



## Charlotte Marie Firack

July 11, 1929 - October 12, 2019

Charlotte Marie Firack, age 90, of DeTour, Michigan, died on Saturday, October 12, 2019 in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan and entered into her eternal heavenly home with Jesus her Lord and Savior. She was born on July 11, 1929, in Sault Ste. Marie, to Edward Joseph and Mary Jane (Moore) Hank.

Charlotte grew up in the Eastern Upper Peninsula living in Barbeau, Stalwart, Goetzville, DeTour, and Pickford, where she graduated from Pickford High School with the class of 1947. After high school, she worked in Sault Ste. Marie at Woolworths, Montgomery Wards, and Gamble Robinson stores. She worked for Michigan Bell as a telephone operator. She met John Firack, when he returned home from his tour with the United States Army. Their marriage on December 20, 1952 at the Pickford United Methodist Church was witnessed by Henry Fierek and Lorraine Hank. They made their home in Goetzville.

Charlotte was a member of the Raber Baptist Church and the Union Presbyterian Church in DeTour.

Charlotte was famous for her raspberry patch with over 600 plants. She enjoyed customers who came from all over the country to purchase her carefully grown raspberries. Charlotte also loved cooking and baking. Some of the family favorites were her wonderful cream puffs, chocolate pies, and

German chocolate cake. She also enjoyed gardening and listening to big band music. She played the trumpet and was very excited to buy her sister Virginia, her first saxophone with Charlotte's first paycheck.

Charlotte is survived by her sons, David (DiAnn) Firack of Pickford and Daniel (Rosemarie) Firack of DeTour; grandchildren, Jason (Dee Dee) Firack, Joshua (Caryn Royer) Firack, Mary (Deryk) Lazarz, Renetta (Harry) Ingleson, Nachele Sobel; great-grandchildren, Alec Firack, Ian Firack, Teryn Firack, Elizabeth Firack, Brett Warner, and Mattie Warner; great-great-grandson, Jaidyn Warner, longtime companion Michael Ferguson; sisters, Virginia (Jack) Dorrien of Midland and Lorraine (Wilbert) Schremp of Brimley, Michigan; brother Louis Hank of Sault Ste. Marie; and sister-in-law, Eleanor Fierek of DeTour.

Charlotte was preceded in death by her husband, John Firack; daughter, Beverly Ann Firack; sisters-in-law, Betty Hank, Judy Hank, Helena Fireck, Ann Huyck, Stella Olmstead, Elvina Firack, and Katherine Burns; brothers-in-law, Theodore Fireck, Lawrence Firack, Ralph Olmstead, Henry Fierek Frank Huyck, and Robert Burns.

Visitation will be held on Friday, October 18, 2019 from 12:00 Noon to 2:00 P.M. at the Union Presbyterian Church in DeTour. Funeral Service will begin at 2:00 P.M. Burial will follow in Maple Grove Cemetery.

Memorial Contributions may be made to the Chippewa County Community Foundation for the John A. and Charlotte M. Firack Family Memorial Scholarship in memory of Beverly Ann Firack, P.O. Box 1979, Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783.

# Cemetery Details

## Maple Grove Cemetery

E. South Caribou Lake Road  
DeTour, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 18. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Union Presbyterian Church  
166 Ontario St.  
Detour Village, MI 49725

## Funeral Service

OCT 18. 2:00 PM (ET)

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166 Ontario St.  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Charlotte Marie Firack*

October 05, 2023 at 09:54 AM



“ *Charlotte Marie Firack*

October 02, 2023 at 10:14 PM



“ *Charlotte Marie Firack*

September 01, 2022 at 07:49 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Charlotte Marie Firack.*



October 17, 2019 at 09:28 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charlotte Marie Firack.*



October 16, 2019 at 09:18 PM

SF

“ *Scott Ferguson lit a candle in memory of Charlotte Marie Firack*



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**Scott Ferguson** - October 16, 2019 at 12:11 PM

SF

*Charlotte was a beautiful loving soul and a wonderful family friend. She always greeted me with a hug, a smile, a delishes home cooked meal and a place to lay my head. I loved her very much and will cherish our memories for the rest of my days on this earth. Until we meet again Charlotte, have a glorious journey into the after life. My sincere condolences to the family! Love, Scott Ferguson.*

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**Scott Ferguson** - October 16, 2019 at 12:36 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charlotte Marie Firack.*



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October 15, 2019 at 05:23 PM

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“ *Virginia Dorrien, Lorraine Schremp, Louis Hank purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Charlotte Marie Firack.*



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**Virginia Dorrien, Lorraine Schremp, Louis Hank** - October 15, 2019 at 02:00 PM

RS

“ I loved this lady she was always very nice and would always take time to talk. She loved the basketball games I am going to miss her

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**Robbie Simonsen** - October 14, 2019 at 09:34 PM

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“ The Directors Officers & Staff at Old Mission Bank purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Charlotte Marie Firack.



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**The Directors Officers & Staff at Old Mission Bank** - October 14, 2019 at 03:52 PM