



Emmigene Long

April 4, 1937 - October 6, 2018

Passed away Saturday, October 6, 2018 at home surrounded by her family. Emmigene was born April 4, 1937 in Ida Arkansas, the daughter of the late John and Susie Winfrey and had lived in Grand Junction since 1954. She was an avid gardener, bicyclist, hiker and walker. Emmigene truly loved nature and cherished time spent with her family, especially her grandchildren and the many vacation trips over the years. She also enjoyed camping, animals and her many pets.

Surviving is her husband Robert whom she married in 1960; 2 daughters Kathy (Renee Couey) Haynes and Karen (Mark) Taylor; 2 grandchildren, Starr Long and Christopher Taylor; a brother Delmar (Virginia) Decker; many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a son, Kenneth Long.

The family will meet friends on Wednesday from 11 AM until time of funeral services at 1 PM at the Bangor Chapel, D. L. Miller Funeral Home, www.dlmlerfuneralhome.com, Pastor Dan Spicer officiating. Interment will take follow in Grand Junction Cemetery. The family suggest memorial contributions be made to Al Van Humane Society of South Haven.

Cemetery Details

Grand Junction Cemetery

53053 CR 388
Grand Junction, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **10**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Bangor Chapel
258 West Monroe Street
Bangor, MI

Service

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Tribute Wall

KT

“ Karen And Mark Taylor sent a virtual gift in memory of Emmigene Long



Karen and Mark Taylor - November 24, 2018 at 07:29 PM

KT

“ Karen And Mark Taylor lit a candle in memory of Emmigene Long



Karen and Mark Taylor - November 24, 2018 at 07:29 PM

WM

“ Wendi And Larry Moret lit a candle in memory of Emmigene Long



Wendi and Larry Moret - October 09, 2018 at 09:44 PM

WM

*Dearest Family,
So hard to say good-bye, but she's finally out of this hell she'd been living lately.
Our thoughts are with you always.
Karen, Christopher, and Poc, and her beloved husband.
Love you!*

Wendi and Larry Moret - October 09, 2018 at 09:47 PM

CB

“ I waited 40 or more years to get to be my my long family, daddy always told me stories about you and uncle bob but I so desperately wanted to be part of my mothers family and when the chance came I took it and I can honestly say the day I was reunited with all the family was the best day of my life, I felt so loved and full of gratification that I was lucky enough to be part of family that was so loving, caring, understanding of each other and stood beside each other the way all of you did. I never thought that one day would be the last time I'd get to be with you but I know now your in heaven with momma smiling down. My heart breaks for the rest of my aunts, uncles, cousins, for they had a life time with you and each and everyone of them already miss you dearly. This is a very difficult time for everyone. My thoughts, prayers and heart is with each of you. I love you.

cinnamon burton - October 08, 2018 at 03:20 PM

MS

“ EmmiJean was one of the family we never thought of her as a sister-in-law. When she married Bob she became our sister. We loved her and treated her like a sister and she treated us the same way. I am gonna miss her so much. I love you EmmiJean.

Marian Sisson - October 08, 2018 at 01:56 PM

MS

“ Marian Sisson lit a candle in memory of Emmigene Long



Marian Sisson - October 08, 2018 at 01:51 PM

PM

“ Poc and family, we are so sorry for the loss of your beautiful Mom. Sending love and prayers for you during this difficult time. May your memories of her life fill you with love. Blessings, Pam McGuire and Julie Fisher

Pamela McGuire - October 08, 2018 at 12:10 PM

PA

“ Pamela lit a candle in memory of Emmigene Long



Pamela - October 08, 2018 at 12:01 PM

SW

“ Stephanie Walker lit a candle in memory of Emmigene Long



Stephanie Walker - October 08, 2018 at 10:26 AM

DB

“ Dana Bryant lit a candle in memory of Emmigene Long



Dana Bryant - October 08, 2018 at 06:08 AM

AC

“ Bob, Kathy, Karen, Bill and family,
I am saddened by the loss of Emmigene, such a great wife, mother and friend and then I smile when I imagine what it was like for her when she saw Kenny for the first time in so many years. Has it been 40? And then John and granny. Oh she sure left behind many that love her but what a reunion she had in heaven. She was a beautiful woman here on earth and she had such an amazing smile always. I can't remember seeing her without that grand smile, ok maybe when Kenny and I would annoy her 😊
I imagine that smile adding just another element of awesome in Heaven as she is relieved of all suffering. She was sure strong. Never brought attention to herself and her pain. Positive she was. I know this is, however, not an easy time and I can't imagine this kind of loss so I send each of you my heartfelt prayer that you will be ok and that you will find comfort in the thought of her with her mom and dad; Kenny and the Lord. With the Lord!!! I can only imagine. And hugs to you all as well. With much Love, Andrea

andrea crandall - October 08, 2018 at 06:07 AM

AC

“ Andrea Crandall sent a virtual gift in memory of Emmigene Long



andrea crandall - October 08, 2018 at 05:54 AM

MI

“ I am going to miss my text buddy. My aunt was so supportive when I was diagnosed with cancer last year. Her support meant so much to me. I hope we were a support for each other. I know she had a lot of days when she did not feel well, but she never complained. She continued each day with a strength that was such an inspiration to me. My Aunt, please rest in peace! Love Always!

Michelle - October 07, 2018 at 09:14 PM

SW

So sorry for your loss.

Stephanie Walker - October 08, 2018 at 10:28 AM

MS

“ Michelle Sisson lit a candle in memory of Emmigene Long



Michelle Sisson - October 07, 2018 at 08:26 PM

PT

“ I worked with Emma for many years she was such a sweet funny lady always loved her laugh .my heart goes out to the family

Patty Turkd - October 07, 2018 at 06:33 PM

PT

My last time is Turks she would have laughed how I spelled it

Patty Turks - October 07, 2018 at 06:35 PM

BH

“ *Bob & Audra Hill lit a candle in memory of Emmigene Long*



Bob & Audra Hill - October 07, 2018 at 06:29 PM

R(

“ *Hugs hugs and hugs*



Rhonda Fiorillo (Hill) - October 07, 2018 at 05:24 PM

IM

Bob, Kathy, and Karen, so sorry to hear of your loss. Your wife / mother was such a treasure. So many happy memories. I will miss seeing her. I will be keeping all of you in my thoughts and prayers.
Irene McQueen

Irene McQueen - October 07, 2018 at 07:26 PM

RW

“ *Rich And Joyce Wauchek lit a candle in memory of Emmigene Long*



Rich and Joyce Wauchek - October 07, 2018 at 05:17 PM

RW

Bob, Kathy, Karen and Family; My heart goes out to all of you. Emmigene was always full of a youthful spirit, always riding her bike or walking the dogs. Even though everything she went through she always had that beautiful smile on her face. She will be missed in our small community, she was a blessing to everyone's life she touched. Hugs and prayers to you all.

Rich and Joyce Wauchek - October 07, 2018 at 05:21 PM

AC

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I imagine she is sharing her smile and undying spirit with everyone there and relieved to not be suffering any longer.
I know this is however not an easy time and I can't imagine this kind of loss so I send each of you my heartfelt prayer that you will be ok and that you will find comfort in the thought of her with the Lord. With the Lord! I can only imagine. And hugs to you as well. Andrea*

andrea crandall - October 07, 2018 at 05:54 PM