



Lindy Marie Ann Bailey

February 12, 1955 - November 30, 2020

Lindy Marie Ann Bailey, age 65, of Drummond Island, Michigan, passed away peacefully in her home with her loving husband, Fred, by her side on November 30, 2020. She was born February 12, 1955 in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, to Ivan Mead and Margaret (Winneroski) Gable.

Lindy grew up on Drummond Island. She married the love of her life in 1972. She attended DeTour High School and graduated in 1973, shortly after welcoming her and Fred's first child. She worked for Bonnie and Carl Bucht Bakery for fifteen years, welcoming two more children along the way. She later worked for the Drummond Island Hunting and Fishing Club as its manager and caretaker for twenty-five years. She was dedicated to her work, but even more dedicated to her family. She found a way to perfectly balance the two.

Lindy was the center of her family: a devoted wife, an incredible mother, and the most loving grandmother and great grandmother. She taught each of them to love whole-heartedly without fear, and that love can span to the moon and back, beyond the stars, through galaxies, and last even longer. She taught them that strength isn't always displayed by muscle and physical stamina, that resilience, grit, and passion are three of the most important qualities you can have, and that you are only as good as your word, so make it good, honest, and intentional. Lindy was sweet, generous, and a wonderful listening ear and helping hand - she went above and beyond for not only family and friends, but

for strangers as well. Along with that came a fierce 'Mama Bear' mentality - she nurtured and protected her family.

Lindy was a member of the Drummond Island Ambulance Corps.

Lindy loved tending to her gardens and maintaining her yard. She found beauty in all flowers, one of her favorites being the Brown Eyed Susan. She loved watching hummingbirds visit her flowers and feeders. She also enjoyed fishing in the Spring and Fall as well as cooking and baking her famous chocolate chip cookies. She loved to watch the sunset on the family lot and feeling the sun on her face. She delighted in the outdoors, especially being out on the water and watching the night sky. When her grandchildren and great-grandchildren were in her presence, she loved to watch them run around and snuggle up with them for movies and stories. She also liked playing Euchre and Bingo back in the day with the ladies, and casino adventures with her mother

Lindy is survived by her husband of forty-eight years, Frederick A. Bailey Jr.; their children, Robert M. (Melissa) Bailey of Fort Wayne, Indiana, and Suzanne M. (Jonathan) Drouin of Clarkston, Michigan; grandchildren, Samantha (Benjamin) Hurlbert, Frederick J. Bailey Jr, Bryton Bailey, Aubrey Drouin, Marcus Drouin, Nathan Drouin, and Maxton Bailey; great-grandchildren, Hayleigh, Jameson, and Remington Hurlbert, and Eliza Bailey; siblings, Ivan Mead Jr. (Susan) Gable of Drummond Island, Stephanie (Edward) Gratowski of Gibraltar, Michigan, Jackie (Chuck) Chrzan of Drummond Island, and Tammy (Jim) VanAntwerp of Petoskey, Michigan; sister-in-law, Marlene Bailey; and brothers-in-law, Chris Bailey, Ed Bailey, and Gary Bailey.

Lindy was welcomed into Heaven by her son Frederick Jason Bailey, parents Ivan and Margaret Gable, and brother David Gable.

The family would like to say, "Thank you to everyone who has jumped in, lent a hand, sent their condolences, expressed loving words, and those who have done all the small things that are truly big things to us. It is appreciated by our family more than words can explain."

A private family gathering is being held, with later plans to have a larger family celebration at The Lighthouse Christian Church on Drummond Island on February 12th, 2021 at 10:30am.

