



Donna Fay Harriette Corbiere

December 22, 1932 - January 29, 2016

Donna Fay Harriette Corbiere, age 83, of Sugar Island, Michigan passed away Friday afternoon, January 29, 2016 at her home. Donna was born on December 22, 1932 in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan to the late Donald and Harriette (Leask) McFarlane. She was a 1950 graduate of Sault High School. On May 1, 1951, she married Emery Corbiere in Angola, Indiana. In 1979, she and Emery returned home to Sugar Island. Donna was an educational paraprofessional at Airport Community Schools in Carleton, Michigan in the mid 1970's and a home healthcare aide at Chippewa County Health Department in the early 1980's until she retired. As a member of the Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians, the Order of the Eastern Star and her church family, Donna devoted her time and talents in helping others. Donna enjoyed slow drives around Sugar Island and attending senior meals and activities at the Sugar Island Township Hall and the Tribal Elder Center. She loved to have people stop by for tea. Donna is survived by her husband: Emery Corbiere; her five children: Lorali (Larry) Swick of Flat Rock, MI, Emery (Sharon) Corbiere II of Wakeman, OH, Donald (E. Lisa) Corbiere of Sault Ste. Marie, MI, Holly (Jack) Kibble of Sugar Island, MI, and Hope (Bruce) Schlehuber of Moran, MI; 16 grandchildren: Larry (Lisa), Ladonne, Lesley (Matthew), Lance (Moriah), Emery III (Tara), Shannon, Shane (Gail), Jennifer, Katie, Micah, Isaac, Jacob, Jessica, Cassie, John, Brian, Joel, Danielle, and Bruce; and over 30 great grandchildren. Donna was preceded in death by her parents, her only sibling, a sister: Ilene Smith; and a great grandson: Zachary

Glasgow. A visitation will be held from 4:00 until 8:00 PM on Tuesday, February 2, 2016 at C.S. Mulder Funeral Home. A funeral service will be held at 11:00 AM on Wednesday, February 3, 2016 at the funeral home with Pastor Tom Cash officiating. Burial will be at Oaklawn Chapel Gardens. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be left to the Dementia Home Project in Sault Ste. Marie or the Sugar Island Historical Preservation Society.

Tribute Wall

DC

“ *Holly, we are so very sorry to hear about your mom's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this very difficult time. Our condolences to you, Jack and your family. -*

Dan & Sally Candido - February 05, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LE

“ *I'm so sorry to hear of Donna's passing. I have wonderful memories of going home after church to Sugar Island with Donna, Dood, Holly, and Hope when I was a child. They always made me feel special. Donna and I still exchanged Christmas cards until a few years ago. She was a very special lady, and I'll never forget her. Sending hugs and deepest sympathy to her family.*

Liz (Lisa) Weaver Endsley - February 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ *We have lots of good memories of visiting Donna and other Sugar Island relatives ever since i was a kid. She was a cousin to my mother Doloris. Let us keep thinking of all the good times. May God bless your family, Pamela Moore*

Pamela Moore - February 03, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ *Thinking of family and praying for hearts full of love, good memories and peace. Sincere condolences in your time of grief.*

Annette Berg - February 02, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ So very sorry for your loss. Sending deepest condolences with hugs and prayers to all. I will always your mom's quick, friendly smile and her short, curly hair. That may sound funny to some, but that is how I will always remember...a good memory. May Good Lord above watch over your family especially at this time and always.

Anita McKerchie - February 02, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ I have so many great memories of Donna. I loved when the family would visit us at our old house in Troy, MI. There were so many good times and she was always a great person to talk too. We are so sorry to hear of her passing.

Craig and Debbie Hill - February 02, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Dear Lori, Larry, and the entire Corbiere Family, We send you our love, and prayers and deepest sympathies. We wish for you now whatever your heart needs most, and may a lifetime of happy memories in time ease your sorrow. Deb and Tom Southworth

Deb and Tom Southworth - February 01, 2016 at 12:00 AM