



## Mrs. Barbara A. Clauss

June 1, 1933 - August 16, 2014

Clauss, Mrs. Barbara A.,  
Saginaw, Michigan

Passed away Saturday, August 16, 2014, at Stone Crest Assisted Living, Freeland. Age 81 years. Barbara Ann McGinnis was born on June 1, 1933, in Saginaw, to the late Arthur M. and Dorothy McGinnis. She was married to Henry G. Clauss on November 11, 1949, in Angola, IN, with whom she celebrated 60 years of marriage. He predeceased her on May 30, 2010. She was a member of Zion Lutheran Church and enjoyed sewing, gardening and canning.

Surviving are three daughters and their spouses, Cathy (Gerard) Poyer, St. Charles; Sue Storch and her friend, Stu Stadler, Bridgeport; Laurie (John) Bryant, Flint; three grandchildren, Matthew, Jennifer and Tyler; six great-grandchildren; one sister, Marialyce (Wayne) LaBeau; several nieces, nephews and cousins. She was predeceased by a brother Don McGinnis.

Funeral and committal services will take place 12:00 noon Wednesday, August 20, 2014, at the Wakeman Funeral Home, Inc., 1218 N. Michigan Ave. The Rev. Sue Hand will officiate. Private inurnment will be in Oakwood Cemetery at a later date. Friends are welcome to visit with the family at the Wakeman Funeral Home, Inc. on Wednesday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of

service. Memorial contributions may be given to the family. Memories and sympathies of Barb may be shared with the family on her memorial website at [www.WakemanFuneralHome.com](http://www.WakemanFuneralHome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood Cemetery

Saginaw, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 20.** 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Barbara A. Clauss*

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September 13, 2022 at 05:01 PM



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September 13, 2022 at 02:27 PM



“ *Taking care of Barb as a caregiver was wonderful. She always greeted you with a smile. She was a wonderful women and I am sadden to hear about her passing. Thoughts and prayers to the family.*

*Kristin M.*

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**Kristin M** - August 20, 2014 at 11:35 AM

ML

“ I was sorry to have gotten the message on Sunday Morning, that Barb had pass on. Barb was a very sad and angry person. She was sick so much of her life and she'd feel better then something else would pop up. It seems she was angry at me the most and it really affected me. I tried so hard for so long to try to bring peace between the two of us, but at no prevail. I finally gave up. She was angry at the Lord which bothered me most. I hope she mad peace with him before she went. I'm happy she is not suffering anymore and that when she gets to heaven I can just about imagine the homecoming for all. God Bless you Barb, and we'll be seeing each other soon, I suppose.

*your sister Marialyce (Tootie) LaBeau*

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**Marialyce LaBeau** - August 20, 2014 at 09:23 AM

LC

*Barbara A. Clauss was my mother and she was a Great mother, I was her last child, I spent every Sunday with her and my Father Henry G. Clauss. I Love my mother very much, she did love the Lord. I Miss you so so much. Can't wait to see you in Heaven Mom. ❤️*

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**Laurie Bryant Clauss** - March 06, 2024 at 12:01 PM

BL

“ I had the pleasure of knowing and caring for Barb at stonecrest. She was a sweet heart and will be deeply missed by all who had the pleasure of knowing her. She was a huge tigers fan and loved to watch them every time they were on even if she fell asleep during a late game. She was always caring and worried about other friends who fell ill. She loved warm milk with bread in it to eat. She always walked fast when she walked around the halls. We would tell her slow down, she would just laugh. She loved her husband who she truly missed so much and talked about alot . You will be missed Barbara and thank you for the memories you shared with me. I will miss you and you will always carry a special place in my heart.

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**Brenda Landin** - August 19, 2014 at 05:25 PM

CH

“ I was her chaplain when she was with Grace Hospice. I was so saddened to hear of her passing. I so enjoyed my visits with Barbara. She was always so happy to see me. I often would bring her mocha coffee and cinnamon rolls which she dearly enjoyed. At Christmas time we had our picture taken with Santa Clauss. She teased me that she was Mrs. Santa Clauss. She wanted a cross to wear around her neck for Christmas. So for Christmas I surprised her with a beautiful cross. She was so excited that you would think I gave her a million dollars. To her daughters and grandchildren - your mother loved you so very much and at the end of our visit we always held hands and prayed for each and every one of you. May God give you peace and comfort and strength to endure, not only for today, but for the days ahead. I loved your mother and so cherished our friendship. I will miss her smiles, hugs and her curly grey hair.

*Chaplain Gloria Hart*

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**Chaplain Gloria Hart** - August 18, 2014 at 06:21 PM

AN

“ I was a Caregiver of Barb's for almost 2 years at Stone Crest. I was so sad to learn of her passing. She was such a sweet woman. I know she was loved by so many of the girls and will be dearly missed. My thoughts and prayers go out to the family.

*Andrea R.  
Freeland, MI*

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**Andrea** - August 17, 2014 at 01:15 PM