Social distancing is important to us to keep everyone safe so we will be live streaming it on the churches Facebook page as well for those who would prefer to stay home.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

FEB 12. 10:30 AM (ET)

Lighthouse Christian Church
29898 S. Pine Street
Drummond Island, MI 49726

Tribute Wall



“ *Lindy Marie Ann Bailey*

October 05, 2023 at 09:54 AM



“ *Lindy Marie Ann Bailey*

October 02, 2023 at 10:14 PM



“ *Lindy Marie Ann Bailey*

September 01, 2022 at 07:49 PM



“ *God bless her soul as she ascends to the right hand of our Father. Thank you Lord for the time you gave Lindy to all her family and friends. Please accept my sincere condolences. Jason Milanovich*

Jason Milanovich - December 12, 2020 at 10:12 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lindy Marie Ann Bailey.*



December 04, 2020 at 05:57 PM

DG

“ Debra Gagliardi lit a candle in memory of
Lindy Marie Ann Bailey



Debra Gagliardi - December 03, 2020 at 11:00 AM

MA

“ Fred and Family,
The Monahan and Andary families benefited from Lindy's cooking,
and hospitality at the Drummond Island Hunt Club for many years.
She treated us like family and was responsible for many of the
happiest days of our lives. I don't know if her chocolate chip
cookies, her smile, or her daily kindness made me smile more. We
miss you. Thanks

Mike and Ellen Andary Family and the William (Bill) Monahan
Family.

Michael Andary - December 02, 2020 at 11:25 PM

NS



Nichole Sasso - December 03, 2020 at 07:22 AM

DV

“ You were my friend and I will miss you Soar
high on angels wings



Denise VanAlstine - December 02, 2020 at 08:08 PM

SA

“ *Missed beyond measure and loved even more.* 💜💜💜



Samantha - December 02, 2020 at 07:35 PM

HM

“ *Holly Mills lit a candle in memory of Lindy Marie Ann Bailey*



Holly Mills - December 02, 2020 at 06:57 PM

JN

“ *I am so sorry to here of your lose*

joanne nelson - December 02, 2020 at 02:00 PM

DM

“ *Fred, Robert and Suzanne,*

So sorry to hear of your mother's passing. She was a nice person and will be missed by her friends and family.

*Dave Miller
DeTour Village*

David Miller - December 02, 2020 at 01:17 PM

BW

“ *Lindy Poo as I remember her when we were kid. I remember sleep overs at the Gables as a child and having so much fun. Our parents playing cards and all of the kids running around outdoors in the evening being wild and catching frogs. Such fond memories. My love and deepest condolences to the family. Forever in our hearts. Your Cousin, Bill Williams.* 🌈

Bill Williams - December 02, 2020 at 01:10 PM

SL

“ *Sandra Laakso lit a candle in memory of Lindy Marie Ann Bailey*



Sandra Laakso - December 02, 2020 at 01:05 PM

M&

“ *Fred and family, Lindy has left us but her kindness and infectious smile will remain with us always. I thoroughly enjoyed our visits these past couple summers when she came down to the property and I happened to be next door. I also have many memories of the times spent with Lindy when Fred was on the boats. Lindy pierced my ears the first time the good old fashion way ice cube needle and thread. I will cherish the memories I hope it helps to know she was welcomed into loving arms and has now been set free*



*Hugs to all
Mike & Diane*

M&D - December 02, 2020 at 12:13 PM

SS

“ *Sharon Sadegh lit a candle in memory of
Lindy Marie Ann Bailey*



Sharon Sadegh - December 02, 2020 at 12:10 PM



“ *Katrina Joly lit a candle in memory of Lindy
Marie Ann Bailey*



Katrina Joly - December 02, 2020 at 11:24 AM

KC

“ *Katherine A Coulter lit a candle in memory of
Lindy Marie Ann Bailey*



katherine a Coulter - December 02, 2020 at 11:00 AM

BT

“ *Bonnie Tucker lit a candle in memory of Lindy
Marie Ann Bailey*



bonnie tucker - December 02, 2020 at 10:59 AM

BT

Our deepest sympathy to all the family of Lindy. Lindy and I spent much of our growing up together and I will cherish the shenanigans and fun we had. She will always have a special place in my heart. RIP my dear friend 🤝💕

bonnie tucker - December 02, 2020 at 11:03 AM

GK

Dear Fred and all the family, My heart breaks for all of you. Lindy will forever live on through all of you. She will always be Part of my memories as your kids. I loved to babysit your kids. When she worked at the bakery, Or She called and asked me to watch them because it was Thursday night bingo. Our Love thoughts and prayers to all of you. Heaven has a Beautiful Angel ! Love Hallie and Gary Kott

gary kott - December 02, 2020 at 11:23 PM