01:32 PM



“ *Dear cousin, Dave, and family. I am so sorry for your loss. I loved your Mom, and she always had a special place in my heart. My condolences to all of you. Our loss is heaven's gain. We have a lot of loved ones there to welcome her home.*
JoAnne Williston Stitt

JoAnne Williston Stitt - October 07, 2021 at 07:26 PM



“ *Love Mike and Suzanne purchased the Summer's Light Bouquet for the family of Nancy Loa Williston.*



Love Mike and Suzanne - October 06, 2021 at 07:39 PM



“ *Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of Nancy Loa Williston.*



October 06, 2021 at 05:24 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Nancy Loa Williston.



October 05, 2021 at 07:20 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Nancy Loa Williston.



October 05, 2021 at 02:13 PM



“ Heavenly Grace Spray was purchased for the family of Nancy Loa Williston.



October 05, 2021 at 01:35 PM



“ Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of Nancy Loa Williston.



October 05, 2021 at 01:27 PM

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“ Sending my condolence to the family! She’s a great Angel! She helped be go from one room country school to all the different rooms in high school! Rest In Peace!



Amy Sageman - October 04, 2021 at 10:09 PM

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“ I offer my condolences to the Williston family. Growing up I spent a lot of time at the Williston house. I will miss Nancy as she was one of the nicest people I know. God's blessings to All.

Matt Ney - October 04, 2021 at 09:49 PM

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“ I send comfort and prayers to the family.. I remember Nancy well from my classes at Lakers.. She was always a joy to be around and have her actually teach us.. People like her made our life and world a better place to be in..

Nancy Jean Wolfe - October 04, 2021 at 05:09 PM