



## Patricia Herrington

January 20, 1930 - July 2, 2018

Patricia Herrington, age 88, of Bad Axe, passed away peacefully on July 2, 2018, with family at her side.

Patricia was born in Flint, MI, on January 20, 1930, daughter of the late Murray and Florence (Brink) Herriman. She moved with her parents to Bad Axe in 1938. Pat graduated from Sacred Heart Catholic School and then Bad Axe High School. She then attended the University of Michigan School of Dental Hygiene. She practiced dental hygiene for 15 years. She married Kenneth Burnell Herrington in 1952 and managed her husband's medical office for 18 years. He preceded her in death on August 4, 2000.

She was past president of Huron Medical Hospital Auxiliary, and past president of the Huron County Medical Society. She was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church where she enjoyed being a Eucharistic Minister and a minister to Huron County Medical Facility.

She is survived by her son, Michael Herrington of Bad Axe and daughter, Mary Kay (Donald) Vargo of St. Clair Shores, seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Murray and Florence Herriman and her sister, Mary Lou Langeway.

Memorials may be offered to Sacred Heart Food Pantry and the Bad Axe Public Library.

Services will be held on Friday, July 6, 2018 at 11 am at the Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe. Officiating will be Fr. Rob Howe. Burial will be in Colfax

Cemetery. Friends may call at the Kaufman Funeral Home on Thursday, July 5, 2018 from 3 – 8 pm or Friday from 10 am until the service time at 11 am. If you wish to offer your condolences to the family, please go to [www.kaufmanfuneralhome.com](http://www.kaufmanfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Colfax Township

Bad Axe, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 5. 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

JUL 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Service

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JUL 6. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Patricia Herrington*

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January 28, 2023 at 01:32 PM

JB

“ In loving memory of Pat Herrington: growing up in Bad Axe she served as a family friend to my Mom and at times a transient surrogate mother to my brothers and I. A true example of selflessness and charity. The attached image is a paperweight crucifix I received from her as a gift for my first Communion. It is one of my cherished possessions always on my bedside table after living in many locations these 40 years. It has been a reminder to me before I go to sleep at night and when I wake up in the morning that the royal road of the Holy Cross is something to strive to emulate as we carry " ours " in this life which at times may be a valley tears we look forward to the resurrection in our Lord Jesus Christ in the life to come. May she rest in peace. Although I cannot be there in person today I have attended an early morning service 7/6 dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and Holy Sacrifice of the Mass offered in her name.

*John 14: 1-6, 23, 27.*

*Jesus says: "Do not let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God still, and trust in me. There are many rooms in my Father's house; if there were not, I should have told you. I am going now to prepare a place for you, and after I have gone and prepared you a place, I shall return to take you with me; so that where I am you may be too. You know the way to the place where I am going. "*

*Thomas said, "Lord, we do not know where you are going, so how can we know the way?"*

*Jesus said: "I am the Way, the Truth and the Life. No one can come to the Father except through me. If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him and make our home with him. Peace I bequeath to you, my own peace I give you, a peace the world cannot give, this is my gift to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid. "*

*We seem to give them back to you O God who gave them to us. Yet as you did not lose them in giving, so do we not lose them by their return. Not as the world gives, do you give, O Lover of souls. What you give you do not take away, for what is yours is ours also if we are yours. And life is eternal and love immortal, and death is only an horizon, and an horizon is nothing save the limit of our sight. Lift us up, strong Son of God, that we may see further; cleanse our eyes that we may see more clearly; draw us closer to yourself that we may know ourselves to be nearer to our loved ones who are with you. And while you prepare a place for us, prepare us also for that happy place, that where you are we may also be for evermore.*

*Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord, and Let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace.*

*John R. Brouillette  
Birmingham, Alabama*



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**John R. Brouillette** - July 06, 2018 at 08:22 AM

DM

“ Pat was my unofficial big sister! She lived with us - Dan & Eileen McDonald & me - during her senior year at Bad Axe High School. Her parents and sister had moved to the Flint area as I recall and this served two purposes: 1.) Pat got to finish her senior year here; and gave my folks a live-in baby sitter to look after me - an 8 year old at the time! I also got to watch Ken stop by to pick her up for a date from time to time! Many great memories of a very lovely lady. RIP Sis...

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**David A. McDonald** - July 04, 2018 at 07:31 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Patricia Herrington.



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July 04, 2018 at 05:22 PM

KC

“ This is sad news. I enjoyed getting to know your mom during my summer in Bad Axe 20 years ago. Kay (Krueger) Crofoot

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**Kay (Krueger) Crofoot** - July 03, 2018 at 03:53 PM

KW

“ Michael, my condolences to you and your family.

*Ken Ward*

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**Ken Ward** - July 03, 2018 at 11:21 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Patricia Herrington.



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July 02, 2018 at 09:36 PM



“ *Michael, so sorry to hear of the passing of your mother. My deepest sympathy to you and your family during the difficult time in your lives. God bless you all.*

*Linda Stroschein*

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**Linda Stroschein** - July 02, 2018 at 08:36 PM



“ *From all of us at AFSCME Local 1217 purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Patricia Herrington.*



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**From all of us at AFSCME Local 1217** - July 02, 2018 at 03:12 PM